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Financial aid meeting February 4

There will be a college financial aid meeting for parents of junior and senior high school students on Thursday, February 4. The meeting will be held at the library at Mound City R-2 at 6:30 p.m. and is open to all parents of juniors and seniors in the area. Senior students are strongly urged to attend with their parents.

It is suggested that parents of juniors attend in order to learn about changes that have been made in the financial aid process that will affect next year's seniors beginning in October, 2016.

Elementary basketball tournament at Mound City

The Mound City Kiwanis Club is hosting a fifth and sixth grade basketball tournament this Saturday, February 6, at the Mound City R-2 Gymnasium. Games will be played in both girls' and boys' divisions. The public is welcome to attend with action getting underway at 8 a.m.

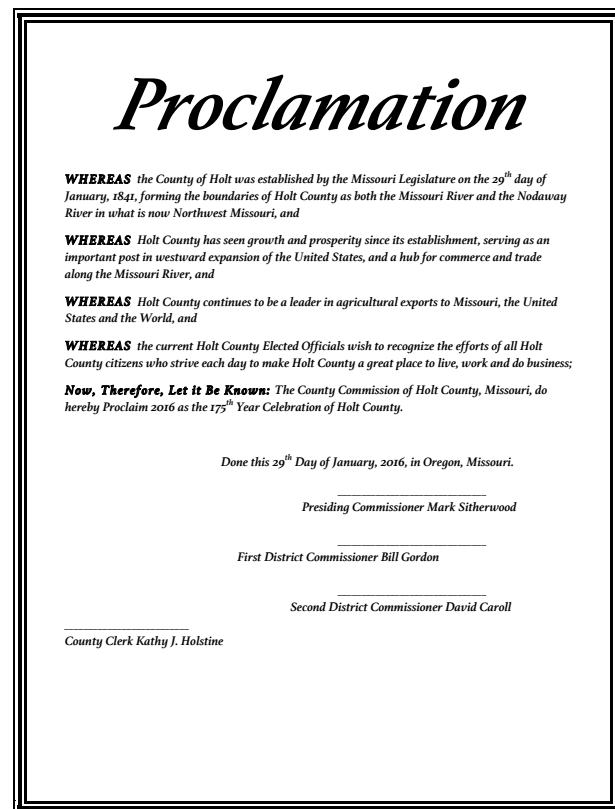
Fish and chicken fry with mountain oysters

The Graham, MO, Lions Club will be hosting a Fish and Chicken Fry with Mountain Oysters on Saturday, February 6, from 4:30 to 7 p.m. The event is open to the public and will be held at the Community Building in Graham. The meal is "All You Can Eat" and adults may dine for \$10 while children under 12 may eat for \$5. Children under the age of three may eat for free.

Holt County Commissioners display 175th celebration proclamation



The Holt County Courthouse in Oregon, MO - Hosted an open house to commemorate the start of the 175 years of Holt County celebrations in 2016. The all-day event allowed citizens to come into the courthouse and look at displays in the main hallway set up by County Clerk Kathy Holstine. Old voting records from the 1860s showed the spot for the illiterate to place an "x" and others to sign, after proclaiming allegiance to the Union of the United States and swearing no patronage to the Confederate Army. Other interesting historical artifacts were on display. Guests were treated to cookies and drinks throughout the day. At 1:30 p.m., the Holt County Commissioners read and signed a proclamation, declaring 2016 as the 175th Year Celebration of Holt County. With the proclamation are, left to right, Second District Commissioner David Carroll, Presiding Commissioner Mark Sitherwood and First District Commissioner Bill Gordon.



A proclamation declaring 2016 as the 175th year celebration - Of Holt County was signed by the three Holt County Commissioners and displayed in the courthouse during an open house on Friday, Jan. 29, at the courthouse.

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Spend Valentine's Day with the Sons of the Pioneers

Valentine's Day is going to be special this year. On Sunday, Feb. 14, the State Theater Arts Council will present the Sons of the Pioneers at the State Theater in Mound City at 7 p.m.

For over 75 years, the Sons of the Pioneers have been proud to perform the music of the American West celebrating the West, its awesome landscape, its people, its culture and the American Cowboy. Certainly, many of the songs they originally introduced, which have been their signature, such as *Tumbling Tumbleweed*, *Cool Water* and *Ghost Riders in the Sky*, have become forever entwined into the very fabric of the West. They embrace that heritage and strive to honor it. "Country western" artists may sing about pickup trucks or their girlfriends. The Sons of the Pioneers' songs are unabashed love songs to the West. That's one of the things that makes them different.

The current members of the group have joined the Sons of the Pioneers to keep true country music alive. Luther Nallie, baritone and instrumentalist, is the "Trail Boss." As "Trail Boss" he serves as curator, guaranteeing fans will hear the sound of "The Pioneers" at every performance. Ken Lattimore is the formal scholar of the group holding a degree in music from Texas Tech University. A tenor, Ken provides the higher harmonies.



The Sons of the Pioneers - Will be on stage at the State Theater in Mound City on Sunday, Feb. 14, at 7 p.m.

He also delights audiences with his fiddle solos and duets. Randy Rudd's full rich baritone voice makes him a natural as the "lead" singer of the group. He officially joined the group in 2001. Dale Warren likened Randy's voice to that of earlier Pioneer Ken Curtis. As an accomplished guitarist, Randy not only supplies rhythm guitar but occasionally adds a riff or short solo. He's also been known to add a laugh with one of his ad libs. Mark Abbott anchors the lower registers with his bass voice and upright string bass. When it comes to top Western style fiddle players, Ricky Boen heads the list. Competing against the best of the best, he has won the titles of Texas State Fiddle Champion and World Fiddle

Champion. Tommy Nallie perfected his first instrument while in Beaumont, TX, High School earning first chair violin. A brother to Luther Nallie, Tommy has performed with some of country music's greatest artists over the years. After filling in on several occasions with the Sons of the Pioneers, Tommy became a permanent member in 2013.

Advance tickets for the Feb. 14 performance are available at Mound City banks and Bank CBO in Oregon, MO. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$5 for students K-12. This is a season ticket event.

For more information, contact 660-442-5909, or visit www.mcstatetheater.com.

Gun raffle to benefit Jessica Lindsay

Larry Knapp of the White Rose Restaurant in Mound City is sponsoring a gun raffle to benefit Jessica Lindsay and her family. Jessica, who has been the officer manager at the *Mound City News* for several years, suffered a massive stroke at the end of December and is currently a patient at Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital in Lincoln, NE. Proceeds from this gun raffle will help the family with expenses related to Jessica's care.

The raffle is for a Henry Silverboy .17 HMR rifle. Tickets are available at the price of one for \$10 or five for \$40. The drawing for the rifle will be held on Tuesday, March 1, 2016, and the winner does not need to be present for the drawing. Tickets are currently on sale at the White Rose Restaurant in Mound City, the *Mound City News* office, and may be available at other locations; or call 660-853-9973 for more information.

Mound City Family Medicine to host free Lunch and Learn

Community Hospital-Fairfax (CH-F) of Fairfax, MO, and Mound City Family Medicine invite the public to attend a free Lunch and Learn on Thursday, Feb. 11, from 12-1 p.m. Lunch, along with gifts for all attendees, will be provided at the clinic at 514 State Street in Mound City, which also houses Holt County Outpatient Services.

February is heart awareness month. CH-F is offering a variety of activities to encourage the community to get and stay healthy. One area often under-appreciated for its impact on heart disease is stress. Stress levels are difficult to control and can affect behaviors and factors that increase heart disease risk. Those risks include high blood pressure, cholesterol, smoking, physical inactivity and sometimes overeating.

Everyone is invited to join Jackie Martin, Registered Nurse (RN) and CH-F Cardiac Rehabilitation Nurse, to discuss how to manage stress toward a healthier lifestyle. Lunch is provided for all guests. RSVP to (660) 683-2317.



January ends with "swing set" weather

Jerick Altena, nine months - Is enjoying his ride in the swing at Griffith Park on Friday, Jan. 29. Temperatures topped out near 60 degrees over most of the weekend of Jan. 29-31, to close the month of January with February threatening to give northwest Missouri a taste of winter again. Jerick is the son of Josh and Tatiana Altena, and the grandson of Randy and Cathy Altena of Mound City.



Brothers, left to right, Matt and Michael Livengood - Display their prize-winning cache of coyotes at the 2nd annual Four Corners Coyote Calling event on Saturday, Jan. 23. The event was hosted by Open Season Gun Shop of Mound City.

2nd Annual Four Corners Coyote Calling event claims one bobcat and 40 yotes

The Open Season Gun Shop of Mound City hosted the second annual Four Corners Coyote Calling event on Saturday, Jan. 23. The popular contest brought out 23 two-man teams. The hunt began 30 minutes before sunrise and ended at sunset. The teams gathered at Sportsman's Lodge at Bigelow, MO, after the hunt to register their kills.

The 23 teams amassed a total of 40 coyotes during the contest. Monetary prizes were awarded to the top five teams, paid out from the entry fees. The organizers held out 5% of the fees to be donated to charity. The winners were:

- 1st place - Matt Livengood and Michael Livengood - six coyotes
- 2nd place - Dustin Price and Cody Price - five coyotes
- 3rd place - Larry Farr and Ryen Phillips - five coyotes
- 4th place - Bradley Sisk and Craig Schweizer - four coyotes
- 5th place - Michael Graves and Jordan Stoner - four coyotes

All ties were broken with the accumulated weight of a team's kill.

The event also offered several pool plays the teams could enter. The winners of each pool claimed the money entered into the pool. The winners were:

- Largest female coyote - Dustin Price and Cody Price - 28.5 pounds
- Largest male coyote - Jacob Pittman and Cody Sisk - 39.9 pounds
- Mangiest coyote - Nathan Gibson and Robert Gibson
- Largest bobcat - Larry Farr and Ryen Phillips
- Largest fox - no winner

After check-in, the participants and guests enjoyed a delicious meal at Sportsman's Scotch and Sirlon restaurant. The prize money was distributed at the banquet. Names were drawn for the door prizes provided by Justin Courtney of Open Season Gun Shop. Participants' meals were also compliments of Mr. Courtney.

February Community Food Pantry needs

Needed items for the month of February at the Community Food Pantry in Mound City are:

- Tuna Helper
- Chicken Helper
- Beef Ramen
- Spaghetti Sauce
- Macaroni and Cheese
- Dry Beans

- Pears
 - Mandarin Oranges
- Not Needed at This Time:**

Green beans and corn. Church volunteers are at the pantry at 1410 Nebraska Street on Mondays from 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. to receive donations.

News from Tiffany Heights

Pastor Paul Grant provided Bible study on Monday morning, January 25, at Tiffany Heights in Mound City. During the afternoon, the residents enjoyed a round of the "Name Game". This month the words "Business Communication Day" were chosen. Residents were able to make more than 200 different words using these letters. To make this game more interesting, players were not allowed to use letters more than they appeared and no proper nouns or combined words were allowed.

On Tuesday morning, January 26, residents played "Build a Better Snowman". The object of the game was to see how many snowmen players could catch using the fishing type game. The second round of the game counted inches of snow. Each snowman had a number on it and the snowmen were added together to see if they made enough snow to make a snowman. Winners received a coupon for a free bingo prize. Winners were Virginia Beal and Mary Lou Nauman. During the afternoon, residents again enjoyed a little snow fun. The therapy manager, Shannon Tharp, had residents toss snowballs (fake ones) into a bucket. Residents then got a chance to hot potato a real snowball, making them move really fast. Residents also discussed penguins and their many different types, habitats and lifestyles. Everyone enjoyed hot chocolate with marshmallows, along with eating snowballs (cupcakes). Residents got a chance to get a weather picture with "Patty the Penguin".

In order to get rid of the winter blues on Wednesday, January 27, residents enjoyed an afternoon with some of their favorite things. They had banana splits with all the trimmings, including a cherry on top; and listened to music. Residents also enjoyed a CD by Becky Quimby. Becky is a daughter-in-law of Beverly Quimby and a native of Craig, MO. These activities made residents forget winter for a little while.

Dee Ann Heck provided piano before lunch on Thursday, January 28. Bingo volunteers during the afternoon were Shirley Jackson, Jean McCall, Lucille Stull, Phyllis Heck, Denise Acklin, Betty Triggs and Cindy Karsten. Winners of the game were Inez VanOrman, Mary Lou Nauman, Carol Ball and Jeane Crouse. After bingo, everyone helped Lillian Brickey celebrate her birthday. Residents enjoyed delicious cupcakes from Lillian's family. After bingo, residents enjoyed the reading of the *Mound City News* by Britney Wright.

Beverly Crowley assisted with glamour nails on Friday morning, January 29. During the afternoon, the residents enjoyed cards and other games while preparing for a new month. Dinner and a movie were enjoyed in the evening. Residents enjoyed "Thanks for the Memories-The Bob Hope Specials", loaned by Lois Deatz.

Sandra Jackson donated miscellaneous craft supplies to Tiffany Heights. Games of choice were encouraged during the afternoon on Saturday, January 30.

Communion was provided by the First Christian Church. Afternoon services on Sunday, January 31, were conducted by the United Methodist Church.



Mary Lou Nauman, right - Gets a hug from "Patty the Penguin" at Tiffany Heights in Mound City on Tuesday, January 26.



Left to right are Zella Davis and Inez VanOrman - As they display some stuffed penguins during a discussion about penguins on Tuesday, January 26, at Tiffany Heights in Mound City.

Notes from the Mound City Nutrition Site

Volunteers at the Nutrition Site in Mound City during the week of January 25 were: Jim Steele, Hubert Turnbull, Trey Graves, Susan Noland, Sue Schmidt, Paul Markt, Carmen Cotton, Virginia Oppenlander, Barb Raether, Franklin Hughes, Scott Johnson, Marla Riley and Aaron and Alaina Riley.

Delivering meals the week of February 8-12, 2016, will be:

Craig, MO - Sue Schmidt or Walter Groves.

Mound City - Monday through Friday - Mound City Lions Club.

Oregon, MO, and Forest City, MO - Monday through Friday - Richard and Alita Meyer.

Meal delivery volunteers in Mound City and Craig who have not received a calendar for 2016 are asked to stop by the site in Mound City to pick one up. Meal delivery volunteers in Oregon and Forest City who have not received a calendar for 2016 are asked to contact Alita Meyer or stop by the site in Mound City to pick one up. Volunteer support is needed and appreciated.

The Mound City Nutrition

Site recycles cell phones, ink cartridges and aluminum cans for cancer (Helping Hands) in two purple cans by the front and back doors. There are also drop boxes for box tops for the school and donations to the food pantry as well as pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House. The site is always in need of grocery sacks.

