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Kyra Reuber Among U.S. Winners of Young Artists Contest

By **General Aviation News Staff**
The National Association of State Aviation Officials (NASAO) and National Aeronautic Association (NAA) have named the U.S. national winners of the 2026 FAI Young Artists Contest.



This year's theme, "Fly to Save Lives," inspired hundreds of students across the country to illustrate the role of aviation in emergency response, medical relief, and community safety. Judging was conducted by aviation and education professionals with special guest, retired NASA astronaut Frank Lee Culbertson.

Managed by NASAO in partnership with the NAA, the contest challenges youth aged 6 to 17 to explore the intersection of air sports, aeronautics, and social impact.

According to officials, the winning entries were selected from a highly competitive pool of finalists submitted by participating states.

The first, second, and third-place winners in each category will now advance to the international judging round at the Fédération Aéronautique Internationale (FAI) headquarters in Lausanne, Switzerland, to compete against artists from around the world.

Senior Category (Ages 14-17): 3rd Place: Kyra Reuber, Kansas

The FAI Young Artists Contest has been a staple of the international aerospace community since 1986. National winners receive certificates and ribbons, while international winners are awarded gold, silver, and bronze medals.

(NASAO courtesy photo; <https://generalaviationnews.com/2026/04/03/u-s-winners-of-young-artists-contest-revealed/>) (Top photo courtesy Reuber Family photo)



Junior Class Fundraiser a Success!



Students from the Junior Class enjoy the meal they served for a class fundraiser. (Photo by Miranda Scanlon)

By **Emma Schamberger**

On Saturday, April 11, the Junior class held a shrimp boil at the 4-H building for the community to raise money for prom. This was a new style of fundraiser from anything that had been done before by previous classes. Miranda Scanlon said, "Our community came together for an exciting first-time event—a Shrimp Boil Fundraiser that had great food and a lively atmosphere. This inaugural gathering brought friends, families, and neighbors together to enjoy a classic Southern-style meal while supporting the Hoxie High Junior class of 2027."

Junior Gunner Wentz added, "I thought it went good and I know a lot of people enjoyed the food. It was fun to work on it and set it up with my classmates." Prom will be held on Saturday, April 25, with Promenade on Sheridan Avenue between First State Bank and Equity Bank starting at 7:30 PM, followed by the dance for high school students. This year's theme is "Rio After Dark."

SCCF Awards February and March Grants to Support Arts, Youth, and Community Safety

By **Karl Pratt**, Executive Director, Sheridan County Community Foundation

Hoxie - The Sheridan County Community Foundation (SCCF) continues its commitment to strengthening local communities by awarding grant funding during its February and March cycles to support arts, youth initiatives, outdoor experiences, and critical infrastructure improvements.

During the February grant cycle, SCCF approved funding for two projects that enhance community engagement and youth access. The Main Street Arts Council was awarded \$6,000.00 to support the Hoxie production of Disney's Moana Jr., providing local youth with opportunities to participate in the performing arts and bringing a family-friendly cultural experience to the community. Additionally, the Hoxie Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) received \$900.00 to establish a Sharing Library project, encouraging literacy, accessibility, and community connection through free book exchange.

In March, SCCF continued its investment in youth development and public safety. Hoxie Scouts BSA Troop 160, in partnership with the City of Hoxie, was awarded \$1,000.00 for the Backpacking Tents project. This funding will help expand outdoor learning experiences, leadership development, and access to nature for local youth.

A significant investment was also approved to support community safety infrastructure, with \$18,491.67 awarded to the City of Hoxie for the Tornado Sirens project. This project will enhance emergency preparedness and communication systems, helping to ensure the safety and well-being of residents during severe weather events.

"These grants reflect the diversity of needs and opportunities across Sheridan County," said Karl Pratt, SCCF Executive Director. "From supporting the arts and literacy to investing in youth development and public safety, each project plays an important role in building a stronger, more connected community."

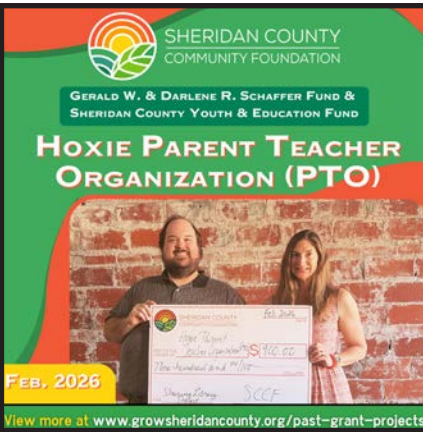
In addition to recent grant awards, SCCF implemented updated grantmaking guidelines and introduced new application forms at the beginning of the year designed to better align funding opportunities with project size, scope, and community impact. These updates aim to simplify the application process while improving clarity and efficiency for applicants.

SCCF accepts grant applications from eligible nonprofit organizations and community partners on a rolling monthly basis, with the final day of each month serving as the deadline for consideration during the following month's review.

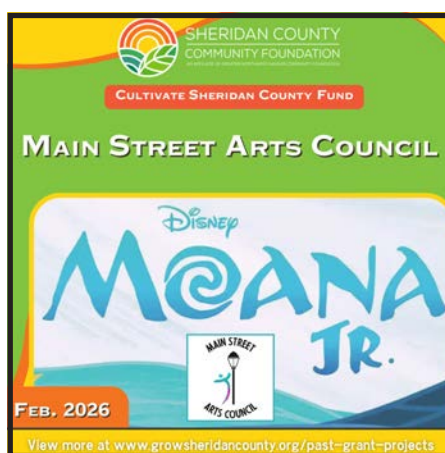
Organizations interested in applying for funding are encouraged to learn more and submit applications at www.growsheridancounty.org/grants.

SCCF is an affiliate of the Greater Northwest Kansas Community Foundation based in Bird City. The foundation seeks to encourage, prudently manage, and distribute charitable contributions to improve the quality of life of Sheridan County residents, now and in the future. To learn more, contact Pratt at 785-677-5090, director@growsheridancounty.org, or visit www.growsheridancounty.org. Connect with SCCF at www.facebook.com/sheridanccf.

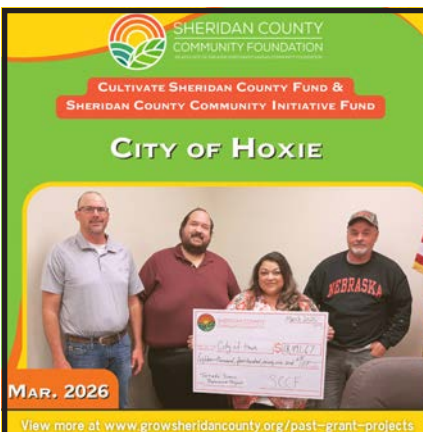
(L-R): Lorelei Brockelhurst, Riley Milton, Cain Saint, Kyra Reuber, SCCF Executive Director Karl Pratt, Jax Stickel, and Elliott Reuber. (Photos by SCCF)



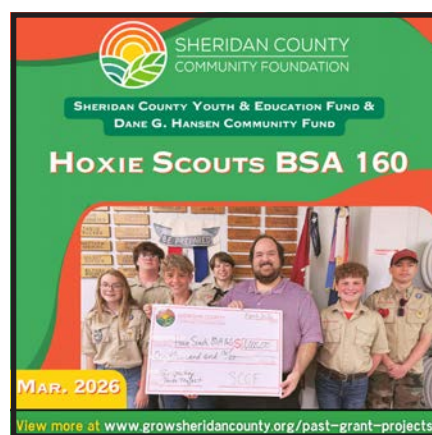
SCCF Executive Director Karl Pratt and Hoxie PTO Member Michelle Cressler.



The Main Street Arts Council will be producing the youth musical "Disney's Moana Jr." in Hoxie during its annual 2026 Main Street Summer Theater Festival.



(L-R): Water Commissioner Kevin Schoendaler, SCCF Executive Director Karl Pratt, Hoxie Mayor Dawn Elliott, and Street Commissioner Jim Erwin.



GPHS Performs at State Large Group Contest



The Golden Plains High School Band performed at the State Large Group contest in Oakley on April 16. The band received three I ratings from the judges at the contest. Performers included (front) Janessa Leija, Brielle Karnes, Kailee Wessel, Jade Dible, Ellie Romero, (back) Tanner Black, Parker Vahling, Ben Masoner, Ruxin Arnberger, Addy Wessel, Kasch Buehler, Elizabeth Weiner, Brandon Karnes, Alicia Vargas, Lakin Wark, Diego Perez, Koen Schaben. The band is directed by Michael Karnes. (Photo by Michael Karnes)

Selden Holds City Wide Clean-Up



Thanks to the Selden City Council members and volunteers that helped with the Selden City Wide Clean Up on April 18. Their efforts help residents clean out and make Selden a better place to work, live, and raise our families! (Photo by Judy Rogers)

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SELDEN NEWS
By Jacque Boultinghouse

The Selden Senior Citizens met on March 26, at the Community Center for a delicious meal prepared by Gloria Goscha of Midway Cafe followed by an afternoon of pinochle. Those enjoying the day included Carlene Bruggeman, Margee Wilson, Helen Carman, Betty Hickert, Ellis Walker, John Milner, Steve Skubal, and Bob Wessel. Those staying to play cards included Kou Lovin with a score of 535, Shirley Emigh with a score of 530, Tammy Shaw with a score of 692, Steve Carman with a score of 518, Pat Wessel with a score of 460, JR Albers with a score of 601, Boyd Wilson with a score of 673, and Jacque Boultinghouse with a score of 664.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- April 11: Leroy & Renee Spresser
- April 12: Wayne Brantley, Mike & Tammy Miller, Brenlyn Rath
- April 13: Ethel Halbert, Bill Wessel
- April 14: Cooper Shaw, Christen Lauman
- April 15: Steve Shaw, Greg & Stephanie Ritter
- April 16: Dustin Halbert, Gail Mumm
- April 17: Jaci Schaben, Danielle Spresser Braun, Mike & Linda Spresser, Vicky Ray
- April 19: Christy Neff Rasure, Nellie Korte
- April 20: Rob Schilt, BJ Rogers
- April 21: Mike Peter, Troy Moore
- April 22: Tyree Turnbull, Linda Spresser, Layn Bruggeman, Brian Schroer
- April 23: Sharon Unruh, Jeremy Kruse
- April 24: Bret Halbert, Davis & Terra Rath, Breanna Rath
- April 25: Terry Preston, Robert & Laura Ritter, Gwen Urban, Lance & Lisa Stoll, Brandon Russell, Ty Carman
- April 26: Dena Dellere, Chrys Rall, Jerry & Paula Schiltz, Mathew Gould, Traci Bruggeman
- April 28: Betty Hickert, Erin Rogers King
- April 29: John Geisinger, Dennis Spresser

The Selden Senior Citizens met on April 2, at the Community Center for a delicious meal prepared by Gloria Goscha of Midway Cafe followed by an afternoon of pinochle. Those enjoying the day included Ellis Walker, Helen Carman, Betty Hickert, Steve Skubal, Barb Jones, Carlene Bruggeman, and Marge Wilson. Those staying to play cards included Tammy Shaw with a score of 711, Boyd Wilson with a score of 589, JR Albers with a score of 493, Shirley Emigh with a score of 677, Kou Lovin with a score of 564, Steve Carman with a score of 421, Bob Wessel with a score of 634, and Pat Wessel with a score of 570.

Alisha Brantley One of FHSU 2026 Commencement Award Nominees

By FHSU Alumni Office

Hays – The Fort Hays State University Alumni Office has announced nominees for its three honorary commencement awards. Recipients of each award will be announced at a press conference on Tuesday, May 5, at 9 a.m. in the Memorial Union’s Peter Werth Black and Gold Room, located on the second floor, with refreshments to follow. The public is welcome to join in celebrating these outstanding Tigers.

Alisha Brantley is one of twenty-four seniors nominated for the 2026 Torch Award, which acknowledges classroom excellence, leadership, participation in professional organizations, and student, civic, or research activities.

Eight graduate students from the 2025-2026 academic year received Lighthouse Award nominations, honoring exceptional students completing graduate programs.

The graduating class of 2026 nominated seventeen faculty members for the Pilot Award, recognizing classroom excellence, ongoing research, and service activities.

The Torch and Pilot Awards, created in 1974, and the Lighthouse Award, established in 2018, are presented annually. The nominees listed below completed all requested information by the deadline specified by FHSU’s Alumni Office.

Selden: Alisha Brantley, Psychology



JENNINGS NEWS

A small group enjoyed the monthly pot luck meal on April 8 at the Jennings Senior Center. Guests included Tammy Townslee and Lillian representing Decatur Health Systems; Pastor Gordon Pettibone; Doyle & Kay Brown; Ken Carter; Stanley Shimek; Dorothy Vacura & Ramona Shaw. After a bountiful meal, socializing was enjoyed. Everyone is invited to the monthly pot luck meal the second Wednesday of every month. Come join us.

SCCF Seeking Executive Director Applicants

Hoxie - The Sheridan County Community Foundation (SCCF), an affiliate of the Greater Northwest Kansas Community Foundation, has announced it is seeking applicants for the position of Executive Director as it undergoes an upcoming leadership transition.

The Foundation’s current Executive Director Karl Pratt has accepted the role of Chief Executive Officer with the Greater Northwest Kansas Community Foundation (GNWKCF), marking a significant advancement and reflecting the strength of leadership within the region. Pratt will remain with SCCF through May 8 and assume his new role with GNWCF on May 11.

“Serving Sheridan County through SCCF has been one of the greatest honors of my life,” said Pratt. “I’m incredibly proud of what we’ve built together, and I’m excited to see the Foundation continue to grow and thrive under new leadership for years to come.”

The Executive Director position is a key leadership role responsible for advancing SCCF’s mission to enhance quality of life in Sheridan County through philanthropy, partnerships, and strategic community investment.

Responsibilities include leading fundraising efforts, managing daily operations, overseeing grantmaking processes, coordinating community initiatives, and working closely with the Board of Directors and local stakeholders.

“This is an incredible opportunity for someone who cares deeply about our communities,” said SCCF Board Chair Jason Weimer. “We’re looking for a leader who can continue growing the Foundation’s impact and help shape the future of Sheridan County.”

The position is full-time (36 hours per week) and based in Hoxie, KS. Compensation ranges from \$45,000 to \$50,000 depending on experience, and includes benefits such as a Simple IRA match, Health Reimbursement Account, paid time off, and holidays.

The Executive Director will be employed through the Greater Northwest Kansas Community Foundation while carrying out responsibilities on behalf of SCCF.

Applications are currently being accepted. For more information or to apply, please visit <https://www.growsheridancounty.org/jobs>.

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Emily Campbell Among Kansas Commerce’s Third Round of Rural Champions

Topeka – Lieutenant Governor and Secretary of Commerce David Toland today announced that the Department of Commerce has selected nine leaders for the third cohort of Rural Champions to solve pressing needs in their local communities; Hoxie’s Emily Campbell is named among those leaders. They will receive support to take on and complete locally identified projects in towns across rural Kansas.

“Rural communities are the heart of this state – and it’s incredibly inspiring to see so many community leaders take on an array of challenges that improve quality of life and create new economic opportunities,” Lieutenant Governor and Secretary of Commerce David Toland said. “These projects address specific



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And they STILL followed. Why?

Because real truth don’t beg... it COMMANDS attention.

Now here’s where it hits YOU—He gave YOU that same authority. Yeah... you.

The one doubting. The one hesitating.

The one saying, “maybe later.” STOP.

If God is in your heart—fear don’t belong there. There ain’t room for both. Not fear. Not comparison. Not hate.

Because when God fills you—LOVE comes out. You want people free. You want people winning. You want people healed.

But most people? They chasing the world. Applause. Attention. Temporary highs.

I know...because I lived it. Had things. Chased things. Felt good...for a minute. But I wasn’t happy.

I didn’t find joy... until I found GOD.

Some of y’all feel it—Walking in rooms thinking eyes are on you...living for THEIR approval.

But hear me—When you live for GOD...the world gets quiet.

Not because it changed—because YOU DID.

And yeah... truth is—People gonna fall off. Friends. Followers. Even close ones.

You start living this? It makes people uncomfortable. So, they drift. Let ‘em.

This ain’t a popularity path. This is a PURPOSE path.

Some people want comfort...more than calling. But me?

I don’t care what the world thinks. I care what my FATHER thinks. That’s freedom. Being fruitful ain’t about flexing.

It’s about JOY. It’s about PEACE. It’s about PURPOSE.

Your gifts. Your voice. GIVEN to you. And it all comes down to this—It’s a choice. Every day.

Fear or faith? Approval or purpose? World...or GOD?

As for me? I already chose.

Walk with me...But don’t follow me—FOLLOW THE ONE WHO DECIDED YOU WERE WORTH IT.

Because this time—we ain’t following the world... we following SOMEBODY WHO’S WORTH IT.



local needs – and it takes devoted individuals who have an intimate understanding of their town to get them to the finish line.”

Inspired by a Kansas Sampler Foundation report, the Office of Rural Prosperity, in collaboration with the Patterson Family Foundation, created the Rural Champions Program as a way for rural communities facing a lack of capital or other resources to make progress. The Rural Champions Program provides a one-year wage stipend of \$20,800 to each champion, along with training and resources. Champions also will receive up to \$33,000 at the end of the year to move into the implementation phase of their projects.

Emily Campbell (Hoxie) - Coordinating a healthy food pathway across nine western counties with grower alignment and retail activation

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Spring Clean-up is a free service provided by the City of Hoxie.
Monday – Wednesday, May 4, 5, & 6

City trucks will make a special trash pickup on these days.
PLEASE NOTE: Pick up will be on your regular trash day and Wednesday will be used for final clean-up.
All items MUST be sorted and by the curb or in the alley. Please do not put items out more than 1 week in advance.

All types of trash will be picked up *excluding tires*.
All appliances must have Freon removed.
Yard waste will be picked up on Wednesday and must be in a solid container. Tree limbs must be cut no longer than 6 feet long.
Normal household trash will be picked up in the usual manner.

SPECIAL NOTE: ALL TRASH MUST BE SEPARATED, i.e., tree limbs from metals, etc. since they are disposed of in different locations at the landfill. Mattresses and furniture must be separated from other trash.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (paint, motor oil, batteries, pesticides, poisons, caustic chemicals, etc.) **WILL ALSO** be picked up at this time.

PLEASE CALL THE CITY OFFICE AT 785-675-3291 TO SCHEDULE YOUR PICKUP.