Bingo will be held on the first and third Wednesdays of each month. Aerobic exercises will be offered every Monday and Wednesday morning at 8:30 a.m. Tiffany Care Centers will be at the site every fourth Wednesday to offer a healthy/fun topic along with blood pressure screenings.

The product of the month in February is sugar (brown, powdered or granulated). The winner of the product of the month in January was Sue Hogue.

Scott Johnson has volunteered to remove snow from around the site so far this winter. Franklin Hughes has been scooping the front walk.

February activities at the site include:

Monday, February 15 - Site will be closed in observance of Presidents' Day.

Wednesday, February 17 - February Birthday Party.

The Mound City Nutrition Site

is accepting donations to help defray the costs of some minor repairs and beautification to the site. Also, if the Mound City school is closed due to inclement weather, the Mound City Nutrition Site will also be closed. Please refer to KMA Radio or KQTV for school closings.

Upcoming Menu:

Monday, Feb. 8 - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, peaches, bread

and butter.

Tuesday, Feb. 9 - Ham, cheesy potatoes, winter mix, bread, butter and pears.

Wednesday, Feb. 10 - Turkey and noodles, mashed potatoes, carrots, fruit cocktail and hot roll.

Thursday, Feb. 11 - Chicken tenders, mixed vegetables and pasta salad.

Friday, Feb. 12 - Potato bar, chili, broccoli/cheese, juice, tropical fruit and muffin.

Minor injuries in one-vehicle accident

Minor injuries resulted from a one-vehicle accident on Saturday, January 30, 2016, on southbound Interstate 29 (I-29) at the 79.4 mile marker five miles south of Mound City. Alan W. Oder, age 49, of Joliet, IL, was southbound on I-29 in a 2016 Freightliner when he fell asleep. The semitruck traveled off the right side of the roadway and struck a highway sign. The vehicle overturned onto its right side. Oder, who was not wearing a safety device, received minor injuries and was transported by Atchison-Holt Ambulance to Mosaic Life Care in St. Joseph, MO. The semitruck received extensive damage and was towed from the scene by R&W Towing of St. Joseph.

Missouri State Highway Patrol Corporal M.R. Heits investigated the accident. Cpl. Heits was assisted by Holt County law enforcement and emergency personnel.

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OBITUARIES

Lennis Alonzo "Lynn" Sipes

Lennis Alonzo "Lynn" Sipes was born on October 10, 1924, in Forbes, MO. He was one of five children of Alonzo "Lonnie" and Lucy (Grimes) Sipes.

Lynn attended country schools near Forbes. He served in the Philippines with the United States Navy during WWII. On March 23, 1942, he married Marie Green in Oregon, MO, and they became parents of five children. Lynn retired from the Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) after 29 years of service.

Marie passed away on Monday, February 4, 2013, at her Oregon home at the age of 87. Lynn passed away at the Oregon Care Center on Saturday, January 30, 2016, at the age of 91.

Lynn was also preceded in death by his parents; son and daughter-in-law, Kenny and Sharon Sipes; daughter, Patricia Peterson; grandsons, Stephen McKenzie, Scott Peterson, and Eric Peterson; grandson-in-law, Ray Meyer; great-grandchild, Austin Levi Meyer; brothers and sister-in-law, Lyle Sipes and Lester and Dorma Jean Sipes; sisters and brothers-in-law, Leona and Adolph Hughes, Lavela Faye and Art Stenning, and Rollin, LeRoy, and Robert Green; and sister-in-law, Louise Green.

Survivors include daughter and son-in-law, Maria and Larry Wright of Craig, MO; sons and daughters-in-law, Larry and Phyllis Sipes of Forest City, MO, and James and Diane Sipes of Rosendale, MO; sisters-in-law, Rose Sipes, Sedalia, MO, and Shirley Green of Richmond, VA; 14 grandchildren and their spouses, Brian (Lisa) Peterson, Lori (Daren) Meyer, Nancy Timothy, Mark (Michelle) Wright, Dana (Chris) Zembles, Teri (Michael) Roberts, Jeana Sipes, Rachel (Cliff) Scroggins, Noah (Hannah) Sipes, Travis (Channing) Sipes, Mychala (James) Fisher, Mason Sipes and friend Hailey Schellhorn, Andrea (Chris) Camp, and Anson (Renee) Bergonzoni; 30 great-grandchildren, Lauren (Brian) Frost, Nakita Peterson, Shelby Findley, Scott Meyer, Jake and Wyatt Meyer, Justin Wright, Jeffrey Wright, Courtney (Dyllon) Schwartz, Hannah Girdner, Aaron Wright, Matthew Wright, Zeb and Allie Roberts, Lane and Keaton Zembles, Jeana Gordeuk, Brooklyn and Quentin Scroggins, Broox Harris, Sadee and Jax Scroggins, Quaid, Baylor and Clara Marie Sipes, Blake Timothy, Layne and Blake Camp, and Ella and Alexis Bergonzoni; and two great-great-grandchildren, MacKenzi Meyer and Sloan McQuerry.

Lynn enjoyed gardening, cutting wood, mowing and rattlesnake hunting. He loved music and shared his talents as a member of both the Gospel Opry and the Farmer's Band. He was very active in the ministerial alliance. Saved by Christ, Lynn dedicated his life to the service of our Lord and Savior. He had been a member of the Oregon Nazarene Church since 1956.

Services with military rites are being held at 2 p.m. on Thursday, February 4, 2016, at Chamberlain Funeral Home, Oregon. The family is greeting friends at 12:30 p.m., prior to the services. Interment is being held at Highland Cemetery, Oregon. Memorials may be made to the Church of the Nazarene of Craig and Oregon; or Hospice Friends of America. Online condolences may be left at www.chamberlainfuneral.com.

Larry Franklin Hicks

Larry Franklin Hicks, 73, of Richmond, MO, died Saturday, January 30, 2016, at North Kansas City Hospital, North Kansas City, MO.

Larry was born on March 1, 1942, in Henrietta, MO, to Francis Marion and Trella (Norris) Hicks. He married Linda K. Heimbaugh of Weatherby, MO, on January 24, 1974. She survives of the home.

Additional survivors of Larry include one son and daughter-in-law, Aaron and Whitney Hicks of Henrietta; two daughters, one son-in-law, and one daughter-in-law, Diana and Jim McBee of Liberty, MO, and Maria Christine Hicks and Jovi McGuire of Portland, OR; two sisters and one brother-in-law, Judith and Mike Pafford of Plano, TX, and Bonnie Hicks Winn of Tucson, AZ; and three grandchildren, Sydney Gabrielle McBee, Seth Ryan Hicks and Shane Christopher Hicks. Numerous nieces and nephews also survive.

In addition to his parents, Larry was preceded in death by one brother-in-law, Jim Winn.

Larry was a 1960 graduate of Richmond High School. He was a lifelong farmer. He was a United States Army veteran. Larry was a member of the Richmond American Legion Post #237. He was president and founder of the Ray-Lafayette Levee District. He was a member of the National Corn Growers' Association. Larry was past president of the Richmond School Board where he was instrumental in the building of the new high school. He was a member of the Ray County Farm Service Agency (FSA) Board and the Crooked River Bass Masters. Larry was a member of the Henrietta Baptist Church, as well as a member of several other organizations. He had lived in the Henrietta and Richmond areas most of his life.

The family suggests memorial contributions be made to the Richmond FFA Scholarship Fund.

The Hicks family would like to acknowledge the doctors and nurses on the second floor of North Kansas City Hospital for the loving and professional care that was given to their loved one during his stay in the hospital.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday, February 3, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. at the Thurman Funeral Home in Richmond. Burial will be in the Cravens Cemetery in Richmond at a later date. Online condolences may be left on the website at www.thurmanfuneralhome.com.

Mark Wendell Showalter

Mark Wendell Showalter was born in Fairfax, MO, on February 17, 1951. He was the oldest of six children of Ralph Wendell and Margaret Diane (Raiser) Showalter. Mark graduated from Park Hill High School in 1969.



After retiring from Burlington-Northern Railroad, Mark worked as a long haul truck driver for Crete Carrier Corporation. He had also worked as a carpenter.

Mark passed away unexpectedly at his Pleasant Valley, MO, home, where he had lived for several years. Mark was preceded in death by his father, Ralph Wendell Showalter.

Mark is survived by his mother, Diane E. Reax'ure; his step-mother, Mavis Showalter, Jerico Springs, MO; his siblings and their spouses, Becky Draper-Stuck and husband, James, St. Joseph, MO, David (Karen) Showalter, Richmond, TX, Philip (Lisa) Showalter, Jamesport, MO, Stephen Showalter, Simpsonville, SC, and Carolyn Hills, Parkville, MO; nieces and nephews; and close friend, Robbie Butler.

Services will be Sunday, February 7, 2016, at 1 p.m. at River of Hope Fellowship, Mound City, MO. Interment will be at Tharp Cemetery, Craig, MO. Memorials may be made to the Friends of Sharp's Grove. Care has been entrusted to Chamberlain Funeral Home, Mound City. Online condolences may be left at www.chamberlainfuneral.com.

Mound City Public Library releases January acquisitions

The Mound City Public Library is open to the public during the week and on Saturdays. Hours are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 12-5 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; and Saturday, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Storytime at the library is every Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. New book acquisitions for the month of January, 2016, are:

- Adult**
 - *Alaina Claiborne, #1* by MK McClintock
 - *Blackwood Crossing, #2* by MK McClintock
 - *Clayton's Honor, #3* by MK McClintock
 - *All Dressed in White, #2* by Mary Higgins Clark & Alafair Burke
 - *The Japanese Lover* by Isabel Allende
 - *The Pharaoh's Secret* by Clive Cussler
 - *Ashley Bell* by Dean Koontz
 - *The First Hostage* by Joel C. Rosenberg
 - *The Nightingale* by Kristin Hannah
 - *After She's Gone* by Lisa Jackson
 - *14th Deadly Sin* by James Patterson
 - *Feverborn* by Karen Marie Moning
 - *Blue* by Danielle Steel
 - *The Bitter Season* by Tami Hoag
 - *NYPD Red 4* by James Patterson
 - *Scandalous Behavior* by Stuart Woods
- Young Adult**
 - *It's Your World: Get Inspired, Get Going!* by Chelsea Clinton
 - *Rot & Ruin, #1* by Jonathan Maberry
 - *Flesh and Bone, #3* by Jonathan Maberry
 - *Bits & Pieces, #5* by Jonathan Maberry
- Juvenile**
 - *House of Robots* by James Patterson
 - *5-Minute Star Wars Stories* by Lucasfilms
- Children**
 - *I Love You Already!* by Jory John & Benji Davies
 - *Bunny Dreams* by Peter McCarty
- Nonfiction**
 - *Concussion* by Jeanne Marie Laskas
 - *Been There, Done That* by Al Roker and Deborah Roberts

Strategies to manage SDS in soybeans

Two seasons ago, growers had disastrous yields where soybean fields were infected by Sudden Death Syndrome (SDS). Yields in some fields were cut by 50 percent. Typically, severely infected fields reduce yields by 20 percent. Last year, soybean fields were also infected with SDS but the disease was not as damaging. Planning to manage this disease begins before planting.

SDS is caused by a fungus that lives in the soil. Once the field is infected, growers will need to continue to manage for this disease. The disease infects plants early in the season, especially when it rains after planting.

Resistant varieties are one of the most important strategies to limit damage from the disease; however, there are no varieties that will completely prevent SDS. Varieties have varying levels of genetic resistance and therefore growers are encouraged to plant different varieties with resistance to reduce disease risk.

A new strategy is the use of a seed treatment containing the active ingredient fluopyram. This seed treatment has shown efficacy against this disease. The treatment is expensive but data from universities indicates increased soybean yields. The University of Missouri (MU) Extension encourages growers to test the product in the fields and determine the effectiveness in their operations.

For more information, contact Wayne Flanary at 660-446-3724.00. or Kurt Nagel at 816-776-6961, Regional Agronomists, MU Extension.

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Area Church Information

BIG LAKE

Big Lake Baptist Church

213 Lake Shore Dr., Craig, MO
 Dick Lionberger, Interim Pastor
 Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

CRAIG

Craig Presbyterian Church

No Worship Service - Cliff McNair, Pastor

Craig Community Church of the Nazarene

105 S. Ensworth Street • Keith Knaak, Pastor
 Sunday School, 9:15 a.m., Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.
 Wed. Night Bible Study, 5:30 p.m.

Church of God

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m., Worship, 11:00 a.m.

FILLMORE

The Lighthouse

South I-29, Exit 65 • Pastors Tim and Faith Uzzle
 Sunday Worship: 10:00 a.m., Children's Sermon 10:30 a.m.
 For more info.: 816-564-8234 • www.fillmorelighthousechurch.org

GRAHAM

Graham Union Church

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.
 Randy Grimm, Pastor

United Methodist Church

David A. Shadinger, Pastor
 Sunday School, 10:15 a.m., Worship, 9 a.m.

MAITLAND

First Christian Church

4th and Ash • Bill Gazaway, Pastor
 Sunday School, 9:15 a.m., Worship Service, 10 a.m.
 Sunday Night Worship, 7 p.m., Wed., Youth Rallies, 7 p.m.

United Methodist Church

217 S. Maple Avenue • David A. Shadinger, Pastor
 Worship Service, 10:15 a.m.

MOUND CITY

Christian Fellowship

18080 Hwy. 59
 Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

1413 Nebraska St. • Rev. Brian Lemcke
 Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.
 Bible Class or Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.

First Christian Church

402 E. 5th Street • Paul Grant, Pastor
 Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., Worship, 10:30 a.m.
 Wednesdays- Bible Study, 12 p.m.
 www.firstchristianmoundcity.org

Mound City Baptist Church

1308 Savannah Street • Pastor Nathan Lowe
 Worship Service - 9:30 a.m.
 Breakfast Refreshments & Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.