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LENORA HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL MEETING
NEW DATE: Banquet & Meeting May 23
11am Community Room opens
12pm Banquet
Meeting follows
RSVP REQUIRED of number attending by: Monday, May 18
Bertsie Bruinekool 785-567-8373
bertsieb@ruraltel.net
Tammy Gerlits 785-262-7441

Girls Day Out
Saturday, April 25
10 am to 3 pm

Train ride shuttles provided by Tri-County Amusement between buildings starting at 11am at the Western Vista Complex.
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FCCLA Dominates State



Pictured are the STAR Event participants at the FCCLA State Leadership Conference (from left to right) Seniors Nick Robben, Iauna King, Sarah Dardis, and Freshmen Kellen Cressler, Ethan Baker, Jordan Dardis, and Madison Mader. (HHS Yearbook Staff photo)

By: Teagan Slaubaugh

On April 12, the Hoxie FCCLA Chapter traveled to Wichita to attend their State Leadership Conference with a group of 14 students and 2 chaperones. After a busy, exciting three days, they returned with multiple awards and certificates. Many of the students who attended were competing in a STAR (Students Taking Action with Recognition) Event. These STAR Event presentations took place on Monday, April 13. They presented their STAR Events to a panel of judges and then waited to hear the results. Hoxie FCCLA senior members Teagan Slaubaugh and Luis Juarez served as student judges, judging throughout the day.

On April 14, the results of the STAR Events came out. Seniors Iauna King and Sarah Dardis received a gold award for their STAR Event and will compete at Nationals. Senior Nick Robben also received gold and will compete at Nationals. Competing in their first competition as freshmen were Ethan Baker, Madison Mader, and Kellen Cressler; they received a silver award and will compete at Nationals. Rounding out the competition for Hoxie was freshman Jordan Dardis, who received a silver award. This is the first time Hoxie will be bringing more than one STAR Event to the National Conference. "I was genuinely so happy that Sarah and I made it to Nationals," said senior Iauna King. "I'm very excited to represent Hoxie High School one last time at the nation's capital."

This was an overall success for Hoxie FCCLA, and Nationals are right around the corner, which will be held July 6-10, in Washington, D.C. For their next event, on April 26, HHS FCCLA will host its annual banquet, which will include officer inductions, the end-of-the-year slideshow, awards, and a speech from sponsor Jennifer Carder.

Bulldogs Set PR's in Hoxie



Golden Plains Freshman Nash Ziegelmeier throws the shot put at the Hoxie Invitational on April 10. (Photo by Kaytlin Kennedy)

By Judy Rogers

The Golden Plains High School boys track team set a number of personal records (PR) at their second meet of the season in Hoxie on April 10. As a team they score 27 points for sixth place.

Dylan Wark improved his time in the 800m from the previous to win first place with a 2:14.75 run. The 4 x 800m relay team also improved their time to 9:21.85 for second place run by Adam Ritter, Ruxin Arnberger, Wark, and Zeke Weiner. Weiner also improved his time in the 3200m to 11:02.92 for fourth place and decreased his time in the 1600m to 5:07.99 for fifth.

Also placing fifth was the 4 x 400m relay team of Diego Perez, Ritter, Wark, and Cristian Garcia with a run of 4:09.66. Garcia also placed sixth in Triple Jump at 36' 3.75".

Brandon Karnes set a PR of 6:18.04 in the 1600m run and set a PR of 14:48.10 in the 3200m run. Additional PR's were set by Kelby Buehler-Javelin (92' 1"), Javier Romero-Javelin (83' 10"), Shot Put (30' 11.5"), Nash Ziegelmeier-Discus (89' 9"), Shot Put (27' 8"), Arnberger-800m (2:34.30), and Garcia-400m (1:07.54). We are starting off strong and everyone is cheering for each other and supporting the team," said Romero. "Our goal is for everyone to get better and to branch out and try new things. We hope everyone continues to set PR's."

Additional results include: Wark-1600m 5:27.65, 4 x 100m relay-Ritter, Perez, Arnberger, Garcia 56.17, Romero-400m 1:24.66, Discus 93' 5", Arnberger-Triple Jump 35' 9.5", Buehler-Discus 82' 3", Shot Put 26' 7", Ziegelmeier-Javelin 65' 0", Perez-Long Jump 17' 3.75", 200m (27.28), and Ritter-Long Jump 16' 8.75". The boys continue their season in Hill City on April 10.

State KidWind 2026

By Carolyn Nelson

Two teams from Wheatland High School competed in the state KidWind tournament, Saturday, April 11, in Salina. The White Lightning Team consisted of sophomores Axtyn Teeter and Griffin Beckman. Seniors Jaxson Bernbeck, Daniel Mason, Broady Goetz, freshman Trenton Price, and junior Spencer Beckman created the Power Towers team.

Although the teams did not place, they did receive recognition for achievements at the tournament. The Power Towers team was awarded the BeJouled Award for most improvement from morning to afternoon, with an addition of 7.36 joules. They also received the most improved peak efficiency from morning to afternoon, citing a 23% increase.

The White Lightning team also received an improvement award for Zero to Hero category, going from zero to 7.21 joules.

The Kansas Energy Program website states, "Through a partnership with the Kansas Corporation Commission (KCC) and primarily funded through a Department of Energy grant, the Kansas Energy Program (KEP) provides energy-focused education and assistance to small businesses, educators, and Kansas organizations and residents. With these services, KEP's goal is to encourage the development and implementation of energy efficiency and renewable energy projects and provide energy-focused STEM learning opportunities for Kansas students." (<https://kansasenergyprogram.org>).

Junior Spencer Beckman stated, "State Kidwind was a very great opportunity where we got to put our problem solving skills to use."

Sophomore Griffin Beckman added, "Although it was frustrating that we couldn't get our generator to work the way we wanted, it was cool to see all the other schools' generators and get new ideas for next year."



(L-R) Broady Goetz, Trenton Price, Spencer Beckman, Daniel Mason, and Jaxson Bernbeck of the Power Towers team competed at the State KidWind in Salina April 11, 2026. (WHS photo)

Axtyn Teeter and Griffin Beckman work on their generator to increase the joule output at the State Kidwind competition in Salina April 11, 2026. (WHS photo)



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The Hoxie Democrat

April 24, 1891

Jim Dunn has gone to Nebraska. Rev. Bell was in Hoxie last Monday. The Pension Board was in session Wednesday.

S. M. Shaw received Thursday, his pardon from the Governor.

The mud is drying up fast and the roads are becoming in good shape.

Boys is it not about time to organize a ball club? All that are interested call on Ben McKinley.

Thinking that spring has arrived for certain, all the boys are having their hair cut short.

Tom Palmer is having a good run in his restaurant, and everybody seems pleased with his table.

T. P. Dodds, of Seguin, was in Hoxie Wednesday and was pounded around by the pension board.

A solitary tramp was in the city Sunday. He was a hard looking specimen and was on his way to Colorado.

David Mechem has returned from Nebraska, where he has been for the past four months, and will put in a crop on his farm.

James F. Whittington and family have gone to their claim south of town to put in a crop and cultivate their early garden.

Will Rowell was a caller Wednesday. He informed us that he would soon leave for Washington county, where he will visit friends.

The county commissioners for the past week have been very busy dealing out seed to the needy farmers. About 500 applications were filed.

The editor of this paper left Sunday for a trip through Illinois and Ohio. He will return the fore part of next week, that is if he don't take sick.

W. F. Cardell moved Wednesday to the brick building in the east part of the city. He has purchased a span of horses and expects to do some farming.

Thus far the outlook is good for a big crop this season. The ground will not need much moisture until June, but if rain will come every two weeks objections will not be made.

Frank Stakebake returned home last Saturday evening from Junction City, where he spent the winter. He will till his place south of the city, this season, and we hope that he will be well paid for his work.

Someone who ought to know better, come into our office sometime during the Sabbath and mixed a half column of standing type up rather promiscuously. Our hands have enough to do without distributing pi that other make, and if the party who made the pi Sunday is ever found out will pay dearly for his pleasure.

125 Years Ago

April 25, 1901

Chas. A. Taylor has the lumber on the ground to build a large barn.

There is no small pox in Hoxie, reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

Grover Walker returned from Kansas City yesterday morning. Mrs. Walker went from Kansas City to Kentucky for an extended visit.

After a visit of over a month with her brother, Frank English, Mrs. Van Buskirk returned to her home at Lincoln, Nebraska, last Friday.

Clerk of the Court Evans has gone home for a few days rest and recreation and A. L. McCallum is looking after the court records during his absence.

Carpenter Baird has the first of the two Deibert houses ready for the plasterer and has already commenced on the second. Had it not been for the rainy weather of the first two weeks he was here he would have had both done. Mr. Baird seems to understand the art of housebuilding thoroughly.

County Attorney Trimble visited Selden the first of the week.

L. S. Meeks had a load of corn on the Hoxie market Monday.

Sheriff Korb took W. H. Dedrick to the Asylum at Topeka Saturday.

Charley Hook and Wm. Deibert opened the fishing season the other day.

Quite a large crowd was in attendance at services Sunday evening. Rev. Liggett delivered the baccalaureate sermon and M. A. Chambers presented the graduates with the diplomas. Misses Nelli Quisenberry, Luca Barnes, Nora Deupree and Stella Martin were the graduates.

Charley Gates and Al Smith, of Adell, were in town Saturday and we noticed Al had considerable business with Judge Gregg, but had no idea he contemplated matrimony, but that was what brought him to town - to procure the Judge's permission to take Miss Mary Gates for better or worse and we ar told the final ceremony was performed Sunday. The *Sentinel* extends congratulations.

Howard Turtle returned home from England last week.

A coat of paint applied by Elisha Wilson, has greatly improved Miss Gertrude Pratt's Main street building.

Logan Items

Link Dotts has a fine piece of winter

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wheat.

Dolph Rowilson wants to farm but has to make wells.

Frank Wire, of Edgar, Nebr., is visiting his sister Mrs. A. N. Long.

Elliott Clippings

Ed Pickerell visited with Selden friends Sunday.

Mr. Dedrick was taken to the Asylum at Topeka last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mathews, of Selden, a boy, April 18.

100 Years Ago

April 22, 1926

Kicked by Mule

The little year and one-half old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pickett was kicked on the head by a mule last Friday and sustained a serious injury, the little fellow's skull was fractured and it was necessary to take him to the Norton hospital for special care and treatment.

Vance Variety Sold to C. T. Dallam

A deal was consummated this week whereby Harry Vance sold his variety store to C. T. Dallam.

They are invoicing this week and as soon as this is completed Mr. Dallam will take charge.

Local News

Mrs. A. M. Hays spent the weekend at her home in Quinter.

Miss Ferma Childs spent Sunday with her home folks in Rexford.

Dr. Choral Pope, of Selden, was transacting business in Hoxie Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mowry and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Davis.

Miss Florence Reynolds, of Grainfield, was a guest of Miss Ruttan over the weekend.

Mrs. C. P. Breeden, while in Hoxie Tuesday, found time to make this office a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cheney, of Selden, were Hoxie business visitors Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Hamilton's mother arrived here Wednesday from her home in Illinois to be present at the funeral of her daughter.

The second division of the geometry class of the local high school, gave a party at the Houseworth Park, Monday evening.

Prof. D. O. Hemphill spent the weekend at Hays, Kansas. He will teach in the Hays State Teachers College again this summer.

Claude Reis, of Luray, arrived here Monday and is putting the finishing touches to the café which he will soon open to the public.

North Fork News

Mrs. Winslow Aumiller helped Mrs. G. W. Brelsford with her work Tuesday.

Glenn Spillman was seriously injured when he was caught in the belt of a well auger. He was immediately taken to the Norton hospital.

Lydia Montayne is working for Mrs. Leonard Zodrow.

Midway

April 1, Mrs. Claude Adams was hostess to the Midway Community Club. A very pleasant afternoon was spent in piecing quilt blocks and conversation. Chickens and spring house cleaning being the main subjects for discussion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cressler, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Payne were visitors at Ray Russell's Monday.

Valley

Mr. and Mrs. E. Getz and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Getz spent Sunday in Phillipsburg with the Getz parents.

Mrs. Mitchell was quite ill the last week for a few days but is much better. Howard Currier of Hoxie spent the weekend with Fred Conard.

75 Years Ago

April 26, 1951

Pupils Visit Sentinel

Pupils, teachers and parents from two school visited the *Sentinel* office last Thursday afternoon following the track meet.

Those from Parnell included: teacher, Dorothy Adams; Wanda Hendrix, Tommy and Max Moss; Sidona Richter, Arleta Detjen, Mary Rall and Wanita Currier.

From the Immanuel Lutheran were: Vera Ewert, teacher; Agnes Detjen and Carol Oelke.

Parents included: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richter, Mrs. Joe Hendrix, Mrs. Albert Detjen, and Mrs. Frank Currier and Georgia.

Fairview

Rev. and Mrs. Albert Smith and family were Tuesday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark, who live south of Morland.

Gerald Shipley and family spent Tuesday evening at Howard Transues.

C. C. O'Dell and Albert Popp went to Hutchinson after a load of fence posts last week.

Studley Items

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Owings received word last Thursday of the birth of a baby girl, born that day to Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Martin. Mrs. Martin was formerly Millie Jean Owings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Horton are the proud parents of a boy born last Friday at the Norton hospital. Mrs. Horton was formerly Rosa Doris Ploeger.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Woods and family moved to Burlington, Col., the first of the week.

Tasco Notes

Club met on April 19th with Maxine McClelland with eight members and several children present. At noon the usual delicious dinner was enjoyed by all. Embroidery work was done for the hostess. Club will meet in two weeks, on May 3rd, with Bessie Rowilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shafer and daughters and B. C. Shafer were Sunday afternoon callers at Tom McClellands.

Janet Timmons spent Thursday with her great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Epler, and her uncles, Fred and Ike Epler.

Thimble Circle Club

Mr. and Mrs. John Wahlborg spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Rob Brewster. They were returning to their home in Denver after a two weeks vacation in Kansas and Missouri.

Lloyd Cressler was surprised Sunday when twenty-four relatives gathered at their home to remind him of his birthday which was Monday. His wife planned the surprise. A very good cooperative dinner was served at noon. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mowry were unable to be there. The afternoon was spent visiting and playing cards.

Mr. and Mrs. James Karnes spent Sunday at the Paul Mills home.

50 Years Ago

April 22, 1976

Leopold Begins Mayor Duties

David E. Leopold, certified public accountant, began his official duties as Mayor of Hoxie on Tuesday, April 20. Leopold, unopposed, was elected to the office at the April 6 election. He succeeds John Hill who held the office the past nine years.

Studley Items

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Covalt attended funeral services for John Clark at Spencer Chapel in Hill City Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Clark was Verlan Covalt's wife's father.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis and Mrs. Rachel Niblock attended the junior play at Hoxie on Monday evening. Marty Lewis was a member of the cast.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Pratt called on Mrs. Rachel Niblock Tuesday. They also visited Miss Hilda Pratt at Dawson Place in Hill City.

Leoville News

Mr. and Mrs. Don Robben and children, Mary Jo, Chris and Lynn and Mrs. Anna Kruse were dinner guests at the Dave Kruse home on Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Karnes were visitors at the Conrad Zodrow home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ritter were dinner guests Easter Sunday at the Maurice Greisers in Dresden.

Broadway News

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carley of Culbertson, Nebr., and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Carley were Monday dinner guests of Mrs. Nella Simon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Corke spent over Easter at Jim O'Dell's at Brighton, Colo.

Mrs. Edwin Simon attended club at Diana Robers Monday evening. Edwin, Timmie and Christie attended the play in Hoxie.

Mickey Want Ads

Hoover Vacuum Cleaners - Convertible, Dial-A-Matic to the Canisters. See the Celebrity II Powermatic.

During the 100th birthday interview, the salty centenarian told the reporter, "If I'd known I was going to live this long, I'd have taken better care of myself."

For Graduation or Mother's Day - Samsonite luggage - 25% off Saturn II luggage in stock.

McGraw News

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Smith, Rachel, Eric and Greg were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Sadie Smith of Oberlin.

The Victory Club met at the home of Mrs. Charley Tice of Oberlin Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Mike Weimer and Jason were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dwane Tice while Mike helped with a sale at Lenora.

Cultus Club Met with Mrs. Harwerth

Cultus Club met on April 13 at the home of Mrs. Howard Harwerth with 12 members and one guest in attendance. Mrs. John Olson presided over a short business meeting. She announced that the next meeting will be the spring tea to be held at the Hoxie High School on April 27. Members are asked to go directly to the high school band room where they will be entertained by the Percussion Ensemble.

25 Years Ago

April 19, 2001

Hoxie Implement Named Top Dealer

Reinke Manufacturing Company, Inc. (RMCI) has announced that Hoxie Implement Company, Inc. of Hoxie has been named the number 10 Reinke Irrigation Systems dealer in North America. RMCI is a world leader in the manufacturing of center pivot and lateral move irrigation systems.

Broadway

The children's choir accompanied by Lisa Popp with her guitar, had the special songs at the Sunday morning service. Most all sang with gusto - good! Peyton Renner spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Simon as Cheri had the flu.

Katherine Simon, Stella Sumner, Lisa Popp and Melanie Cooper attended the April 7 ABW Spring Rally in Sharon Springs.

Jennings/Allison

The sixth grade students toured the Colby Community College and Goodland Vocational College Tuesday for a career education seminar. Students chose which subject they might be interested in as a future career and attended those workshops.

Those attending were Clint Krizek, Seth Ritter, Brian Miller, Marcus McKenna, Justin Meitl, Kimberly Coiner and Mrs. Jennings.

The Dave Krizek family visited his parents Brendan DeeAnna Krizek Sunday afternoon.

Scrappy Quilters Club

On April 10, nine Scrappy Quilters attended the High Plains Kansas After 5 Club's Quilting Bee. It was held at the Shepard's Staff in Rexford.

The ladies from Joyce's Fabric in Colby hosted a parade of quilts. Quilts included patchwork, applique, embroidery, signature, hand and machine quilted, miniature to king size, Internet to antique.

Golfers Take 4th at Goodland

Cole Nondorf fired an 18-hole total of 75 to claim first-place honors at the Goodland Invitational Golf Tournament on April 10.

Nondorf's first-place finish helped the Indians come away with a fourth-place team finish.

School Play Scheduled for April 26

Golden Plains High School will be performing its annual all-school play on Thursday, April 26.

The play, simply entitled, "Yearbook," is written by Steven Fendrick and highlights four students reflecting on their past year in high school by viewing the first copies of their yearbook.