Mound City United Methodist Church

312 E. 7th St. • Pastor Megan Winget
 Sunday School, 9 a.m., Sunday Service, 10 a.m.

New Liberty Baptist Church

The little church with a big heart.
 Will Haer, Pastor • 816-261-9243
 Sunday School, 10 a.m., Worship, 10:30 a.m.
 County Road 140, Mound City

New Life Apostolic Assembly

U.P.C.I. - 307 E. 6th, Mound City • Pastor Scott Jordan
 Worship Service, 11 a.m.
 Life Night Bible Study & Revolution Youth Group
 Thursdays, 6:30 p.m.
 www.newlifeupci.org - 660-442-3441

OREGON

St. Patrick's Catholic Church

303 Grand, Forest City • Father Peter Ullrich, OSB
 Pastor and Parish Administrator

Faith Fellowship Church

27772 Hwy. 59, Oregon • Minister Dan Cravatt
 Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m.
 Area Youth Group - Wednesdays - 5:00 p.m.
 660-446-2031

Oregon United Methodist Church

100 E. Missouri St., Oregon • Megan Winget, Pastor
 Sunday School, 10 a.m., Worship Service, 11 a.m.

New Point Christian Church

24135 Stone Hill Rd. • Brian Buck, Minister
 Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., Worship, 10:30 a.m.
 Fellowship Dinner, 4th Sunday of month following church

Oregon Baptist Church

104 N. Barbour St., Oregon • Gene Lee, Pastor
 Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

FOREST CITY

Forest City United Methodist Church

103 N. Walnut St., Forest City • Pastor Megan Winget
 Worship Service, 10 a.m.

Forest City Christian Church

401 Grand Ave., Forest City • Pastor Jim Brown
 Worship Service, 9:00 a.m.

REGIONAL

River of Hope Fellowship

Hwy. 159 & I-29, Mound City
 Pastor David Showalter - 660-442-6305 • Pastor Will Certain - 816-824-5866
 Sunday School, 9:15 a.m., Worship, 10:30 a.m.
 Youth Group Every Sunday - 6-8 p.m.

Local resident named to Dean's List at William Jewell College

Rachel L. Binder of Forest City, MO, was named to the Dean's List at William Jewell College for the 2015 fall semester. Rachel is a first year nursing and Applied Critical Thought and Inquiry major at the college located in Liberty, MO.

To qualify for the Dean's List, a student must earn at least a 3.7 grade point average while carrying 14 or more graded semester hours.

MSU releases Fall 2015 Dean's List

Each semester, students during the fall semester and at least a 3.50 grade point average (on a 4.00 scale).

Students from Mound City making the Dean's List are:
 • Prent L. Eaton
 • Devin L. Nauman

Managing herbicide resistant weed meeting

A regional meeting focusing on herbicide resistant weeds will be held Tuesday, Feb. 23, at the T.J. Hall Building in Oregon, MO. The meeting will begin at 6 p.m. Please pre-register for the meeting by calling the Holt County University of Missouri (MU) Extension office at 660-446-3724, to allow for adequate resources and handouts for the meeting. There is a small fee to cover meeting expense.

The meeting will primarily focus on glyphosate resistant waterhemp and will examine different herbicide families and strategies that can be used to manage resistance. Techniques discussed will be pre-emergence herbicide strategies, over-lapping residuals, herbicide application rates, Liberty herbicide and new herbicide trait technologies. Growers will receive a number of resources to help in building a herbicide management program.

The meeting will be conducted by Wayne Flanary, Regional Agronomist, MU Extension. For more information, contact the Holt County Extension office at 660-446-3724.



Participants in the "Create and Keep" Workshop - At the T.J. Hall Building in Oregon, MO, put the finishing touches on refurbished picture frames on Saturday, Jan. 16. The workshop was hosted by Lisa and Craig Lark of Front Porch Fix-Ups of Oregon.

First "Create and Keep" Workshop held in Oregon

The first Create & Keep Workshop was held Saturday, Jan. 16, at the T.J. Hall Building in Oregon, MO. Create & Keep Workshops were started and are hosted by Front Porch Fix-Ups, owned by Lisa and Craig Lark of Oregon. It is a small business that sells repurposed, upcycled and hand crafted furniture and home decor in antique malls in St. Joseph, MO, at vendor fairs and online.

Lisa recently started offering workshops as a way for people to get together and learn a craft skill in a fun and relaxing environment. The participants learn the skill hands-on by creating a personal project to take home to keep. The first classes are teaching how to transfer images to surfaces using an artist's gel medium. Each person learns how to do the image transfer by transferring a personal picture to wood for a unique display of a family or favorite photo.

The January class had local participants and ladies from Savannah, MO, St Joseph, Clarksdale, MO, and Maryville, MO, join in on the fun. They made a personal image transfer project and were also able to make a second project with upcycled old picture frames and scrabble letter art. Everyone had a great time and were proud of the projects.

Lisa plans to expand into offering various types of workshops, teaching different crafting skills and making "online craft-style" projects. The next image transfer class will be offered on Saturday, Feb. 20, at the T.J. Hall Building. Reserve a seat online at www.frontporchfixups.com, on the Front Porch Fix-Ups Facebook page, at eventgrid.com, by email at frontporchfixups@gmail.com or by contacting Lisa at 816-273-2617.

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Announce new baby boy

Tiffany Twyman and Nathaniel Eddy of Maitland, MO, are pleased to announce the birth of their new baby boy, Gary Keith Twyman-Eddy. He was born at Community Hospital-Fairfax, MO, at 9:12 a.m. on Friday, January 29, 2016. He weighed eight pounds, 11 ounces, and is welcomed home by sibling, Dakota Smith, age 12.

Maternal grandparents are Gail and Richard Smith of Fairfax and the late Terry Max Twyman. Paternal grandparents are Mathew Henderson of St. Joseph, MO, and the late Jerri Kibbe. Maternal great-grandparents are the late Evelyn and Owen Peters and the late Carol Eddy.



"ASHES to GO" to kick off Easter Season

A non-traditional observance for Ash Wednesday on Wednesday, February 10, will be held at the Mound City United Methodist Church at 312 East 7th Street.

Come by, just as you are, and bring a friend. Pastor Janis Rooda will be in the parking lot of the church for individual prayer, meditation, blessing and ashes as desired from 7-8 a.m. or 3-4 p.m.

A traditional Ash Wednesday observance will be held inside the church at 6 p.m. All are welcome.

Woodville Presbyterian Church to celebrate "Souper Bowl Sunday"

Beginning this Sunday, February 7, the Woodville Presbyterian Church in Oregon, MO, will commence worship at 9:45 a.m. followed by Sunday School at 11 a.m. This Sunday also marks the celebration of "Souper Bowl Sunday", which will be observed by the collection of cash and checks that are designated for Interserv in St Joseph, MO. The congregation is led by Reverend Charles David Cliburn.

Happenings in Graham, MO

Submitted by Michelle Brown

A meeting of the Graham, MO, Community Betterment organization was held on Tuesday, January 26, 2016. Those present were President Richard Vogel; Vice President Randy Hankins; Secretary Anna Lea Lance; Treasurer Terri Vogel; Stan Sportsman, Dick Smith, Kevin Rosenbohm and Michelle Brown. During the annual meeting, it was voted to retain the current officers. Building board members are Rich Vogel, Kevin Rosenbohm and Stan Sportsman. Park board members are Lee Ann Albertson and Randy Hankins.

Michelle Brown gave a report on Halloween night treats in the building during the regular meeting. This group had the bake sale at the November Fish Fry and will have a bake sale at the April Fish Fry as well.

The fence around the basketball court was completed last Fall by Jared Helzer Fencing. The ceiling of the building is now being finished by Timberview Roofing and Siding (Royce and Chris Clement). It is being insulated and white tin installed. Part will be acoustic tin. Barn boards were put on the upper part of the north end. A dual purpose furnace was installed in

the kitchen to heat and cool that room, the bathrooms and also help with heat in the front room. Dan Carter of First Choice Heating and Cooling was the installer and just finished in January. More electrical work needs to be done by Gerald Aldredge.

The Boy Scouts are using the building on Saturday, February 13, for their Blue and Gold Banquet and Sunday, February 14, for their Pancake, Sausage, Biscuits and Gravy meal.

The "Welcome to Graham" sign on the north end of the park was hit by a truck. It will be replaced in the same location. The next meeting of Graham Community Betterment is Tuesday, February 23, at 7 p.m. The next Lions Club Fish and Chicken Fry is Saturday, February 6.

Benefit meal for Community Food Pantry

Sunday, Feb. 21st
 Dinner @ 5:30 p.m.
 Movie @ 6:30 p.m.

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Holt County Commissioners address transmission line road deterioration and new substation

The Holt County Commission met Monday, Jan. 25, 2016, at 9 a.m. in the Holt County Courthouse in Oregon, MO. Presiding Commissioner Mark Sitherwood, First District Commissioner Bill Gordon and Second District Commissioner David Carroll were in attendance.

Commissioner Carroll made a motion to enter into closed session for personnel matters. Commissioner Gordon seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Following discussion, Commissioner Gordon made a motion to exit closed session. Commissioner Carroll seconded the motion and the motion passed.

No votes were taken.

Angie Springs and Kevin Kirby, American Red Cross, joined the commission to discuss the ongoing partnership with Holt County for emergency response to disasters

including sheltering, large scale response and small response to family emergencies in the community.

Wayne Flanary, University Extension, joined the commission to present the 2015 Annual Report.

Treasurer Gay Quick met with the commission to present the six-month settlement of funds for Holt County as of December 31, 2015.

Road and Bridge Supervisor Daryl Biermann joined the commission to discuss work plans for the upcoming year.

R.T. Turner, Kansas City Power and Light (KCP&L), appeared before the commission to discuss a recent filing before the Public Service Commission for a new substation in northern Holt County. The substation will be used to connect wind generated power from a new wind farm in Atchison County

to the new transmission line in Holt County. Discussion was also taken up on the need for repairs to roadways related to the use of heavy equipment and crane on the transmission line project.

Presiding Commissioner Sitherwood, in his capacity as Emergency Management Director, reported that he attended a Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) rail disaster training in Riverside, MO, recently and that he is planning for storm spotter training in March, with more details to follow.

County Clerk Kathy J. Holstine presented minutes for approval. Following review, Commissioner Carroll made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Commissioner Gordon seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Being no further business, the commission adjourned until Monday, Feb. 1, 2016.

Search for Missouri Century Farms continues

If a farm has been in a family since Dec. 31, 1916, an application can be filled out to have it recognized as a Missouri Century Farm.

To qualify, farms must meet the following guidelines. The same family must have owned the farm for 100 consecutive years. The line of ownership from the original settler or buyer may be through children, grandchildren, siblings, and nephews or nieces, including through marriage or adoption. The farm must be at least 40 acres of the original land acquisition and make a financial contribution to the overall farm income.

"One hundred consecutive years of family ownership of a farm is a milestone to be recognized from a cultural and stewardship perspective," said Tom

Henderson, interim vice provost for University of Missouri (MU) Extension.

In 2008, the Missouri Farm Bureau joined MU Extension and the MU College of Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources as a program sponsor.

"Missouri Farm Bureau is a proud partner in the recognition of century farms," said Blake Hurst, president. "We applaud the hard-working farm families that have kept us fed and clothed for generations. They represent an important part of our heritage and laid a foundation for the bounty Americans enjoy every day."

Applicants certified as owners of a 2016 Missouri Century Farm will be recognized by the local MU Extension center in

the county where the farm is located. Applicants are presented with a sign and a certificate.

Since Missouri began the program in 1976, more than 8,000 century farms have been recognized.

Applications must be post-

marked by May 16, 2016, to be considered. For application forms and information, call Extension Publications toll-free at 1-800-292-0969, contact a local MU Extension office, or visit the program website at <http://extension.missouri.edu/centuryfarm>.

Early discounts on golf memberships if paid before March 1, 2016, at the MOUND CITY GOLF COURSE

Family Membership - \$475 before March 1, and \$500 after.
Single Membership - \$375 before March 1, and \$400 after.
Student Membership - \$125 **Cart Shed Rent** - \$185
Women's League - \$58.00 **Men's League** - \$65.00

Remit to: Mound City Golf Course,
 PO Box 123, Mound City, MO 64470

This Week's History

From the *Mound City News* archives

50 Years Ago - 1966

- An open house for the general public was held at the modern plant of Missouri Beef Packers, Inc., 4.5 miles west of Rock Port. The MBP plant was all steel, concrete, glass and tile construction, requiring a minimum of maintenance. The design of vertical prefabricated concrete slabs, with imbedded insulation, was unique in the industry. Plans were underway for a municipal airport across Highway 136 from the MBP plant that would serve cattle buyers, flying feeders and other segments of the meat industry.

- The Missouri State Highway Commission requested bids for construction and improvements covering 133 miles of the state's highways, including .7 mile grading and bridging from the Andrew County line west in Holt County. This would include a bridge over the Nodaway River.

- The Mound City R-II School had assumed the Kindergarten program. Being able to make it a part of the school system was made possible by federal funds allotted to the school through the elementary secondary education act of 1965.

25 Years Ago - 1991

- It had been a busy business week in downtown Mound City. Rose Petals, Kris Riebesell's new flower shop, opened in the old Griffith Building on 7th Street. Rogers Pharmacy moved out of the building next to The Clinic and reopened in Rogers Store, across the street and a block north. Ron Jordening of Falls City closed on his purchase of the building at 611 State Street from John Wyeth. Jordening planned to open a Bredeaux Pizza after making repairs to the building.

- Four Mound City students were first place winners in an annual American History essay contest sponsored by William White Chapter, DAR. They were David Meyer, fifth grade; Letitia Biermann, sixth grade; Kelley Morris, seventh grade; and Tim Rose, eighth grade.

- Craig Courtwarming King and Queen were Clarissa Russell and Mitch Bye, both juniors.

- Craig FFA Greenhand members that attended the annual motivational conference were: Tim Sellmeyer, John Moser, Brian Mutchler, Kelly Thomas, Charlie Kirwan, Darrin Roseman, Michael Carris, Brandon Roup, Stephanie Rhoades, and adviser, Mr. Monroe.

10 Years Ago - 2006

- The annual chili cook-off at the Mound City Elementary School resulted in 315 votes being counted for best chili and Krista Burge's fifth-graders winning for the fifth consecutive year.

- Bob Ottman, elementary principal at South Holt since 2000, would take over as the school superintendent effective July 1. He would replace Linda Blum, who was recently named superintendent at Tarkio.

- Holt County finished 2005 with a general fund surplus of \$238,648, down 25 percent (just over \$78,000) from 2004, according to Holt County Clerk Sue Kneale. Commissioners adopted a \$5 million 2006 budget that projected a six-percent increase in general fund revenues, compared to a one-percent increase in 2005.

- Despite pressure from Atchison County commissioners to help pay for emergency dispatching there, the Holt County Sheriff's Department took over dispatching of ambulance calls here. Ambulance District Director George Duff had said he thought all ambulances should be dispatched at the same place for safety reasons.

What do you remember?

The Holt County Historical Society is looking for answers to these questions that have been submitted by researchers.

GENEALOGY RESEARCH WILL UNCOVER MENTION OF TOWNS, VILLAGES, POST OFFICES, COMMUNITIES, AND SETTLEMENTS THAT NO LONGER EXIST. AS HOLT COUNTY CELEBRATES 175 YEARS, IT IS FUN TO DISCOVER THAT HISTORY AND GET TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THE EARLY SETTLERS!