Live Nation-Ticketmaster Lose Their Monopolization Case

Topeka – Kansas Attorney General Kris Kobach and a coalition of 33 other attorneys general today won their lawsuit against Live Nation after a jury found that Live Nation and Ticketmaster violated federal and state antitrust laws by eliminating competition and driving up costs for fans, artists, and venues across the country. After a five-week trial, the jury found that Kobach and the coalition successfully proved that Live Nation and Ticketmaster have unlawfully maintained and abused their monopoly power that prevents other ticketing services, venue owners, and concert promoters from successfully competing. As a result, fans were charged drastically higher prices for tickets.

In May 2024, Attorney General Kobach along with a coalition of 40 other states, and the United States Department of Justice (DOJ) sued Live Nation, alleging that its control over almost every aspect of the live event business – from venue ownership to event promotion to ticketing services through Ticketmaster – allowed it to raise costs for fans and artists and suppress competition. During the trial that began on March 2, DOJ and eight states reached a settlement with Live Nation, which Attorney General Kobach and the coalition of 33 states rejected, choosing to continue litigation.

“There’s a reason why concert ticket prices today are outrageously high – way higher than they were 20 or 30 years ago. It’s because Live Nation and Ticketmaster have been using their monopoly power to rip off consumers and artists. We won in court because the facts are overwhelming. I refused to accept the DOJ’s weak settlement, because Kansas concertgoers deserve lower prices,” Kobach said.

The jury today found Live Nation and Ticketmaster liable for violating federal and state laws by engaging in anticompetitive conduct. The jury found that Ticketmaster unlawfully maintains a monopoly in the market for ticketing services at major concert venues. The jury also found that Live Nation has a monopoly in the market for large amphitheaters used by artists and that Live Nation unlawfully requires artists who use the amphitheaters it owns to also use its event promotion services. In addition, the jury determined that fans have been overcharged for concert tickets at major concert venues across the country.

Having successfully proven their case on liability to the jury, Attorney General Kobach and the coalition will argue for remedies and financial penalties at a separate bench trial.

Museum News

By Shari Buss, Director, Hansen Museum

The Hansen Museum had a full and engaging week, highlighted by creative classes, featured artists, and a captivating exhibition. Our Magic of Painting classes, led by the talented instructor Hope Blakely, brought both challenge and joy to participants over the weekend. Saturday’s class embraced the spirit of the Christmas season as artists worked on a charming and intricate painting of Santa blowing bubbles. While the piece proved to be a bit challenging, the classroom was filled with holiday cheer, and the experience reflected the joy and hope that Christmas so often brings. On Sunday, the mood shifted to a more relaxed and playful atmosphere as participants painted a delightful and happy little cow. With a less technical approach, the class enjoyed a fun and easygoing day of creativity. If you weren’t able to join us this time, don’t worry—Hope will be returning in July for another weekend of classes. Be sure to stay tuned for details on what inspiring painting she’ll bring next.

In addition to the artistic energy in our classrooms, the Museum has been filled with the lovely scents of our April Artist of the Month, Amy Stockman. Amy creates beautifully crafted luxury candles and melts using a premium coconut and soy wax blend. Each piece is carefully hand-poured, resulting in clean-burning candles that combine elegance with exceptional fragrance. Her work blends high-quality ingredients with thoughtful design, offering everything from subtle, soothing scents to rich, distinctive aromas. Amy’s collection brings a warm and inviting atmosphere to any space, and we invite you to stop by the Hansen Museum this month to experience her artistry firsthand.

We also encourage everyone to explore our current exhibition, SPECTACLE, toured by the National Geographic Society. This extraordinary collection of photography takes viewers on a visual journey from the Plains of Kansas to the breathtaking Dolomites in Italy.

Among the many striking images are Jim Reed’s photograph capturing the translucent vortex of a tornado in Greeley County, Kansas, and Sebastia Wahlhuetter’s

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FHSU to Host Musical “Collisions” at 9th Annual New Music Festival

By FHSU University Communications

Hays - Fort Hays State University will present the world premiere of “Collisions,” an original musical theatre composition by Catherine Trieschmann and Alex Underwood, as the featured performance of the university’s ninth annual New Music Festival. The free concert will begin at 7:30 p.m. on April 25 in the Beach-Schmidt Performing Arts Center.

The new work brings together professional and student performers. Featured performers include Broadway singer Julie Foldesi, opera soloist Katelyn Mattson, and local students. The FHSU New Music Ensemble, composed of university music faculty, will perform the orchestration.

“There is so much going on musically that our students and community in this rural area are never exposed to,” said Kristin Pisano, associate professor of music and founder of the New Music Festival. “Having students involved in the evening performance is also important because it’s so beneficial for them to see how things work in a professional setting.”

“Collisions” was commissioned by the FHSU New Music Ensemble, a faculty group dedicated to performing and promoting works by living composers. This year’s festival marks a milestone as the first to feature musical theatre.

As part of the festival, Underwood and Trieschmann will present a lecture at 1:30 p.m. on April 24 in Palmer Hall, Room 115 (Malloy Hall), offering insight into their creative process and collaboration.

The April 25 performance will feature an ensemble of faculty and guest artists, including Brian Buckstead, violin; Ben Cline, cello; Alex Underwood, piano; Hilary Shepard, flute; Kristin Pisano, clarinet; and Luke Helker, percussion, along with students from Hays High School and Fort Hays State University.

Trieschmann is an award-winning playwright whose work has been produced Off-Broadway, Off-West End in London, and in major regional and international theaters. She currently serves as director of theatre at Fort Hays State University.

Underwood is an accomplished choral conductor, music director, and composer. With more than a decade of experience as a public school educator, he currently leads the music and drama program at Hays High School.

Together, Trieschmann and Underwood have collaborated on several musical projects, including “Ghost Girl,” which received an honorable mention from the Relentless Musical Award, the largest prize for new musicals in the United States.

For more information about the New Music Festival, visit the Fort Hays State University website or contact the Department of Music and Theatre.

NIFA Awards \$3.8M to Address Food Animal Veterinary Shortages

Published on December 17, 2025

The U.S. Department of Agriculture’s (USDA) National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) recently announced 22 grants totaling \$3.8 million had been awarded to help remedy the growing shortage of food animal veterinarians, especially in rural communities.

The AVMA was instrumental in pushing Congress to create and fund the program, which was authorized by the 2014 Farm Bill. The first grants were announced in 2016.

The funding is part of an ongoing effort by federal and state governments and a host of stakeholders to address a critical and worsening shortage of food animal veterinarians. As of fiscal year 2025, the USDA has designated a record 243 veterinary shortage areas across 46 states, primarily in rural and livestock-producing regions.

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Of the 86,251 veterinarians working in clinical practice in 2024, just 3.4% (3,424) worked in food animal practice, 5.2% (5,282) in mixed practice, and 3.9% (3,979) in equine practice, according to AVMA data.

NIFA’s Veterinary Services Grant Program (VSGP) is one of several initiatives to increase the numbers of veterinarians working in these important areas and also retain the current workforce. VSGP supports rural food animal veterinary clinics and education and training for veterinarians, veterinary students, and veterinary technicians.

Specifically, eight grants for education, extension, and training (EET) were awarded along with 14 grants for rural practice enhancement (RPE).

EET grants fund education and training programs at AVMA Council on Education-accredited veterinary colleges and by professional organizations to build specialized skills for current and future veterinarians and veterinary technicians. RPE grants provide up to \$125,000 per project to rural veterinary clinics in designated shortage areas to purchase equipment, support staffing, and improve operations for food animal veterinary services.

Among the EET grant recipients, each of which received \$250,000, is Colorado State University for a project implementing livestock-focused education in high school and veterinary curricula using virtual reality.

Grants went to another seven educational projects: “Partnering with communities to enhance rural veterinary experiences in a DVM training program,” Louisiana State University

“Developing a post-doctorate in food animal medicine and surgery program,” Texas Tech University
“Veterinary Student Selectives: Collaborative learning in food and fiber animal medicine,” University of Arizona

“Training veterinarians as stewards of honey bee health in the heartland of the Eastern U.S. honey bee industry,” University of Georgia

“Enhancement of livestock veterinary education and livestock extension,” University of Alaska-Fairbanks

“Preparing food animal-focused veterinary diagnostic pathologists,” Iowa State University

“A collaborative effort to recruit veterinary students and retain food and large animal veterinary practitioners in veterinary shortage situations,” University of Kentucky with Auburn University

Grants also went to the following 14 rural practices: Sage Creek Veterinary, Wall, South Dakota

Hoxie Veterinary Service, Hoxie, Kansas

Camellia City Animal Hospital, McComb, Mississippi

Zook Veterinary Services, Waynoka, Oklahoma

Mid-Valley Veterinary Hospital, Orland, California

Lawson Veterinary Services, Harrah, Oklahoma

Rolling Hills Veterinary Service, Cascade, Iowa

Family Veterinary Services, Monticello, Iowa

Blue Mountain Dairy Veterinary Services, East Ryegate, Vermont

Rocking KM Veterinary Service, Council Grove, Kansas

Boonesboro Animal Clinic, Winchester, Kentucky

Indianola Veterinary Clinic, Indianola, Iowa

Bovine Veterinary Solutions, Maricopa, Arizona

Dr. Rachel W. McCurdy Veterinary Services, Morton, Mississippi

Details about the educational projects are available at <https://portal.nifa.usda.gov/enterprise-search/ss/2834>, and details about the grants to rural practices are available at <https://portal.nifa.usda.gov/enterprise-search/ss/2835>.

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆◆

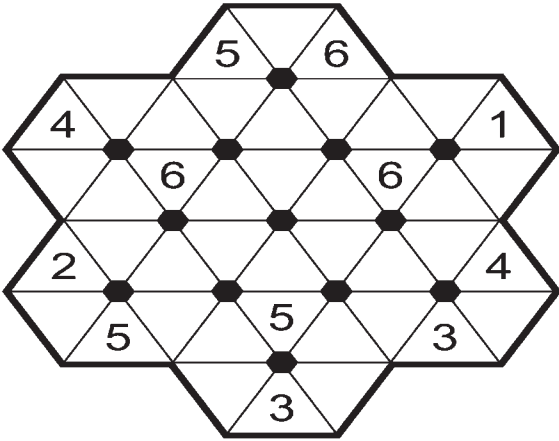
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SNOWFLAKES

by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆◆

◆ Easy ◆◆ Medium ◆◆◆ Difficult

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Super Crossword

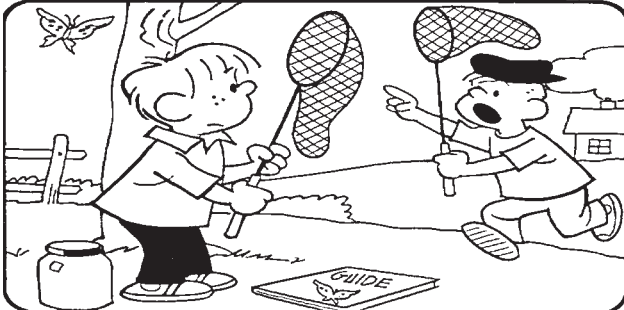
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 - 23 Actor Freeman
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 - 27 Layer
 - 29 Behavioral quirks
 - 30 Eat soup undaintly
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 - 35 Short swims
 - 38 Lean (on)
 - 39 Horse cousin
 - 40 Parked oneself
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 - 51 Cost to get out of jail
 - 52 Pro at W-2s
 - 53 Riddle, part 3
 - 58 Open field
 - 60 Actor Sean
 - 61 — Grey tea
 - 62 Curly's friend
 - 63 "For — Know" (1971 hit song)
 - 65 Stephen of "Still Crazy"
 - 67 Rent splitter, often
 - 70 Not only that
 - 74 Riddle, part 4
 - 78 "Anti-art" art
 - 79 New York governor
 - 80 Beauty spot?
 - 81 City in Japan
 - 82 Pull hard
 - 84 Camelot wife
 - 86 Grandson of Eve
 - 88 Diesel of film
 - 89 End of the riddle
 - 96 Balladeer Janis
 - 97 Oahu shindig
 - 98 Relative of "psst"
 - 99 Polish port on the Baltic
 - 102 It's currently newsworthy
 - 105 Flight takeoff abbr.
 - 108 Be like a sot
 - 109 Tex-Mex staple
 - 110 Start of the riddle's answer
 - 116 Set of beliefs
 - 120 Mixed bag
 - 121 Painter Nolde
 - 122 Kylo — ("Star Wars: The Force Awakens" character)
 - 123 End of the riddle's answer
 - 127 Singer Siepi
 - 129 In a tomb
 - 130 Garlic mayonnaise
 - 131 Las —, New Mexico
 - 132 Unrivaled
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 - 2 One more of the same
 - 3 Dish of finely diced vegetables
 - 4 Pull along
 - 5 Muse with a lyre
 - 6 Jeans fabric
 - 7 13-Down of June
 - 8 Sitcom alien
 - 9 Mob boss Frank
 - 10 Didn't dine out
 - 11 "Thank you, Yves!"
 - 12 Manning of the gridiron
 - 13 Precious stones
 - 14 Stair user's aid
 - 15 "And you," to Caesar
 - 16 Pot bits
 - 17 Stage scenery item
 - 18 Up 'til
 - 19 Barrett of rock
 - 25 "It — fair!"
 - 28 Clean air org.
 - 32 Bladderlike sac
 - 33 Beginning on
 - 34 Mongolian desert
 - 36 Dad
 - 37 See 124-Down
 - 41 Rower's tool
 - 42 Destiny
 - 43 Choir woman
 - 45 Melville novel
 - 46 Corrida cry
 - 48 Holy Mlle.
 - 49 Give some of yours to
 - 50 1974 and '75 World Hockey Association winners
 - 54 2002 scandal company
 - 55 Ceaselessly
 - 56 Big failures
 - 57 Irish poet
 - 58 Sgt. Friday's force
 - 59 Fitzgerald of jazz fame
 - 64 Marshal Earp
 - 66 Up — (stumped)
 - 68 Power bike
 - 69 Qom resident
 - 71 Remove any potential evidence
 - 72 Pen name of H.H. Munro
 - 73 Where Muscat is
 - 75 Spicy stew
 - 76 Skin-coloring dye
 - 77 "Such a pity"
 - 83 The NCAA's Bruins
 - 85 '50s prez
 - 87 Texter's "Yikes!"
 - 89 Olympic figure skater Katarina
 - 90 "Funny one!"
 - 91 Entertaining little tale
 - 92 Innuendo queen West
 - 93 Need to
 - 94 "— Him on a Sunday"
 - 95 Perry of pop
 - 100 Round solids
 - 101 Most acute
 - 103 Observer
 - 104 "— shalt not ..."
 - 106 Grad-school proposal
 - 107 Like Obama: Abbr.
 - 111 Revlon brand
 - 112 Bone of the shin
 - 113 Wise, skillful lawgiver
 - 114 Neopagan religion
 - 115 Observant
 - 117 Young lady
 - 118 Nothing but
 - 119 Quite a while
 - 123 Shred
 - 124 With
 - 125 37-Down, very poor rating
 - 126 Moose's cousin
 - 128 Fill in (for)

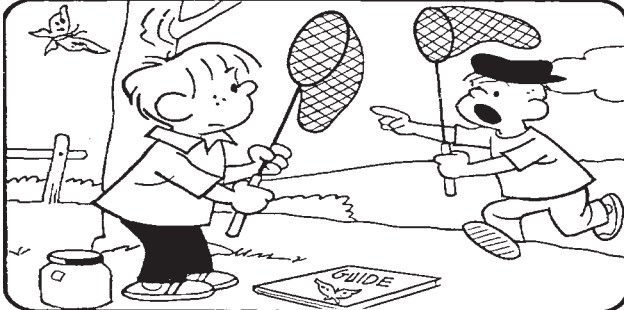
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Butterfly is missing. 2. Fence rail is missing. 3. Jar is smaller. 4. Net is different. 5. Arm is moved. 6. House is missing.

CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: F equals T

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GO FIGURE!

by Linda Thistle

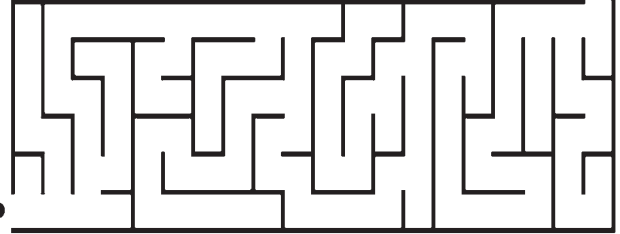
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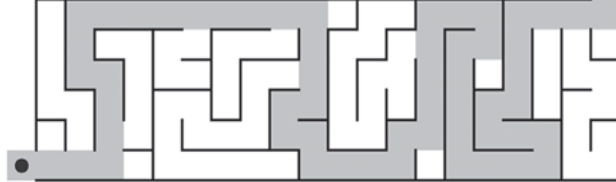
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Kids' Maze

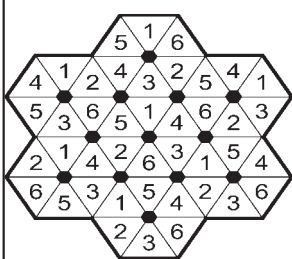


Kids' Maze Solution



SNOWFLAKES

solution



Go Figure!

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Super Crossword

Answers

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PUBLIC NOTICE

(First published in The Sheridan Sentinel April 9, 2026)

NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION STATE OF KANSAS SHERIDAN COUNTY K.S.A. 25-204

In accordance with the provisions of KSA 25-204, notice is hereby given that a Primary Election will be held August 4, 2026. Candidates for the following offices will be nominated by each political party which has qualified to participate in the Primary Election:

One candidate for State Senate - 40th District
One candidate for United States House of Representatives - 1st District
One candidate for Governor/Lt. Governor
One candidate for Secretary of State
One candidate for Attorney General
One candidate for State Treasurer
One candidate for Commissioner of Insurance
One candidate for State Representative - 118th District

One candidate for Member, State Board of Education - 5th District
One candidate for County Commissioner - 1st District

One candidate for Hospital Board of Trustees
One candidate for City of Hoxie Water Commissioner

One candidate for Township Clerk in each of the following townships: Bowcreek, Solomon, and Valley
The following officers will be elected in each political party which has qualified to participate in the Primary Election:

One Precinct Committeeman in each Precinct
One Precinct Committeewoman in each Precinct
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed my official seal.
Done this 7th day of April, A.D. 2026.
Heather Bracht
Sheridan County Election Officer

(Last published in The Sheridan Sentinel April 23, 2026)

PUBLIC NOTICE

(First published in The Sheridan Sentinel April 16, 2026)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERIDAN COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of
DANNY L. BACON, Deceased

Case No.: SD-2025-PR-000023

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in said court by Ronda Bacon and Bryce Bacon, co-administrators of the estate of Danny L. Bacon, deceased, praying for a final settlement of said estate, approval of the acts, proceedings and accounts of the administrators, allowance for the services of the administrators and attorney's fees and expenses; and also praying that the court determine the heirs entitled to the estate and the proportion or part thereof to which each is entitled, and distribute and assign the same to them; that the administration of the estate be closed; that the administrators be discharged and released from further liability.