MAITLAND

A large group was gathered to welcome home the Maitland Division of the 4th Regiment in 1887. A reception hosted by the Ladies Soldiers and Sailors Aid Society included speeches and reunions. John F. Barnard purchased lots on April 30, 1880, and Maitland was filed on May 12, 1880. A railroad town, it derived its name from John S. Maitland, one of the surveyors for the C. B. & Q. Railroad. Remember when the Main Street of Maitland was filled with these tall brick businesses?

WHIG VALLEY

Theodore Higley was the first settler in Whig Valley about 1845. The town was named in honor of his Whig political party. Whig Valley was platted January 1, 1877. Sometime later it was often referred to as White's Ford as that was a nearby crossing on the Nodaway River. Theodore Higley and his wife Ann are both buried in the Schooler Graveyard located south of Maitland. In 1880, Whig Valley was absorbed by the town of Maitland.

KING'S GROVE

King's Grove and Whig Valley both began about the same time. In 1839, the area was referred to as Roland's Grove. About 1848, William King and his wife, their four sons, William King Jr., George, Thomas and John, arrived to the area and thereafter it was King's Grove. A post office was established July 1, 1875. It was absorbed into the town of Maitland in 1880.

DEHORNVILLE

This was "a new town north of Maitland with lots for sale" in an 1891 *Mound City News* clipping.

RICHVILLE

Richville was the only town established in Nodaway Township. The community settlement was thriving as early as 1847. The town, laid out in 1860, included a brick church, a school district, doctors, and a nearby stage road. A high school opened there on March 22, 1858. According to a *Holt County Sentinel* undated clipping, the town of Richville was located near the Nodaway Rapids, one of four principal fording locations into Holt County in 1836, on the Nodaway River. The other locations were White's near Maitland, and Thrailkill's/Praisewater's and DeBolt's, both near New Point.

HELWIG

The post office at Helwig was named in honor of its first postmaster, Joseph Helwig, and was dedicated January 7, 1896. An 1896 Holt County newspaper announced a "St. Valentine's Eve ball will be given by the club at Hibbard's Hall in Helwig".



FOREST CITY WHARF

An undated *Holt County Sentinel* clipping in the society's center files tells the story of this brick warehouse building in Forest City. Built by Nave, Turner & Co., it was a landmark on the Missouri River for steamboats and shipping. At that time the river channel formed an elbow and came almost to the eastern bluffs. On August 10, 1868, the channel changed overnight and the Missouri River was located two and one-half miles west of Forest City. The town of Forest City was first filed on May 16, 1857, and was incorporated in 1861. The town was filed August 30, 1868.

This information was obtained from numerous historical records, news clippings, and publications at the Holt County Historical Society Center in Mound City. Closed for a brief time during the winter, the opening date will soon be announced. Regular hours are Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., with volunteers there to assist with history and genealogy research. Call 660-442-5949 and leave a message or e-mail lizb@embarqmail.com for information.

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Mound City Police Department report

The Mound City Police Department submitted the following civil and criminal responses from January 25-31, 2016:

January 25, 2016

15:05 - **Motorist Assist:** Chief John Panning assisted a resident who was having car trouble.

17:04 - **Past Property Damage:** Follow-up with owner. Everything was taken care of.

21:26 - **Irate Customer:** Citizen reported irate customer at business. Checked with business and everything was okay.

22:56 - **Commercial Alarm:** Alarm company reporting alarm. Business was checked and alarm cleared.

23:48 - **Vehicle Check:** Vehicle found with warning lights on, checked and owner notified. Handled by officer.

January 26, 2016

10:45 - **Presentation:** Chief

Panning did presentation on transportation to Head Start students on patrol vehicle.

17:58 - **Traffic Enforcement Stop:** Warning given for equipment violation.

18:04 - **Follow-Up, Past Report:** Follow-up investigation. Handled by officer.

21:38 - **Medical Emergency:** Citizen reported medical emergency at residence. Handled by officer and Atchison-Holt Ambulance.

January 27, 2016

14:38 - **Inappropriate Messages:** Citizen reported receiving inappropriate messages. Report taken.

16:33 - **Attempted Warrant Service:** Checked residence for wanted person. No contact.

22:45 - **Traffic Enforcement Stop:** Speeding. Driver arrested for Driving while Intoxicated

(Dwl) and transported to Holt County Jail. Citations issued and booked into jail.

January 28, 2016

18:45 - **Careless Driver:** Citizen reported vehicle's careless driver ran him off the road. Handled by officer.

23:51 - **Traffic Enforcement Stop:** Warning for equipment violation.

January 29, 2016

18:12 - **Traffic Enforcement Stop:** Citation given for stop sign violation.

14:00 - **Motorist Assist:** Chief Panning assisted a motorist.

19:17 - **Fire Reported:** Checked a fire and found it to be a controlled burn.

January 30, 2016

18:07 - **People in Roadway:** Citizen reported people in roadway by residence. Check was made and people gone on arrival.

18:10 - **Dog at Large:** Citizen reported dog at residence. Handled by officer.

00:55 - **Vehicle Check:** Vehicle found with hazard lights on in parking lot. Vehicle was checked and officer tried to find owner of vehicle. Owner not located.

01:18 - **Suspicious Vehicle:** Checked a vehicle parked at a closed business. Handled by officer.

01:24 - **Suspicious Vehicle:** Checked a vehicle parked at a closed business. Handled by officer.

January 31, 2016

16:22 - **Return Property:** Returned property to owner.

20:24 - **Outside Agency Assist:** Chief Panning assisted the Holt County Sheriff's Department on a medical emergency at a residence. Handled by officer.



Sheriff's Office Weekly Report

HOLT COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
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The Holt County Sheriff's Office in Oregon, MO, submitted the following civil and criminal responses from January 25-31, 2016:

January 25, 2016

10:20 - **Property Damage:** A deputy was dispatched to a residence in Oregon for a report of property damage. A report was taken.

12:54 - **Check Well-being:** Sheriff Scott Wedlock and a deputy responded to a call for a well-being check of a Maitland, MO, resident. The individual was fine.

16:30 - **Car Check:** A caller reported a white van with no license plates on the side of the road in Mound City. A deputy was dispatched and tagged the vehicle for removal.

January 26, 2016

11:20 - **Check Well-being:** A deputy assisted with a well-being check on an Oregon resident.

January 27, 2016

17:06 - **Disturbance, Other:** A deputy and the Oregon Police Department were dispatched to an Oregon residence for a disturbance report.

22:51 - **Traffic Stop:** A deputy and Troop H of the Missouri State Highway Patrol (MSHP) assisted the Mound City Police Department with a traffic stop in Mound City. The driver was taken into custody and booked on a Driving while Intoxicated (Dwl) investigation.

January 28, 2016

16:18 - **Prisoner Release:** A male inmate was bonded out of jail.

18:43 - **Careless and Imprudent (C&I) Driver:** A caller reported a reckless driver in Mound City. The Mound City Police Department and a deputy were dispatched.

January 29, 2016

09:38 - **Prisoner Transport, Medical:** A deputy transported a male inmate to a medical appointment.

11:45 - **Suspicious Vehicle:** A report was made of a beige Cadillac with mechanical problems parked in New Point, MO. Motorists reported to be acting strange and refused assistance. A deputy was dispatched, however the motorists were gone upon arrival.

14:06 - **Prisoner Booking:** An inmate was booked for a 48-hour weekend commitment.

14:57 - **Animal in Road:** A deputy was dispatched to Mound City for a report of an injured deer.

15:51 - **Prisoner Booking:** An inmate was processed for a 48-hour commitment.

16:30 - **Prisoner Booking/Release:** An inmate was brought in and booked on a warrant.

18:42 - **Prisoner Transport:** A deputy transported an inmate to Andrew County for medical housing.

23:15 - **Burglary in Progress:** A deputy was dispatched to a residence in Oregon for a reported burglary. A report was taken.

02:11 - **Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Call:** Troop H of the MSHP and the Atchison-Holt Ambulance responded to a report of a semi that was on its side on Interstate 29 near Mound City. One patient was transported to a hospital.

January 30, 2016

16:01 - **C&I Driving:** There was a report of male individuals carelessly riding motorcycles and all terrain vehicles on Highway 111 in Craig, MO. A deputy was dispatched and issued a warning.

January 31, 2016

14:08 - **Inmate Release:** An inmate was released after completing a weekend commitment.

15:46 - **Traffic Stop:** A deputy issued a warning for failure to stop at a stop sign in Oregon.

15:52 - **Inmate Release:** An inmate was released after completing a weekend commitment.

16:30 - **Accident, Non-Injury:** A deputy was dispatched to Craig where a motorist had driven their car into a field. Troop H of the MSHP was dispatched for a damage report. No injuries were reported.

19:08 - **EMS Call:** A deputy was dispatched for a civil standby in Craig. A male reported having chest pains and was transported by the Atchison-Holt Ambulance to a hospital.

Holt County Court news

The following cases were heard in Holt County Circuit Court before Judge Roger M. Prokes at the Holt County Courthouse in Oregon, MO, on Wednesday, February 3, 2016:

State vs. Travis Dale Anderson - Criminal Setting on Felony Dist/Del/Manf/Produce Or Attempt To Or Possess W/Intent To Dist/Del/Manf/Produce A Controlled Substance. Case filed on December 8, 2015.

State vs. Christopher M. Hart - Return Scheduled on Felony Tampering With Motor Vehicle - 1st Degree; and Resisting/Interfering With Arrest For A Felony. Case filed on January 5, 2016.

State vs. Dylan Andrew Hart - Sentenc-

ing Hearing on Felony Tampering With Motor Vehicle - 1st Degree; and Burglary - 1st Degree. Case filed on November 24, 2015.

State vs. Michelle L. Lawson - Probation Violation Hearing on Felony Possession Of Controlled Substance Except 35 Grams Or Less Of Marijuana - (Suspended Execution of Sentence) - Supervised Probation. Case filed December 2, 2014.

Townes Missouri Inc. vs. Northwest Missouri Holdings - Motion Hearing on Foreclosure Judgments Entered. Case filed March 21, 2014.

Kendra E. Yeager vs. Jeffery R. Van-Gundy - Motion Hearing on Paternity Judgment Entered. Case filed October 17, 2014.

State vs. Melissa A. Lehmer - Disposition Hearing on Felony Non-Support In Each Of Six Individual Months Within Any Twelve-Month Period, Amount Owed Is In Excess Of \$5,000 - (Suspended Execution of Sentence) - Supervised Probation. Case filed February 23, 2009.

State vs. James A. Miller - Criminal Motion Hearing on Felony Non-Support, Total Arrears In Excess Of 12 Monthly Payments Due Under Order Of Support - Suspended Imposition of Sentence - Supervised Probation - Probation Revoked - (Suspended Execution of Sentence) - Supervised Probation. Case filed August 10, 2012.

Robert T. Jackson and Monica Jackson to Samuel Bradford Jackson and Natalie N. Jackson, Oregon, MO - Commencing at the northwest corner of Section 1, Township 59 North, Range 37 West (see record for complete description).

Lansing E. Worley, Deceased, by Personal Representative, to Lavona L. Worley - Lots 20, 21, 22, 23, 1, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and the south half of Lot 24 in Block 59 of the original town of Forest City, MO; the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 17, Township 60, Range 38; and the north 12 acres of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 17, Township 60, Range 38.

William R. Jones (Deceased) Estate, by Personal Representative, to Gloria Carlson and Thomas R. Jones Trust, by Trustee, Stanberry, MO - East 51 acres of the west one-half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 6, Township 58, Range 37 (see record for complete description).

Gloria E. Carlson to Jones Boys Farms, LLC, Stanberry, MO - An undivided one-

sixth interest in the following tracts: East 51 acres of the west one-half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 5, Township 58, Range 37 (see record for complete description).

Thomas R. Jones Trust, By Trustee, to Pamela J. Carlson Trust, by Trustee, Stanberry, MO - East 51 acres of the west one-half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 5, Township 58, Range 37 (see record for complete description).

Pamela J. Carlson Trust, by Trustee, to Jones Boys Farms, LLC, Stanberry, MO - An undivided one-sixth interest in the following tracts: East 51 acres of the west one-half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 5, Township 58, Range 37 (see record for complete description).

RS Enterprises, LLC, to Renner Properties, LLC, Platte City, MO - The East Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 14, Township 59, Range 37 (see record for complete description).

In Re: Survey for Ridge Yates to Ridge Yates - Lots 11 and 12 in McCoy's Second Addition to Mound City.

Holt County traffic violations

The following traffic and conservation violations that occurred in Holt County were paid through the Missouri Judiciary Fine Collection Center in Jefferson City, MO:

Lisa A. Blagdon, Omaha, NE - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 Miles Per Hour [MPH]). Case filed December 4, 2015. Case disposed January 26, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Daniel W. Bowness, Forest City, MO - Pursuing/Taking/Killed/Possessed or Disposed of Wildlife Illegally. Case filed December 20, 2015. Case disposed January 26, 2016. Fine Amount: \$49.50.

Dane Michael Coffee, Roseville, CA - Failed to Drive Within Right Lane of Hwy. With 2 or More Lanes in Same Direction. Case filed January 7, 2016. Case disposed January 27, 2016. Fine Amount: \$30.50.

Chad Douglas Corcoran, Savannah, MO - Driver/Front Seat Passenger Fail to Wear Properly Adjusted/Fastened Safety Belt. Case filed December 23, 2015. Case disposed January 23, 2016. Fine Amount: \$10.00.

Dalton James Dryburgh, Brainerd, MN - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 MPH). Case filed January 10, 2016. Case disposed January 25, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Miguel Armando Espinozagaldamez, Shawnee, KS - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 16-19 MPH). Case filed January 18, 2016. Case disposed January 27, 2016. Fine Amount: \$80.50.

Miguel Armando Espinozagaldamez, Shawnee, KS - Operate Vehicle on Highway Without a Valid License, First Offense. Case filed January 18, 2016. Case disposed January 27, 2016. Fine Amount: \$80.50.

Emma K. Ezzell, Oregon, MO - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 16-19 MPH). Case filed December 27, 2015. Case disposed January 27, 2016. Fine Amount: \$80.50.

Austina M. Falcone, Papillion, NE - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 MPH). Case filed January 10, 2016. Case disposed January 22, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Brendonnica Deliah Hill, Raytown, MO - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 20-25 MPH). Case filed December 25, 2015. Case disposed January 25, 2016. Fine Amount: \$155.50.

Timmy Lee Hoover, Inglis, FL - Operate Vehicle on Highway Without a Valid License, First Offense. Case filed December 22, 2015. Case disposed January 25, 2016. Fine Amount: \$80.50.