You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 3rd day of June 2026, at 10:00 a.m. of said day, in said court, in the city of Hoxie, Sheridan County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

/s/ Ronda Bacon
Ronda Bacon, Co-Administrator

/s/ Bryce Bacon
Bryce Bacon, Co-Administrator

/s/ Steven W. Hirsch
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PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE – GMD 4 Open Board Position

The Northwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 4, based in Colby, Kansas, is accepting applications to fill an open position on its Board of Directors (Position #5), representing Thomas County.

Eligible applicants must reside within the district boundaries and own at least 40 contiguous acres of land in Thomas County.

Interested individuals should submit a letter of interest no later than May 25, 2026, to:

GMD No. 4
P.O. Box 905
Colby, KS 67701

The letter must include the applicant's home address and the legal description of the land owned in Thomas County.

The Board is scheduled to consider applicants at its meeting on June 3, 2026. Applicants are encouraged to attend. If the meeting is postponed, notice will be provided via email and posted on the district's website at www.gmd4.org.

PUBLIC NOTICE

(First published in The Sheridan Sentinel April 23, 2026)

GENERAL NOTICE TO CONTROL NOXIOUS WEEDS

The Kansas Noxious Weed Law K.S.A. 2-1314 et seq requires all persons who own or supervise land in Kansas to control and eradicate all weeds declared noxious by legislative action. The weeds declared noxious are: field bindweed, musk thistle, Johnsongrass, Bur Ragweed, Canada Thistle, *Sericea lespedeza*, Leafy Spurge, Hoary Cress, Quackgrass, Russian Knapweed, Kudzu, and Pignut.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Kansas Noxious Weed Law to every person who owns or supervises land in **Sheridan County** that noxious weeds growing or found on such land shall be controlled and eradicated. Control is defined as preventing the production of viable seed and the vegetative spread of the plant.

Failure to observe this notice may result in the County:

1. Serving a legal notice requiring control of the noxious weeds within a minimum of five days. Failure to control the noxious weeds within the time period allowed may result in the county treating the noxious weeds at the landowner's expense and placing a lien on the property if the bill is not paid within 30 days or,

2. Filing criminal charges for non-compliance. Conviction for non-compliance may result in a fine of \$100 per day of non-compliance with a maximum fine of \$1,500.

The public is also hereby notified that it is a violation of the Kansas Noxious Weed Law to barter, sell, or give away infested nursery stock or livestock feed unless the feed is fed on the farm where grown or sold to a commercial processor that will destroy the viability of the noxious weed seed. Custom harvesting machines must be labeled with a label provided by the Kansas Department of Agriculture and must be free of all weed seed and litter when entering the State and when leaving a field infested with noxious weeds. Additional information may be obtained from the Sheridan County Noxious Weed Department or by contacting the Kansas Department of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Dr., Manhattan, KS 66502

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Deadline to File or Withdraw Candidacy

Deadline to file or withdraw candidacy for the 2026 Election is Monday, June 1, 2026, at 12:00 noon. The following offices will be nominated: Sheridan County Commissioner District #1; City of Hoxie Water Commissioner; Sheridan County Health Complex Board of Trustees - one (1) position; Township Clerk for Bowcreek, Solomon and Valley and one (1) precinct committeeman and one (1) committeewoman for each precinct. There is a \$20 filing fee for each office. Filing packets may be picked up at the Clerk's office or you may contact the office with questions at 675-3361.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

TO: all oil and gas producers, Unleased Mineral Interest Owners, Landowners, and all persons whomever concerned.

Notice of Filing Application

You and each of you are hereby notified that Compass Exploration LLC has filed an application to commence the injection of salt water into the Lansing Kansas City Formations through the Bittel E-1 wellbore located in Sec 11-10s-26w, Sheridan County, KS, with a maximum injection rate of 200 barrels per day with a maximum pressure of 200 psig.

Any persons who object to or protest this application shall be required to file their objections or protest with the Conservation Division of the Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas within thirty (30) days from the date of this publication. These protests shall be filed pursuant to the commission regulations and must state specific reasons why the grant of the application may cause waste, violate correlative rights, or pollute the natural resources of the State of Kansas.

All persons interested or concerned shall take notice of the foregoing and shall govern themselves accordingly.

Compass Exploration LLC
2777 U.S Highway 24
Hill City, Kansas 67642

PUBLIC NOTICE

(First published in The Sheridan Sentinel April 23, 2026)

IN THE MATTER OF THE Robben Family Trust utd 3-31-11

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Take notice that Charles F. Robben passed away on March 30, 2026.

Creditors have four (4) months from the date of first publication of this notice to creditors to present claims to the trustee or said claims shall be forever barred as against the trustee or trust property.

\Douglas C. Robben\
Douglas C. Robben
11551 S Road 80W
Grinnell, KS 67738
785.673.8093

Trustee
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Attorney for Trustee

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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IN THE MATTER OF THE Robben Irrevocable Farm Trust utd 3-31-11

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERIDAN COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of
KEITH GOETZ, Deceased.

Case No.: SD-2025-PR-000013

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in said court by Mark Anderson, executor of the estate of Keith Goetz, deceased, praying for a final settlement of said estate, approval of the acts, proceedings and accounts of the executors, allowance for the services of the executors and attorney's fees and expenses; and also praying that the court determine the heirs entitled to the estate and the proportion or part thereof to which each is entitled, and distribute and assign the same to them in accordance with the provisions of decedent's will; that the administration of the estate be closed; that the executors be discharged and released from further liability.

You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 3rd day of June 2026, at 10:00 a.m. of said day, in said court, in the city of Hoxie, Sheridan County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard.

/s/ Mark Anderson
Mark Anderson, Executor

/S/ Steven W. Hirsch
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERIDAN COUNTY, KANSAS

Board of County Commissioners of Sheridan County, Kansas, Plaintiffs,
v. Castillo Contractors, et al., Defendants.
Case #SD-2026-CV-000001

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of an Order of Sale issued to me out of the District Court of Sheridan County, Kansas, in the above entitled action, I will, on **May 26, 2026 at 8:00 o'clock a.m.**, on said day, in the courtroom of the courthouse in the City of Hoxie, Sheridan County, Kansas, offer at public sale, and sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, all of the property described below:

Tract # 1

Legal Description: #1-HO257 Lot 12, Block 27, Loveland Addition to the City of Hoxie, Sheridan County, Kansas.

Tax lien amount \$321.78

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Castillo Contractors

Tract # 3

Legal Description: #1-HC120 - A tract in Block 15 more particularly described as follows:

commencing at the southeast corner of Lot 12 in said Block 15, thence due west along the south boundary line of said Lot 12 a distance of 35 feet, thence due north a distance of six feet thence due east and parallel to the south boundary line of said Lot 2 a distance of 35 feet thence due south a distance of 6 feet to the point of beginning; and Lot 13 in Block 15, less a tract in said Lot 13 described as follows: commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 13 in LBlock 15 thence due south a distance of 8 inches more or less to the north wall of the present block building located on said Lot 13, thence east a distance of 92 feet thence due north a distance of 8 inches more or less to the north boundary line of said Lot 13, thence west along the north boundary line of said Lot 13 a distance of 92 feet to the point of beginning; and all of Lots 14 and 15 in Block 15, all the above legal description being in the original town, now City of Hoxie, Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax lien amount \$15,905.76

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Terry Feldt, Kathleen Feldt, Midwest Energy Inc, Peoples State Bank, Kansas Department of Revenue

Department of Revenue

Tract # 5

Legal Description: #1-VA348 - Lots 13 and 14, Block 4 less the west 25 feet in the town of Studley, Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax Lien Amount \$166.36

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: David E. Goff, Kansas Department of Revenue

Tract # 6

Legal Description: #1-VA348A - Lots 15 and 16, Block 4 in the town of Studley, Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax Lien Amount \$1193.12

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: David E. Goff, Kansas Department of Revenue

Tract # 7

Legal Description: #2-AD005B - A 30% interest in and to all oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from the S/2 18-6-26, Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax Lien Amount \$195.00

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Shirley Lee Mayber

Tract # 8

Legal Description: #2-AD005P - A 30% interest in and to all oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from the N/2 NW/4 19-6-26, Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax lien amount \$48.74

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Shirley Lee Mayber

Tract # 9

Legal Description: #2-AD014 - A 30% interest in and to all oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from the W/2 20-6-26, Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax lien amount \$195.00

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Shirley Lee Mayber

Tract # 10

Legal Description: #2-AD032B - A 30% interest in and to all oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from the NE/4 24-6-27, Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax lien amount \$97.52

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Shirley Lee Mayber

Tract # 11

Legal Description: #2-ES262 - All of the oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from the SW/4 and the W/2 SE/4 of 24-10-26 Sheridan County Kansas (term interest til 11-30-2017 and so long thereafter).

Tax Lien amount \$83.86

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Clara Jean Unrein

Tract # 12

Legal Description: #2-VA022L - A 2% of a 15 % interest in and to all of the oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from Section 27-8-26 Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax lien Amount \$4.59

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Katy Anders

Tract # 13

Legal Description: #2-VA140C - A 2% of a 15% interest in and to all of the oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from the E/2 E/2 28-8-26 Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax lien amount \$1.02

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Katy Anders

Tract # 14

Legal Description: #2-VA140C - A 2% of a 15% interest in and to all of the oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from the E/2 E/2 28-8-26 Sheridan County Kansas.