Anthony L. Kermmode, Odessa, NE - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 MPH). Case filed December 4, 2015. Case disposed January 23, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Adrian Sabina Knotek, Council Bluffs, IA - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 20-25 MPH). Case filed January 10, 2016. Case disposed January 25, 2016. Fine Amount: \$155.50.

Kordell McCory McNabb, Milford, NE - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 16-19 MPH). Case filed January 1, 2016. Case disposed January 24, 2016. Fine Amount: \$80.50.

Marc Bernard Mezzacappa, Omaha, NE - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 MPH). Case filed January 8, 2016. Case disposed January 22, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Christina Noelle Morrison, Durant, OK - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 16-19 MPH). Case filed December 23, 2015. Case disposed January 21, 2016. Fine Amount: \$80.50.

Adam Justin Nash, Grain Valley, MO - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 16-19 MPH). Case filed January 8, 2016. Case disposed January 22, 2016. Fine Amount: \$80.50.

Celeste A. Neubauer, Olathe, KS - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 MPH). Case filed December 2, 2015. Case disposed January 22, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Jayasheel Pallapati, St. Louis Park, MN - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 MPH). Case filed January 10, 2016. Case disposed January 26, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Wendy Aileen Palmeira, Tallahassee, FL - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 16-19 MPH). Case filed January 14, 2016. Case disposed January 26, 2016. Fine Amount: \$80.50.

Taylor Nelson Penton, Papillion, NE - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 20-25 MPH). Case filed November 24, 2015. Case disposed January 22, 2016. Fine Amount: \$155.50.

Lacey Nichole Swanson, Conroe, TX - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 20-25 MPH). Case filed January 10, 2016. Case disposed January 22, 2016. Fine Amount: \$155.50.

Lacey Nichole Swanson, Conroe, TX - Driver Failed to Secure Child Less Than 16 Years Old in Properly Adjusted/Fastened Restraint. Case filed January 10, 2016. Case disposed January 22, 2016. Fine Amount: \$10.00.

Parker Hunt Walet, Omaha, NE - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 MPH). Case filed January 10, 2016. Case filed January 24, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Nicholas Adam Ward, Lawrence, KS - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 MPH). Case filed December 22, 2015. Case filed January 26, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Ronald G. Whitehead, Omaha, NE - Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (Exceeded by 11-15 MPH). Case filed January 22, 2016. Case disposed January 22, 2016. Fine Amount: \$55.50.

Nathan Carl Youde, Falls City, NE - Operate Vehicle on Highway Without a Valid License, First Offense. Case filed December 24, 2015. Case disposed January 23, 2016. Fine Amount: \$80.50.

LEGAL NOTICES



ACCEPTING BIDS

The Missouri Department of Conservation will accept bids to farm for cash rent, tracts on the Star School Hill Prairie Conservation Area in Atchison County. Mandatory pre-bid meetings will be conducted on February 19 and 26, 2016. Bidders must attend one of these meetings. Bids will be accepted until 10:00 a.m. March 4, 2016, at the Nodaway Valley Conservation Area office. For additional information contact Tom Enright at (660) 744-5328 from 8-4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Bid forms may be picked up at the Rock Port NRCS office, 302 E. Hwy. 136, Rock Port, MO, 64482, or requested from the Missouri Department of Conservation, 701 James McCarthy Dr., St. Joseph, MO, 64507. Phone: (816) 271-3100.

Holt County turns 175



B.J. Ripley, left, and Ruth Callow, right - Of the Holt County Museum and Research Center in Oregon, MO, portrayed women of Holt County during an open house at the center on Friday, Jan. 29, in conjunction with the Holt County Courthouse open house commemorating the kickoff of the 175th celebration of the founding of Holt County. Ms. Ripley was Mabel Dankers, wife of longtime Holt County Clerk, Lloyd Dankers, who served in the office for 40 years. Mrs. Callow portrayed Charlene Raiser, a prominent leader of the Oregon Presbyterian Church and the first woman appointed as an elder in the church.



(LEFT) Bryson Carson, 3, of Mound City - Enjoys his cookie (at least the icing) from the Holt County Courthouse open house on Friday, Jan. 29, kicking off the celebration of the 175th anniversary of the county. Bryson is the son of Andrew and Brooke Carson.



Area residents enter Leadership Northwest Missouri program

Twenty-two area men and women make up the newest class of Leadership Northwest Missouri (LNWMO), an annual series of workshops that bring together existing and emerging leaders from throughout the region to discover and sharpen their leadership skills, explore regional issues, and build a network of contacts throughout Northwest Missouri.

The 2016 class began with a two-day retreat, January 20-21, at Conception Abbey. The participants will gather monthly for day-long sessions in varied locations throughout the region. The series concludes with a June 30 graduation ceremony in St. Joseph, Missouri.

Members of the 2016 class and the counties represented are: Jeremy Hunter, Andrew; Jill Kingery, Atchison; Crystal Woodring, Atchison; Malinda Grant, Buchanan; Jennifer Kandel, Buchanan; Lyndsey Knadler, Buchanan; Renita Neville, Buchanan; Andi Ramsey, Buchanan; Ashley Strueby, Buchanan; Sean Beaver, Caldwell; Michelle Fagerstone, DeKalb; Shawn Gregory, Gentry; Karri Phillips, Gentry; Brent Stevens, Grundy;

Becky Poe, Holt; Pat Ryan, Holt; Staci Baker, Linn; Darrell Gardner, Linn; Jenny Moss, Livingston; Darla Shipley, Livingston; Sherry Thomas, Livingston; and Ashlee Hendrix, Nodaway.

Leadership Northwest Missouri is affiliated with the Midland Empire Resources for Independent Living (MERIL) Leadership Institute and Deb Powers serves as the Executive Director of LNWMO. "The marriage between these organizations has been very beneficial towards the sustainability of Leadership Northwest Missouri. Deb is not only the spokesperson for our organization, but is someone that we can rely on with confidence to deal with the day to day tasks that it takes to run a not-for-profit leadership program," said Ben White, LNWMO 2015 Graduate and Board President-Elect.

"Leadership Northwest Missouri has become the catalyst for identifying, training and connecting the leaders of our region and is the pathway for effective leadership for generations to come," said Dr. Tim Crowley, a local leadership expert who is one of the program's facilitators.

"There is a deliberate focus on fostering a sense of ownership for the region - that we have interdependent roles and we depend on each for the progress and success of Northwest Missouri."

Sessions incorporate a blend of classroom presentations and experiential exercises; in-depth examinations of such regional issues as workforce development, education, economic development, healthcare, community betterment and the political process round out each session.

"Regional-focused leadership development programs are the foundation for building the capacity of individuals, communities and regions to solve their own problems," Crowley said. "Participants develop leadership best practices, establish strong networks, increase ability to solve complex problems and deepen their understanding of regional needs and assets."

Please contact Deb Powers at MERIL for information on Leadership Northwest Missouri at debp@meril.org, (816) 279-8558, x.1007, or <http://www.leadershipnorthwestmissouri.org>.

Building resumes on White Rose facade



(LEFT) White Rose Restaurant and Gift in Mound City - Has resumed enclosing an entrance to the business on State Street. After property boundary lines were in question, Larry Knapp, owner of the business, had the property surveyed. The survey flags indicated Mr. Knapp was within his borders. A new concrete ramp is also at the entrance. Mr. Knapp has been working on the front of the building for several months.

Missouri Corn Growers honor partners at annual meeting

Corn farmers, industry representatives and guests from across the state gathered in Jefferson City, MO, Tuesday, Jan. 26, for the Missouri Corn Growers' Association (MCGA) annual meeting and legislative day.

The morning kicked off at the Capitol Plaza Hotel with MCGA's annual business meeting. Members elected four board members: Brent Hoerr of Palmyra, MO, to represent District 3 in north-east Missouri; Mike Moreland of Harrisonville, MO, in District 4 representing the western region; growers in central Missouri will be represented by District 5 grower Jay Fischer of Jefferson City, MO; and Clint Stephens of Advance, MO, will represent District 7 in southeast Missouri.

Following the annual meeting and luncheon, growers visited the state capitol to encourage legislators to disapprove a farmland tax increase proposed by the State Tax Commission and discuss the importance of corn and ethanol production to Missouri's economy.

"We were certainly pleased by the number of corn growers that were able to make the annual journey to Jefferson City," said MCGA President Morris Heitman of Mound City. "We realize we are a declining minority as producers of agricultural products, and so the recourse is for us to be aware of the situation, be organized and be involved."

Members also took the opportunity to honor industry supporters for their contributions to the corn and ethanol industries during a recognition dinner. Award recipients included:

- Public Servant Award**
 - Senator Mike Kehoe
 - Representative Jay Houghton
- Friend of Corn Growers Award**
 - Senator Dan Hegeman



Missouri corn growers visited the State Capitol in Jefferson City, MO - On Tuesday, Jan. 26, to visit with legislators about the importance of corn and ethanol production in the Show-Me State. Pictured (l-r) Missouri Corn board member Gary Porter of Mercer, MO; Missouri Corn CEO Gary Marshall of Jefferson City; Missouri Corn Growers' Association President Morris Heitman of Mound City; and Senator Mike Kehoe (R-Jefferson City).

- Representative Denny Hoskins
- Representative Caleb Jones
- Representative Joe Don McGaugh
- President's Award**
 - Director Richard Fordyce, Missouri Department of Agriculture
- Outstanding Partner Award**
 - Mike Vallentine and Brian Sowers, Crappie Masters
 - Chuck Studer, John Deere
- Appreciation Award**
 - Don Nikodim, Missouri Pork Association
- Honorary Lifetime Award**
 - Kevin Hurst, Tarkio, MO
 - Jim Stuever, Dexter, MO
- Outstanding Advocate**
 - Adam Casner, Carrollton, MO
 - Kate Lambert, Brookfield, MO
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Townes Missouri Inc. wins judgment against Northwest Missouri Holdings

On Wednesday, February 3, 2016, Judge Roger M. Prokes heard a Motion Hearing on Foreclosure Judgments entered in Townes Missouri Inc. vs. Northwest Missouri Holdings in Holt County Circuit Court in Oregon, MO. The Foreclosure Judgments were entered on Thursday, January 28, 2016, against Oregon Farmers Mutual Co.; Northwest Missouri Holdings Inc.; Oregon Farmers Mutual Long Distance Inc.; and South Holt Cablevision Inc.

The judgment against each entity reads as follows: \$5,192,696.18 as of January 26, 2015, with interest accruing at the rate of \$606.44 per day; immediate possession of Oregon Farmers Property, Cablevi-

sion Property and Borrower assets; foreclosure on the Oregon Farmers Property, Cablevision Property and Borrower assets to satisfy the amounts owed to Townes Missouri, Inc.; a deficiency judgment following the foreclosure; post judgment interest; court costs; and attorney fees.

The original case filed by Townes Missouri Inc. against Northwest Missouri Holdings was filed on March 21, 2014. Townes Missouri Inc. is a Delaware corporation which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Townes Telecommunications, Inc., a Texas corporation and holding company.

Don't cool exercise plan when temperatures drop

Don't drop the exercise routine when the temperatures drop, says University of Missouri (MU) Extension nutrition and health education specialist Janet Hackert. It may be necessary to modify the activities and dress warmer, but continue to exercise, she says. Hackert quotes her MU Extension colleague, Steve Ball: "Some is better than none, more is better than some and too much is difficult to get."

ing, running or skiing, chopping wood or having a snowball fight are options, Hackert says. Be alert to temperatures and wind chill and take breaks to warm up or dry off as needed. Dress in layers and protect hands, feet, head and face.

If getting outside is not an option, consider walking on a treadmill or using other exercise equipment. Walk stairs, work out with a DVD or online video, or go to the gym. Malls and large stores are free, safe choices during inclement weather, but remember that browsing aisles of merchandise doesn't count as "moderate" aerobic activity.

The American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM) recommends at least 150 minutes of moderate exercise in 30-minute intervals over five days or 75 minutes of vigorous aerobic activity in a minimum of 20-minute intervals over three days.

It's wise to check with a health professional before beginning or changing any exercise routine; and don't forget to warm up to avoid injury and improve flexibility. Major muscle-tendon groups should be stretched at least 60 seconds per group.

For more information on exercising in the winter, contact Janet Hackert at 660-425-6434 or HackertJ@missouri.edu.



January ends with "swing set" weather

A.J. Altena, 21 months - Relaxes while swinging at Griffith Park on Friday, Jan. 29. The temperatures felt more like April, with jackets merely an option at 59 degrees. A.J. is the son of Josh and Tatiana Altena, and the grandson of Randy and Cathy Altena of Mound City.

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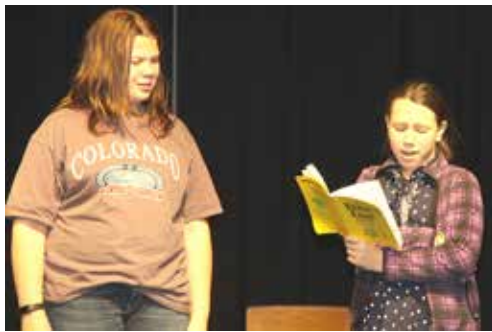
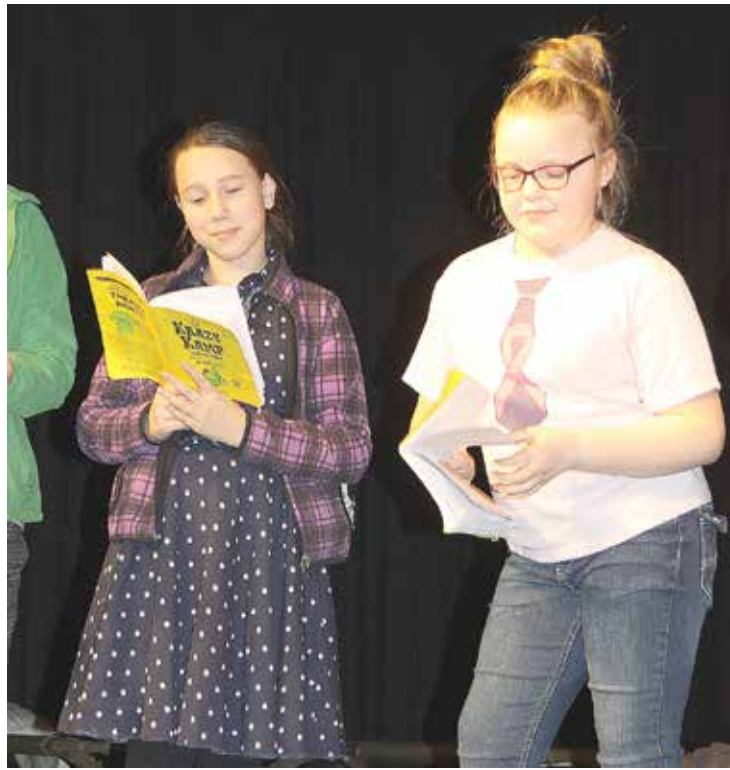
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"Krazy Kamp" is coming to State Theater in March



Kindall Morris, left, and Paige LeMoine, right - Work on a scene from "Krazy Kamp," a play coming to the State Theater in Mound City on Friday, March 18, and Saturday, March 19, at 7 p.m. by the Mound City R-2 Middle School students. Director Jan Seitz, elementary and middle school principal, says the cast is working on learning the lines and putting the books away. "This is great group of kids to work with for my final play before retirement."

2002 cast of Krazy Kamp invited back to the stage

The Mound City R-2 Middle School is busy rehearsing for "Krazy Kamp," a zany musical that was first on the stage at the State Theater in Mound City in 2002. The original cast has been invited back for a curtain call at the end of the Friday, March 18, performance.

Letters were sent to the 2002 cast, inviting members to the performance. Some members of the cast could not be located. If anyone did not receive a letter, the school would like this article to serve as an invitation.

The original cast members and their roles are:

- Kylie Staples Eve Hunnicutt
- Amanda Corbin Alva Doright
- Tim Montgomery Adam Apple
- Monty Thompson Willard
- Jenny Jackson Theodora Wolfswinkle
- Shelby Culp Vivian Vandersnap
- Kristi Owens Kate Millfloss
- Lauren Geiger Hildegard Von Fishbeck
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- Kallie Schoonover Linda Biddle
- Blaire Heck Cindy
- Eylissa Boyd Sylvia
- Jessica Krueger Jenny
- Gage Rosier Joe
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- Andrew Lehmer Ivan the Terrible
- Willie Ritchie Elmer Crumb
- Katie Bowness Cleopatra Nile
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- Lauren Haer Mrs. Thistlemist
- Shannon Culp Gloria

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Extra Girl Campers

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Script Readers

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Lights and Sound

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Props

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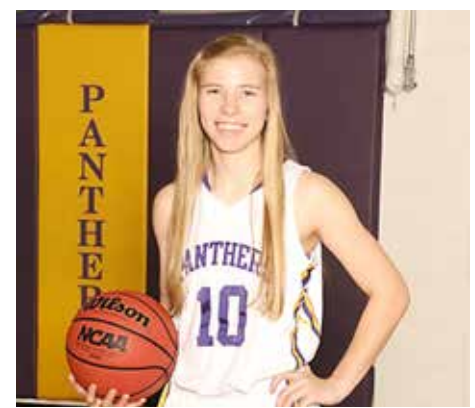
Court warming activities on Friday

This week's courtwarming activities will come to a conclusion this Friday, February 5, for Mound City, Craig and South Holt students as royalty will be crowned at the basketball games. The Mound City Panthers will be hosting West Nodaway (Burlington Jct., MO) at Mound City and the South Holt Knights will be hosting Nodaway-Holt (Maitland/Skidmore/Graham, MO) at Oregon, MO.

Both Mound City and Craig, MO, high school courtwarming candidates will be featured at 6 p.m. before the varsity games in Mound City with the Mound City queen and king crowned along with the Craig queen and

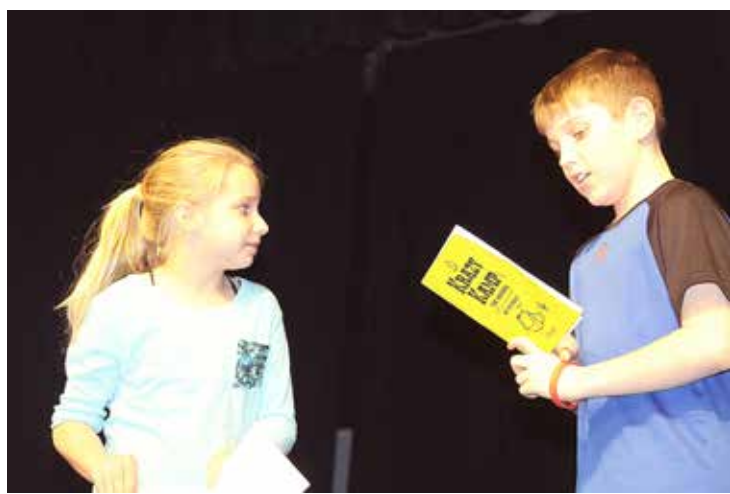
king crowning. The coronation of the South Holt royalty will take place at halftime of the boys' varsity game on Friday.

Mound City's queen and king candidates are Hillary Russell, Emily Wedlock, Kenzie Ashford, Mae Sanders, Hunter Holstine, Kyler Miles, Cooper Hollis and Jaden Gillenwater. Craig's court of honor candidates are Desiree Hufford, Kaitlyn Panning, Deanna Clayton, Jocelyn Clayton, Jamison Liles, Brandon Flint, Kobe Monroe and Ryan Long. Candidates for royalty honors at South Holt are Abby Egbert, Emma Ezzell, Hailey Markt, Dalton Blackwell, Blayne Collins and Brandon Wilson.



Kendey Eaton surpasses 1,000 career points

Mound City Lady Panther Kendey Eaton - Took the ball to the basket early in the first quarter in a non-conference game with Mid-Buchanan (Faucett, MO) on Monday, Feb. 1, at Mound City. To some, it was merely Kendey's seventh point of the game; but Kendey knew that she had just hit the 1,000th point of her high school basketball career. Most high school players don't come close to that goal, but Kendey accomplished this feat in just over three seasons. Kendey was a varsity starter as a freshman, but a knee injury early into her junior season sidelined the point guard the rest of that season. Kendey averages 14.5 points per game. Her final tally against Mid-Buchanan was 24 points.



Abby Nauman, left, and Quinton Brandon, right - Act out their parts at rehearsal for the upcoming play, "Krazy Kamp," at the State Theater in Mound City. The middle school cast members from Mound City R-2 have been rehearsing for several weeks for the Friday, March 18, and Saturday, March 19, 7 p.m. performances. Elementary and middle school principal, Jan Seitz, is directing the play.



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- February 4 - Financial Aid Meeting at Mound City R-2 - 6:30 p.m.
- February 5 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. W. Nod. at Mound City (Courtwarming) - 5 p.m.
- February 6 - Elementary Basketball Tournament at Mound City
- February 8 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. North Andrew at Rosendale, MO - 5 p.m.
- February 9 - Story Time at the Mound City Public Library - 10:30 a.m.
- February 9 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. South Nodaway at Barnard, MO - 5 p.m.
- February 9 - Mound City Board of Aldermen Meeting at City Hall - 5:30 p.m.
- February 10 - 12-Step Drug & Alcohol Recovery Program at Hwy. 159 & I-29 near Mound City - 7-8 p.m.
- February 11 - "Lunch & Learn" at Mound City Family Medicine - 12-1 p.m.
- February 12 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. South Holt at Mound City (Senior Night) - 5 p.m.
- February 14 - Valentine's Day
- February 14 - "The Sons of the Pioneers" at the State Theater - 7 p.m.
- February 15 - Presidents' Day - No School at Mound City R-2
- February 16 - Story Time at the Mound City Public Library - 10:30 a.m.
- February 16 - Mound City JV/V Basketball at Fairfax, MO - 5 p.m.
- February 17 - 12-Step Drug & Alcohol Recovery Program at Hwy. 159 & I-29 near Mound City - 7-8 p.m.
- February 19 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. North Nodaway at Hopkins, MO - 5 p.m.
- February 22-28 - Mound City V Basketball at District Tournament at Rock Port, MO - TBA

Deadline for Calendar Items is Monday Evening

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Mound City Lady Panthers settle for 2nd place in North Platte Tourney

The Mound City Lady Panthers played in the North Platte Tournament at Dearborn, MO, the week of Jan. 25-30. In pool play on Monday, Jan. 25, the Lady Panthers easily put away Northland Christian, 42-29. "We had horrible shooting in the first half - 22%, settled for too many 3-pointers. We were not very aggressive on our rebounds and we got out-hustled," stated Lady Panthers' head coach, Derek Petty. "In the second half we rebounded better and attacked more offensively. That made the difference." Kendey Eaton led Mound City with 18 points.

In the second game of pool play on Thursday, Jan. 28, Mound City defeated the host North Platte Panthers, 46-34. "This was a big win over a Class 2 ranked team," said Coach Petty. "Kameron did a great job on the boards. The team did a great job taking care of the ball against North Platte's trapping defense." Kendey Eaton's 18 points again led the Lady Panthers, with Tess Phillips and Emily Wedlock each adding 10 points. Kameron Freemyer pulled down 15 rebounds in the win.

On Saturday, Jan. 30, Mound City played for first place in bracket play against Jefferson of Conception, MO. Mound City had already beaten Jefferson two times this season. The game started off tight with the score tied, 12-12, at the end of the first quarter. The Lady Panthers were outscored by 12 points in the second quarter and were never able to claw out of the deficit, falling to Jefferson in the championship game, 52-44. "The girls lost their concentration in the second quarter and it proved costly," remarked Coach Petty. "We will be ready for Jefferson if we face them again in postseason action." Kendey Eaton scored 15 points and Kameron Freemyer added 10 points to lead Mound City.

The Lady Panthers' record now stands at 16-1 and 3-0 in the 275 Conference.



Mound City Lady Panther Kenzie Ashford (22), center - Brings the basketball down the sideline against tough Northland Christian defense on Monday, Jan. 25, in the first round of pool play at the North Platte Tournament at Dearborn, MO. Mound City won the game, 42-29.



Mound City Lady Panther Victoria Nauman (34) - Dribbles the ball down the court during the second game of pool play on Thursday, Jan. 28, against the host school, North Platte, at the North Platte Tournament at Dearborn, MO. Mound City moved on to the championship game with a 46-34 victory over North Platte.



Mound City Lady Panther Kameron Freemyer (44), left - Takes a shot in the paint while teammate, Deanna Clayton (40), right, looks on, in the first round of pool play against Northland Christian at the North Platte Tournament in Dearborn, MO, on Monday, Jan. 25. Kameron led the Panthers' defense with eight rebounds and four steals in the 42-29 win.



Mound City Lady Panther Emily Wedlock (24) - Goes up for a short jump shot against Northland Christian in the first round of pool play at the North Platte Tournament at Dearborn, MO, on Monday, Jan. 25. The Lady Panthers won the game, 42-29.



Mound City Lady Panther Tess Phillips (20) - Shoots the ball against the North Platte Panthers in the second game of pool play on Thursday, Jan. 28, at the North Platte Tournament at Dearborn, MO. Mound City defeated North Platte, 46-34. Tess had 10 points in the game.

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL NORTH PLATTE TOURNAMENT MOUND CITY vs. NORTHLAND CHRISTIAN

Monday, January 25, 2016 - Dearborn, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Mound City	11	3	10	18	42
N'land Christian	8	15	2	4	29

MOUND CITY STATISTICS

MOUND CITY LADY PANTHERS - 15-0, 3-0 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Kenzie Ashford	4	-	2	-	2	1
Deanna Clayton	-	-	-	-	2	1
Kendey Eaton	18	2	1	-	1	1
Kameron Freemyer	4	-	8	-	4	4
Victoria Nauman	3	1	3	-	3	-
Tess Phillips	9	1	3	-	1	1
Emily Wedlock	4	-	7	-	1	-

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL NORTH PLATTE TOURNAMENT MOUND CITY vs. NORTH PLATTE

Thursday, January 28, 2016 - Dearborn, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Mound City	8	14	14	10	46
North Platte	4	12	9	9	34

MOUND CITY STATISTICS

MOUND CITY LADY PANTHERS - 16-0, 3-0 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Kenzie Ashford	2	-	3	-	-	3
Joeigh Eaton	-	-	-	-	-	1
Kendey Eaton	18	3	3	-	-	1
Kameron Freemyer	6	-	15	-	1	2
Victoria Nauman	-	-	-	-	1	-
Tess Phillips	10	-	5	-	2	1
Emily Wedlock	10	-	9	-	1	-

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL NORTH PLATTE TOURNAMENT MOUND CITY vs. JEFFERSON

Saturday, January 30, 2016 - Dearborn, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Mound City	12	9	16	7	44
Jefferson	12	21	11	8	52

MOUND CITY STATISTICS

MOUND CITY LADY PANTHERS - 16-1, 3-0 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Kenzie Ashford	3	-	-	-	-	1
Kendey Eaton	15	4	1	-	-	-
Kameron Freemyer	10	-	7	2	1	5
Victoria Nauman	-	-	3	-	-	-
Tess Phillips	8	2	9	-	-	1
Emily Wedlock	8	-	4	-	3	-



Mound City Panther cheerleaders - Show support for the team at each game and fire up the crowd with cheers. The cheerleaders are, left to right, Emma Derr, freshman; Paige Quilty, freshman; Mae Sanders, senior; Hillary Russell, senior; Kenzie Ashford, senior; Emily Wedlock, senior; Maggie Caton, junior; and Bailee Schueth, sophomore.

CRAIG COMMUNITY CALENDAR

(ITEMS MUST BE AT THE MOUND CITY NEWS BY NOON MONDAY)

- Feb. 4 - Financial Aid Meeting at Mound City R-2 - 6:30 p.m.
- Feb. 5 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. W. Nod. at MC (Court warming) - 5 p.m.
- Feb. 8 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. N. Andrew at Rosendale, MO - 5 p.m.
- Feb. 9 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. S. Nod. at Barnard, MO - 5 p.m.
- Feb. 12 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. S. Holt at MC (Senior Night) - 5 p.m.
- Feb. 14 - Valentine's Day
- Feb. 15 - Presidents' Day - No School at Craig R-3
- Feb. 16 - Mound City JV/V Basketball at Fairfax, MO - 5 p.m.
- Feb. 17 - Craig City Council at Craig City Hall - 6 p.m.
- Feb. 19 - Mound City JV/V Basketball vs. N. Nod. at Hopkins, MO - 5 p.m.
- Feb. 22-28 - Mound City V Basketball at District Tournament at Rock Port, MO - TBA

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Mound City Panthers fall in consolation game of North Platte Tourney

The Mound City Panthers traveled to Dearborn, MO, for the North Platte Tournament the week of Jan. 25-30. The Panthers took on powerhouse Mid-Buchanan in the first round of pool play on Monday, Jan. 25, getting crushed by the Dragons, 58-22. Jaden Gillenwater scored nine points to lead Mound City. In the second pool play game on Tuesday, Jan. 26, Mound City took West Platte into overtime before losing a close one, 58-56. Jaden Gillenwater recorded a double/double with 27 points and 12 rebounds to lead the Panthers. Hunter Holstine and Ben Shifflett added 12 and 10 points, respectively.

Moving into bracket play, the Panthers faced Northland Christian in the consolation game on Friday, Jan. 29. Tied up, 44-44, at the end of the third quarter, Mound City could not keep up in the fourth quarter, losing the game, 61-54. Jaden Gillenwater tallied another double/double with 34 points and 10 rebounds to lead Mound City. The Panthers' record is 6-11 and 2-1 in the 275 Conference.

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL NORTH PLATTE TOURNAMENT MOUND CITY vs. MID-BUCHANAN

Monday, January 25, 2016 - Dearborn, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Mound City	4	4	9	5	22
Mid-Buchanan	20	18	11	9	58

MOUND CITY STATISTICS

MOUND CITY PANTHERS - 6-9, 2-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Dylan Marrs	5	1	4	-	-	-
Ben Shifflett	-	-	-	1	1	1
Blake Shifflett	-	-	3	1	1	-
Jaden Gillenwater	9	2	2	-	-	-
Noah Young	-	-	-	3	-	-
Jacobi Tunnell	-	-	3	-	-	-
Riley Holstine	4	-	2	-	-	-
Hunter Holstine	4	-	4	1	-	-
Chandler Wilson	-	-	1	-	-	-

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL NORTH PLATTE TOURNAMENT MOUND CITY vs. WEST PLATTE

Tuesday, January 26, 2016 - Dearborn, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	FINAL
Mound City	7	15	15	13	6	56
West Platte	8	10	18	14	8	58

MOUND CITY STATISTICS

MOUND CITY PANTHERS - 6-10, 2-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Dylan Marrs	2	-	4	-	-	1
Ben Shifflett	10	2	4	-	1	3
Blake Shifflett	1	-	2	-	-	1
Jaden Gillenwater	27	4	12	-	-	2
Matthew Poppa	2	-	2	-	-	1
Riley Holstine	-	-	1	-	-	-
Hunter Holstine	12	-	3	-	-	1
Chandler Wilson	2	-	4	-	-	1

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL NORTH PLATTE TOURNAMENT MOUND CITY vs. NORTHLAND CHRISTIAN

Friday, January 29, 2016 - Dearborn, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Mound City	18	11	15	10	54
N'land Christian	16	14	14	17	61

MOUND CITY STATISTICS

MOUND CITY PANTHERS - 6-11, 2-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Dylan Marrs	5	1	5	-	-	2
Blake Shifflett	2	-	2	-	-	-
Jaden Gillenwater	34	4	10	1	-	2
Matthew Poppa	7	1	7	-	1	1
Noah Young	-	-	2	1	-	-
Riley Holstine	6	-	4	-	-	2
Chandler Wilson	-	-	6	-	-	-



Mound City Panther Dylan Marrs (3), left - Looks for the open pass against West Platte of Weston, MO, at the North Platte Tournament at Dearborn, MO, on Tuesday, Jan. 26. After playing a tough, close game the Panthers were defeated by West Platte in overtime, 58-56.



Mound City Panther Noah Young (21), right - Moves the ball toward the paint for a left-handed lay-up against Mid-Buchanan of Faucett, MO, in the first round of pool play at the North Platte Tournament at Dearborn, MO, on Monday, Jan. 25. The Panthers fell to Mid-Buchanan, 58-22.

Mound City FCCLA to host chili/soup supper

The Mound City R-2 chapter of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) will be holding a chili/soup supper this Friday, February 5, from 5 to 7:30 p.m. in the school's cafeteria in conjunction with the Panthers' courtwarming basketball games and activities. A free will donation will provide a meal of vegetable beef soup or chili, pie and drinks. Proceeds will be used to help students with expenses incurred in competing at state FCCLA Students Taking Action with Recognition (STAR) events.



Mound City boys take home 3rd place

The Mound City R-2 fifth grade boys' team - Traveled to Maitland, MO, to play in the Nodayway-Holt elementary tournament on Saturday, Jan. 30. The team members, pictured with their third place medals, are, left to right, Trevor Tubbs, Chanse Summers, Bryson Tenney, Jase Mitchell (Oregon, MO), Quinton Brandon, Eli Caton and Keaton Zembles (4th). The team is coached by K.C. Brandon.



Mound City Panther Matthew Poppa (15), left - Goes up against a West Platte player in the second game of pool play at the North Platte Tournament in Dearborn, MO, on Tuesday, Jan. 26. The Panthers were defeated by West Platte, 58-56, in overtime.



(LEFT)
Mound City Panther Blake Shifflett (1) - Brings the ball down the court in the second round of pool play against West Platte of Weston, MO, at the North Platte Tournament in Dearborn, MO, on Tuesday, Jan. 26. Mound City lost to West Platte in an overtime game, 58-56, to move into the consolation game later in the week.



Mound City boys earn 2nd place at Fairfax Tourney

Third and fourth graders from Mound City R-2 - Brought home 2nd place medals from the Fairfax Optimists' Tournament on Saturday, Jan. 30, at Fairfax, MO. Members of the team are, left to right, August Meadows (3rd), Connor Tubbs (3rd), Keaton Zembles (4th), Jacob Hall (3rd), Creyton Roup (2nd), Kaedyn Courtney (3rd), Ernie Peters (2nd), Brad Sutton (4th) and Cole Gillenwater (4th). The team is coached by Chris Zembles.

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South Holt Knights win third place in King City Tourney

The South Holt Knights suffered one loss in the King City (MO) Tournament the week of Jan. 25-30, bringing home the third place trophy. The Knights faced the host team, the King City Wildkats, in the first round of the tournament on Tuesday, Jan. 26. After exchanging the lead through the first three quarters, South Holt finished strong in the fourth quarter, winning the game, 56-50. Alan Ottman led the Knights with 19 points. TJ Mitchell added 11 points for South Holt.

In semi-final action on Thursday, Jan. 28, South Holt played the top-seeded Stanberry Bulldogs. The Knights could not find their footing and fell to the Bulldogs, 65-43. South Holt was again led by the scoring of Alan Ottman with 17 points.

The Knights went up against St. Joseph (MO) Christian in the third place game on Saturday, Jan. 30. After a close two quarters, each team slipped in one of the last two quarters. South Holt retained just enough lead to win the game, 44-41. Alan Ottman had 13 points for South Holt and Reagan Morris added 10 more points in the win.



South Holt Knights win third place in King City Tournament

The South Holt Knights' boys' varsity basketball team - Brought home the third place trophy from the King City (MO) Tournament on Saturday, Jan. 30. After defeating King City in the first round on Tuesday, Jan. 26, South Holt lost to top-seeded Stanberry in the semi-finals on Thursday, Jan. 28. In the third place game, the Knights defeated the St. Joseph (MO) Christian Lions, 44-41, to win the trophy. Pictured after the third place game are, left to right, front row, Zach Greiner, Chane Barnes, Austin Barton, Westyn Williams, Reagan Morris, TJ Mitchell and Head Coach Colby Morris; and, back row, Assistant Coach Mike Heim, Colton Egbert, Eric Ottman, Alan Ottman, Hunter Logan, Jordan Frady and Austin Cotton. Not pictured is Jake Cotton.

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL KING CITY TOURNAMENT

SOUTH HOLT vs. KING CITY

Tuesday, January 26, 2016 - King City, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
South Holt	9	13	16	18	56
King City	9	14	14	13	50

SOUTH HOLT STATISTICS

SOUTH HOLT KNIGHTS - 13-4, 3-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Eric Ottman	7	-	2	-	2	-
Westyn Williams	-	-	2	-	-	1
Reagan Morris	8	1	1	-	2	-
Jordan Frady	2	-	1	-	-	-
TJ Mitchell	11	-	8	-	1	-
Alan Ottman	19	1	5	-	2	-
Colton Egbert	4	-	3	1	-	-
Hunter Logan	5	-	2	-	-	-

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL KING CITY TOURNAMENT

SOUTH HOLT vs. STANBERRY

Thursday, January 28, 2016 - King City, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
South Holt	5	11	15	12	43
Stanberry	16	17	26	6	65

SOUTH HOLT STATISTICS

SOUTH HOLT KNIGHTS - 13-5, 3-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Eric Ottman	-	-	2	-	-	2
Chane Barnes	6	1	-	-	2	1
Westyn Williams	2	-	-	-	1	-
Austin Barton	-	-	1	1	-	1
Reagan Morris	9	3	3	-	1	-
TJ Mitchell	7	-	2	1	-	-
Alan Ottman	17	2	4	-	6	-
Colton Egbert	2	-	-	-	-	-
Hunter Logan	-	-	-	-	1	-

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL KING CITY TOURNAMENT

SOUTH HOLT vs. ST. JOSEPH CHRISTIAN

Saturday, January 30, 2016 - King City, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
South Holt	8	15	7	14	44
St. Joe Christian	7	14	13	7	41

SOUTH HOLT STATISTICS

SOUTH HOLT KNIGHTS - 14-5, 3-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Eric Ottman	6	1	-	-	3	1
Westyn Williams	6	-	1	-	2	-
Austin Barton	-	-	2	-	-	-
Reagan Morris	10	2	6	1	-	1
Jordan Frady	1	-	3	-	-	-
TJ Mitchell	2	-	4	-	1	-
Alan Ottman	13	-	6	-	4	2
Hunter Logan	6	-	5	-	-	-

South Holt Knights' girls go 1-2 in King City Tournament

The South Holt Knights of Oregon, MO, played in the King City (MO) Tournament the week of Jan. 25-30. In the first round of girls' action, South Holt fell to DeKalb, 39-27, on Tuesday, Jan. 26. Emma Ezzell led the Knights with 12 points.

In the semi-finals of the consolation bracket on Wednesday, Jan. 27, South Holt played Stewartsville in a very close finish. Down by nine points at the end of three quarters, the Knights shut down Stewartsville in the fourth quarter, allowing the Cardinals only five points, to win the game, 41-40. The Knights were led by Emma Ezzell with 20 points and Ashley Hunziger with 10 points.

South Holt faced the host King City Wildkats in the consolation final on Friday, Jan. 29. The Knights could not get the ball to work for them in the first half and trailed by 21 points before kicking it in and controlling the second half. It was not enough as King City defeated South Holt 43-24. South Holt's Emma Ezzell led the Knights with 12 points.

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL KING CITY TOURNAMENT

SOUTH HOLT vs. DEKALB

Tuesday, January 26, 2016 - King City, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
South Holt	11	4	3	9	27
DeKalb	13	8	9	9	39

SOUTH HOLT STATISTICS

SOUTH HOLT KNIGHTS - 7-10, 2-2 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Emma Ezzell	12	-	2	-	1	-
Ashley Hunziger	4	-	7	-	1	-
Sadee Prussman	3	1	3	-	2	3
Madeline Prussman	-	-	8	-	-	1
Hailey Markt	1	-	2	-	3	1
Rachel Hunziger	7	-	6	-	2	-

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL KING CITY TOURNAMENT

SOUTH HOLT vs. STEWARTSVILLE

Wednesday, January 27, 2016 - King City, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
South Holt	13	3	10	15	41
Stewartsville	15	7	13	5	40

SOUTH HOLT STATISTICS

SOUTH HOLT KNIGHTS - 8-10, 2-2 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Emma Ezzell	20	-	2	-	1	1
Ashley Hunziger	10	-	8	1	1	1
Sadee Prussman	8	1	3	-	2	1
Hailey Markt	3	-	4	-	2	3
Rachel Hunziger	-	-	5	-	-	1
Madeline Prussman	-	-	3	1	1	-

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL KING CITY TOURNAMENT

SOUTH HOLT vs. KING CITY

Friday, January 29, 2016 - King City, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
South Holt	4	4	6	10	24
King City	18	11	6	8	43

SOUTH HOLT STATISTICS

SOUTH HOLT KNIGHTS - 8-11, 2-2 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Olivia Richards	2	-	-	-	1	1
Karley Eaton	2	-	-	-	2	-
Emma Ezzell	12	-	3	-	3	1
Kinsee Knapp	2	-	-	1	1	-
Hayley Fansher	2	-	-	-	-	-
Ashley Hunziger	2	-	8	-	-	-
Sadee Prussman	-	-	-	1	1	-
Madeline Prussman	-	-	3	1	-	-
Hailey Markt	-	-	-	-	3	-
Rachel Hunziger	2	-	5	-	1	-



South Holt fifth graders bring home 2nd place

The fifth grade girls from South Holt R-1 in Oregon, MO - Played in the Noday-Holt Elementary Basketball Tournament on Saturday, Jan. 30, at Graham, MO. After losing the first game, the team fought its way back into the finals, losing again to Maryville, MO, in the championship game. Members of the team with their 2nd place medals are, left to right, front row, Riley Schroeder, Hadley Coleman, Meghan Markt and Jordan Meng; and, back row, Kenna Morris, Brianna McCarty, Tanea Whaley, Raylea VanHoutan, Zoey Prussman and Coach Mackenzi Prussman.

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Nodaway-Holt Trojans split with South Nodaway

The Nodaway-Holt Trojans hosted the South Nodaway (Barnard, MO) Longhorns in non-conference games on Tuesday, Jan. 26, at Graham, MO. In girls' action, the two teams exchanged the lead throughout the first half. After leading by one point at half-time, the Trojans turned cold in the third quarter, scoring only five points before playing heads up ball in the fourth. South Nodaway won by a score of 48-37. "We played well for three quarters," said Trojan Head Coach Josh Petersen. "The girls struggled to score in the third quarter and that was the difference in the game. I liked the fact that we did compete with a very good South Nodaway team." Nodaway-Holt's Amanda Bohannon scored 15 points, with Breanna Day adding 12 points to the Trojans' effort.

In the boys' game, Nodaway-Holt trailed after three quarters, but took charge in the fourth quarter to claim the victory, 49-42. "We had our low points against South Nodaway on the offensive and defensive ends," noted Nodaway-Holt Head Coach Kevin Dodson, "but in the fourth quarter we executed and pulled out a huge win and confidence booster for us." The Trojans were led by Carey Volner with 11 points and James Chesnut with 10 points.

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL SOUTH NODAWAY vs. NODAWAY-HOLT

Tuesday, January 26, 2016 - Graham, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
South Nodaway	8	11	17	12	48
Nodaway-Holt	9	11	5	12	37

NODAWAY-HOLT STATISTICS

NODAWAY-HOLT TROJANS - 8-9, 2-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Amanda Bohannon	15	3	4	-	5	1
Breanna Day	12	3	6	-	-	1
Jordan Long	7	1	9	3	1	1
Frankie Lemar	2	-	4	-	-	6
Macie Bohannon	1	-	7	1	-	1

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL

SOUTH NODAWAY vs. NODAWAY-HOLT

Tuesday, January 26, 2016 - Graham, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
South Nodaway	12	13	12	5	42
Nodaway-Holt	8	13	10	18	49

NODAWAY-HOLT STATISTICS

NODAWAY-HOLT TROJANS - 8-9, 2-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Cory Rosenbohm	4	-	3	-	-	2
James Chesnut	10	-	1	-	2	2
Kaiden Vance	2	-	-	-	1	-
Zach Walker	5	-	5	-	-	1
Brody Day	9	-	6	-	3	4
Brandon Newton	8	-	6	-	1	1
Carey Volner	11	-	6	-	3	1

Nodaway-Holt takes two from West Nodaway

The Nodaway-Holt Trojans hosted the West Nodaway (Burlington Junction, MO) Rockets in 275 Conference games on Friday, Jan. 29, at Graham, MO. In the girls' game, Nodaway-Holt didn't give West Nodaway a chance to get into the game, easily winning the contest, 59-28. "This was a good win to get us back to .500 and 3-1 in the conference," remarked Nodaway-Holt Head Coach Josh Petersen. Amanda Bohannon and Jordan Long each scored 12 points to lead the Nodaway-Holt Trojans.

The Nodaway-Holt Trojans' boys won the game in the first quarter, leading by five points. The next three quarters were very close, with the Trojans winning by eight points, 45-37. "Offensively, this game was a struggle," said Trojan Head Coach Kevin Dodson. "West Nodaway did a good job switching defenses and keeping us off balance. I thought we played well on defense, holding West Nodaway below 40 points." Nodaway-Holt was led by Brody Day's 14 points, with Cory Rosenbohm scoring another 10 points for the Trojans.

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL WEST NODAWAY vs. NODAWAY-HOLT

Friday, January 29, 2016 - Graham, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
West Nodaway	4	9	10	5	28
Nodaway-Holt	12	23	19	5	59

NODAWAY-HOLT STATISTICS

NODAWAY-HOLT TROJANS - 9-9, 3-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Amanda Bohannon	12	-	2	-	11	1
Jordan Long	12	2	3	1	1	2
Frankie Lemar	8	-	3	-	1	2
Breanna Day	7	1	6	1	1	1
Ashley Brashears	6	1	1	-	1	1
Macie Bohannon	5	-	5	1	7	5
Mikala Hankins	4	-	1	1	-	-
Sam Shipp	3	-	1	-	-	1
Maddie Lance	2	-	3	-	-	1

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL

WEST NODAWAY vs. NODAWAY-HOLT

Friday, January 29, 2016 - Graham, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
West Nodaway	8	9	10	10	37
Nodaway-Holt	13	11	11	10	45

NODAWAY-HOLT STATISTICS

NODAWAY-HOLT TROJANS - 9-9, 3-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Cory Rosenbohm	10	-	1	-	4	2
James Chesnut	7	1	3	-	2	-
Zach Walker	3	-	1	-	1	1
Brody Day	14	1	4	-	-	1
Brandon Newton	4	-	3	-	1	-
Carey Volner	8	-	7	-	5	3

Nodaway-Holt Trojans finish 1-1 with Worth County

The Nodaway-Holt Trojans hosted the Worth County Tigers of Grant City, MO, in non-conference games on Monday, January 25, at Graham, MO. The Nodaway-Holt girls dominated nearly every quarter of the game, winning the contest 54-34. Amanda Bohannon led the Trojans with 14 points, and Breanna Day added 11 more points for Nodaway-Holt.

In the boys' game, the Trojans couldn't keep up with the Tigers, falling by a score of 55-43. "Worth County started quick and we weren't quite ready to go," said Trojan Head Coach Kevin Dodson. "After the first half, we got after it defensively but couldn't climb out of the hole we had gotten into." Carey Volner and Brandon Newton score 13 and 10 points, respectively, for Nodaway-Holt.



VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL WORTH COUNTY vs. NODAWAY-HOLT

Monday, January 25, 2016 - Graham, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Worth County	5	8	8	13	34
Nodaway-Holt	15	10	19	10	54

NODAWAY-HOLT STATISTICS

NODAWAY-HOLT TROJANS - 8-8, 2-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Amanda Bohannon	14	-	2	-	2	-
Breanna Day	11	-	4	1	5	2
Frankie Lemar	7	-	6	-	1	2
Jordan Long	7	-	7	2	5	4
Macie Bohannon	5	-	8	1	2	1
Ashley Brashears	5	1	-	-	5	-
Maddie Lance	1	-	4	-	1	-
Sam Shipp	2	-	1	-	1	1
Ali Shewey	2	-	1	-	-	-

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL

WORTH COUNTY vs. NODAWAY-HOLT

Monday, January 25, 2016 - Graham, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Worth County	19	14	11	11	55
Nodaway-Holt	9	11	12	11	43

NODAWAY-HOLT STATISTICS

NODAWAY-HOLT TROJANS - 7-9, 2-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Cory Rosenbohm	4	-	3	-	1	4
James Chesnut	4	1	6	-	4	3
Eli Sloniker	1	-	4	-	2	-
Kaiden Vance	3	1	1	-	-	-
Zach Walker	3	-	1	-	1	-
Brody Day	5	1	3	-	2	3
Brandon Newton	10	-	3	-	1	-
Carey Volner	13	1	4	-	1	2

Nodaway-Holt Trojans destroy Union Star Trojans

The battle of the Trojans took place on Monday, Feb. 1, at Union Star, MO, when the Nodaway-Holt Trojans clashed with the Union Star Trojans. In the girls' game, Nodaway-Holt struck with swift force, forcing Union Star below double figures in each quarter. Nodaway-Holt easily won the game, 53-23. "Overall it was a good win for us," stated Nodaway-Holt Head Coach Josh Petersen. "We hit most of our free throws and fast break lay-ups which we haven't been doing. It is nice to be over .500." Two Nodaway-Holt Trojans recorded double/doubles in the game. Amanda Bohannon scored 19 points and had 11 steals; and Breanna Day scored 13 points and pulled down 10 rebounds. Macie Bohannon added 10 points for Nodaway-Holt.

In boys' action, the Nodaway-Holt Trojans dominated the Union Star Trojans, keeping the hosts below five points per quarter. Nodaway-Holt won the battle, 58-11. "Everybody got to play and they all played well," remarked Nodaway-Holt Head Coach Kevin Dodson. Brody Day and Carey Volner scored 10 points each for Nodaway-Holt. Every player on the team scored.

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL NODAWAY-HOLT vs. UNION STAR

Monday, February 1, 2016 - Union Star, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Nodaway-Holt	17	12	17	7	53
Union Star	5	8	5	5	23

NODAWAY-HOLT STATISTICS

NODAWAY-HOLT TROJANS - 10-9, 3-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Amanda Bohannon	19	-	4	-	11	-
Breanna Day	13	1	10	1	2	1
Macie Bohannon	10	-	6	-	5	1
Frankie Lemar	8	-	4	-	1	1
Jordan Long	2	-	2	-	2	1
Ali Shewey	1	-	1	-	-	-

VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL

NODAWAY-HOLT vs. UNION STAR

Monday, February 1, 2016 - Union Star, MO

Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Nodaway-Holt	22	9	19	8	58
Union Star	2	2	2	5	11

NODAWAY-HOLT STATISTICS

NODAWAY-HOLT TROJANS - 10-9, 3-1 275 Conference

PLAYER	POINTS	3-PT.	REB.	BLK.	STEALS	ASTS.
Cory Rosenbohm	8	-	1	-	5	4
James Chesnut	4	-	2	-	-	3
Eli Sloniker	6	-	4	-	1	-
Kaiden Vance	7	1	1	-	1	-
Zach Walker	4	-	5	-	3	1
Brody Day	10	-	3	-	1	1
D.J. Beaderstadt	2	-	-	-	-	-
Dakota Leeper	1	-	5	-	1	-
Brandon Newton	6	-	3	-	4	-
Carey Volner	10	-	3	-	1	-

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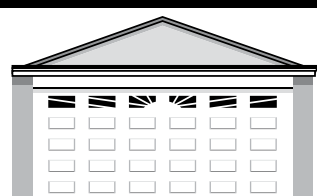
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There are many advantages to starting seeds early. Plants started indoors flower sooner or produce an earlier harvest.

"You can pick new varieties that might not be available in yard and garden stores," said David Trinklein, horticulture specialist for University of Missouri Extension. "You can also do a better job of timing, so that plants are ready to be moved into the garden when conditions are just right."

Growing annual flowers and vegetables from seeds starts by choosing what to grow. Trinklein said most vegetables take six to

eight weeks from the time the seed is dropped until it's ready to be transplanted in the garden. The exact amount of time varies with species and growing conditions.

"There are references online or available in book form that will tell you how long it takes to produce a transplantable plant of a specific species," Trinklein said.

Germination

The germination media needs to be loose, well-drained and fine-textured, Trinklein said. Buy pre-mixed germination media or create one's own by mixing sphagnum peat moss and vermiculite or perlite.

Purchase bedding plant cell packs designed specifically for starting seeds, or empty egg cartons or similar containers also work. Planting depth varies by species. Trinklein says the rule of thumb is covering seeds about three to five times their diameter.

Each species has specific requirements for germination. Most seed packets list germination requirements.

"For most seeds, germination is accomplished when three things are met: adequate mois-

ture, appropriate temperature and oxygen," Trinklein said.

Accurate temperature control is very important for helping the immature plant emerge from its seed.

"One way to control the temperature is to place electrical resistance cables under the germination trays, keeping the medium at a constant 78 degrees," Trinklein said.

Germination time varies. Cabbage, broccoli and cauliflower, for example, take only a few days until growers see the little seedling peeking through the medium. Something like a tomato might take five to 10 days. For flowering plants, germination time ranges from five to 21 days, depending on the species, according to Trinklein.

Growing seedlings

After the seedlings can be handled, it's time to transfer them to a growing-on medium. Those young plants will need light, nutrients, proper temperature and moisture. Trinklein says one of the biggest problems with growing transplants indoors is temperature. "We set our home thermostat for our comfort. Most

plants prefer it much cooler at night," he said.

The ideal temperature for seedlings is 60 degrees at night and 75-80 degrees during the day, Trinklein said. If growers keep the temperature too high at night, plants will show spindly growth.

The seedlings will also need fertilizer, but in careful doses because young roots are very tender. Trinklein recommends using half-strength fertilizer for the first few waterings.

"Applying a full-strength fertilizer solution to a young seedling would be like feeding a six week-old baby steak and potatoes. You don't do that," Trinklein said. "These seedlings need to be nurtured along carefully."

Moving plants outdoors

As the time approaches for transplanting these plants to the garden, get them ready using a process called hardening.

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Preventing debilitating diseases among women

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Just about every minute, a woman dies of heart disease; but the majority of these deaths are avoidable. That's why Social Security encourages you to participate in National Wear Red Day on Friday, February 5, which aims to raise awareness about preventing heart disease and strokes among women.

Social Security plays an important role in many women's lives - nearly 60 percent of people receiving Social Security benefits are women. Social Security provides important financial assistance to women in times of need, including a sudden illness or an injury leading to disability. While many illnesses and injuries are difficult or impossible to prevent, there are steps that women can take to help prevent some health issues, so that they can live longer and healthier lives.

According to the American Heart Association, "heart disease is the number one killer of women, causing one in three deaths each year." The American Heart

Association reports that this is 80 percent preventable with education and lifestyle changes. Changes in diet and exercise can help prevent these events, along with obtaining preventative healthcare such as cholesterol checks. You can take part in raising awareness about this woman's health issue by wearing red on Feb. 5, to show your support. You can also learn more about preventing heart disease and stroke prevention by visiting www.goredforwomen.org.

Raising awareness about women's health issues is important to improving quality of life for all women. Social Security is also committed to addressing the unique concerns that women may face in obtaining Social Security benefits, whether they're seeking benefits for health or other reasons. Women may face different situations than men throughout their lives that can affect their need for benefits. For instance, women are more likely than men to outlive their spouse. Working women earn less on average than men do. Women are more likely to be stay-at-home parents or spouses. All of these circumstances can cause women

to have different Social Security needs than men have.

In order to address these concerns in one place, we have a website designed for women that provides pertinent information to women regarding Social Security's services. This website includes information that may be particularly useful to working women, women who receive Social Security benefits, brides, new mothers, wives, divorced women, caregivers, and widows. Our website for women provides information on retirement, survivors, disability, and Supplemental Security Income benefits. Our website also contains links to Social Security publications relevant to women's issues, such as our publications *What Every Woman Should Know* and *Understanding the Benefits*. You can visit our website for women at www.socialsecurity.gov/people/women.

We hope that raising awareness on women's health issues and providing women easy access to information about Social Security benefits can enrich your life and the lives of those you love.

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Centralized Scheduler

Centralized Scheduler will perform the duties of community wide scheduling with various departments for in-patients and out-patients at Community Hospital-Fairfax. Primary function is to be the liaison for out-patient scheduling. Physician offices will call in requested test and the Centralized Scheduler will complete the request in a timely, courteous manner. To include scheduling, insurance verification, authorization (if needed), pre-registration, point of service collections of the patient and any other duties assigned by the Chief Nursing Officer. Qualified applicants will be a Graduate of accredited school of nursing, and currently licensed in the State of Missouri. Additional qualification includes knowledge of computers and other standard office equipment, a minimum of 2 years of customer service experience and previous experience with patient registration, scheduling and insurance verification strongly preferred. This position is Monday-Friday day hours.

Utilization Manager

Community Hospital-Fairfax is seeking a Full-Time (M-F, Days) Utilization Manager to manage, monitor and maintain effective department operations in the area of Utilization Management and Social Services to insure effective and efficient department performance and high quality services. A successful candidate will be a graduate of an accredited School of Nursing and currently licensed as an RN in the state of Missouri. In addition prior management or supervisory experience is required and 5 years of hospital experience is preferred. Applicant must be comprehensive in nursing skills, healthcare practices and techniques with pat Utilization Management or Case Management experience is preferred.

Home Health Manager

Our Home Health Manager will Manage, monitor, and maintain effective department operations in the area of Home Health to insure effective and efficient department performance and high quality service. Qualified applicants will be a Graduate of an accredited School of Nursing, currently licensed in Missouri, 3-5 years of Home Health experience, prior management is a plus, comprehensive knowledge of nursing skills and healthcare practices a plus, effective communication skills along with BLS Certification. Qualified applicants can apply in person or email a resume to Amber Durr, Human Resources atamberd@fairfaxmed.com Position is open until filled

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