Tax lien amount \$1.02

all plus interest and court costs.

Defendants: Katy Anders

The above described real estate is taken as property of the respective defendants designated herein as the owner thereof and is to be sold and will be sold without appraisalment to satisfy said Order of Sale and the respective liens adjudged thereon.

WITNESS my hand at Hoxie, Kansas, this April 16, 2026.

Brandon Carver
Sheriff of Decatur County, Kansas.

ATTEST:

MARY VILLEGAS
Clerk of the District Court

STEVEN W. HIRSCH
County Attorney

PUBLIC NOTICE

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERIDAN COUNTY, KANSAS
PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of JIM SULZMAN, Deceased. Case No.: SD-2026-PR-

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition dated April 17, 2026, has been filed in this court by Jim Kruse, as executor named in the will of Jim Sulzman, deceased, praying for administration of said estate and for the appointment of Jim Kruse as executor of the estate.

You are further advised that the petitioner in this matter has requested administration pursuant to the Kansas Simplified Estates Act, and if such request is granted the court may not supervise administration of the estate and no further notice of any action of the executor or other proceedings in the estate will be given except for notice of final settlement of the decedent's estate. Should written objections to simplified administration be filed with the court, the court may order supervised administration to ensue.

You are hereby required to file your written defenses to the appointment of Jim Kruse as executor of the estate on or before **May 18, 2026 at 11:30 A.M.** in this court in the city of Hoxie, Sheridan County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the estate within four months from the date of the first publication of this notice as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited they shall be forever barred.

/s/ Jim Kruse
Jim Kruse, Petitioner

/s/ Steven W. Hirsch
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PUBLIC NOTICE

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NOTICE OF HEARING

In the Matter of the Proposed Greater GMD4 Local Enhanced Management Area in Cheyenne, Rawlins, Gove, Logan, Sheridan, Sherman, Thomas, and Wallace Counties, Kansas

Pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1041(b) and K.A.R. 5-19-3, notice is hereby provided that the Chief Engineer of the Kansas Department of Agriculture, Division of Water Resources (Chief Engineer) will hold a hearing to consider the proposed Greater GMD4 Local Enhanced Management Area (LEMA) Plan submitted to the Chief Engineer by Northwest Kansas Groundwater Management District Number 4 in-person at the City Limits Convention Center, 2227 S. Range Avenue, Colby, KS 67701, Colby, Kansas, on May 27, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. central time.

The hearing will consider whether one or more of the circumstances specified in subsection (a) through (d) of K.S.A. 82a-1036 exist within the proposed boundaries of the proposed LEMA, whether the public interest of K.S.A. 82a-1020 requires that one or more corrective control provisions be adopted, and whether the geographic boundaries of the proposed LEMA are reasonable.

Anyone may submit written or oral statements to be included in the record of the hearing. Oral statements will be accepted only at the public hearing. Written statements may be submitted at the hearing, in advance of the hearing, or following the hearing. The deadline for the submission of written statements following the hearing will be June 10, 2026. Written statements may be provided by mail to the Kansas Department of Agriculture, c/o Ronda Hutton; 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, faxed to (785) 564-6777, or e-mailed to ronda.hutton@ks.gov.

Earl D. Lewis, P.E.
Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources
Kansas Department of Agriculture

Commission Minutes 4/14/26

Now on this 14th day of April 2026, the Board of Commissioners, Sheridan County, Kansas met in regular session with Chairman David Stithem presiding. Other members present were Kyle Emigh, Mike "Buck" Mader, Steve Hirsch, County Attorney, and County Clerk, Heather Bracht.

At 8:00 a.m. Stithem called the meeting to order.

Those in attendance stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Joe Herskowitz, Road & Bridge Supervisor, came to the table. The Board and Herskowitz discussed the trailer to be used up in the City of Selden for the Road & Bridge employees there.

Emigh made a motion to approve purchasing a 20' shipping container at a cost of \$3,500 from TSB Storage in Hays. Mader seconded the motion. Carried 3-0. Road & bridge will pick the container up.

All used posts from the sign project have been moved down to the milling pile, to be gotten rid of at a later date.

The old fence and some trees have been pulled out of the property east of the recycling building.

Permission was given to remove three trees on the north side of the front

yard of the Courthouse.

Herskowitz will advise when the bucket truck will be ready.

The shed roof has been repaired.

There was discussion about some roads and the BoMag having a mechanical problem.

Sheriff Brandon Carver came to the table and gave an update on the bill to add an additional sales tax question on the ballot for the new law enforcement building. Legislature squashed the conversation. Bracht will talk with the Secretary of State's Office to see about the requirements for an "advisory" election.

Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks is planning a community meeting in the near future. More details coming.

Carver advised the Board that he hired Cody Johnson as full-time deputy. Johnson will attend the academy in the near future.

Don Rivera, Western KS Child Advocacy, entered the meeting. Rivera distributed information on what the group does. They are keeping their budget request at \$5,000.

Tracy Barton, Executive Director for KNRC and Cody Younkin, Logan Co. Commissioner, came to the table. Barton distributed information on the Lesser Prairie Chicken and discussed the various projects they had worked on. There are currently 34 counties involved with KNRC

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NOTICE OF HEARING

In the Matter of the Proposed Sheridan 6 Local Enhanced Management Area in Sheridan County, Kansas

Pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1041(b) and K.A.R. 5-19-3, notice is hereby provided that the Chief Engineer of the Kansas Department of Agriculture, Division of Water Resources (Chief Engineer) will hold a hearing to consider the proposed Sheridan 6 Local Enhanced Management Area (LEMA) Plan submitted to the Chief Engineer by Northwest Kansas Groundwater Management District Number 4 in-person at the Sheridan County fairgrounds building, 940 Oak Ave., Hoxie, Kansas, on May 26, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. central time.

The hearing will consider whether one or more of the circumstances specified in subsection (a) through (d) of K.S.A. 82a-1036 exist within the proposed boundaries of the proposed LEMA, whether the public interest of K.S.A. 82a-1020 requires that one or more corrective control provisions be adopted, and whether the geographic boundaries of the proposed LEMA are reasonable.

Anyone may submit written or oral statements to be included in the record of the hearing. Oral statements will be accepted only at the public hearing. Written statements may be submitted at the hearing, in advance of the hearing, or following the hearing. The deadline for the submission of written statements following the hearing will be June 9, 2026. Written statements may be provided by mail to the Kansas Department of Agriculture, c/o Ronda Hutton; 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, faxed to (785) 564-6777, or e-mailed to ronda.hutton@ks.gov.

Earl D. Lewis, P.E.
Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources
Kansas Department of Agriculture

AmberMed Board of Trustees Minutes 2/25/26

Board of Trustees Meeting Minutes February 25, 2026

Chairman Joy Bretz called the meeting to order at 10:06am in the AmberMed Conference Room. Members present are Marcella Cameron, Renae Kersenbrock, Jenny Kennedy, and Teri Moss. Others present are Chad Koster, Rebecca Bird, Shelby Moss, and Dana Geisinger.

A motion was made to approve the agenda as amended with the addition of the following

in the state. Barton stated the KNRC is not considered a lobbying organization, they are considered a government organization. Stithem explained that the money that is usually budgeted for KNRC went to another need. The Board advised they are currently not interested in remaining in KNRC. Barton thanked the Board for their previous support and advised if there was a need in Sheridan County, to please contact them.

Mader made a motion to approve the April 7, 2026 Minutes as amended. Stithem seconded. Carried 3-0

The April 10, 2026 Payroll was approved as presented on a motion from Stithem and second from Emigh. Carried 3-0

Mader made a motion, seconded by Emigh, to approve the April 14, 2026 Warrants as presented. Carried 3-0

The following warrants and payroll were reviewed and approved by the Board:

General \$79,719.91
Road & Bridge \$28,053.11
Nox Weed \$2,131.00
Public Transp. \$775.25
Landfill \$2,233.46
Forfeiture \$1,095.63

At 9:51 a.m. with no further business, Stithem made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Emigh. Carried 3-0. The next regular meeting will be Tuesday, April 21, 2026, at 8:00 a.m. in the commissioner room.

Attest: Heather Bracht, County Clerk, David Stithem, Chairman

items: LTC Entrance, Auto Payment, Flooring, and Credit Card along with removing the following items: Officer Elections. 5-0

FQHC Report

Shelby explained the Azara interface will be budget-neutral in the first year due to funding from the quality grant. A motion was made to approve the Azara Interface purchase. 5-0

Consent Agenda Items: A motion was made to approve the consent agenda as presented with corrections to the Minutes. 5-0

- Board Minutes- Regular Meeting 1/28/26
- Bad Debt Write-offs - January 2026 (Clinic - \$7,109.31) (Hospital \$8,127.62)
- Accounts Payable - January 2026 (\$1,260,104.38)
- Treasurer's Report
- Overtime Report
- Board Education:
- Credentialing

Presented for recommendation for appointment to Consulting Staff:

Royan Rafiei, MD - Radiology - Consulting Finance

The financial statements were presented by Rebecca.

Rebecca was notified of a fraudulent charge on the current credit card. In accordance with protocol, the card has been locked, and a replacement is being issued. She is requesting approval to obtain a second card to use as a reserve in the future. The Board is requesting that credit card transactions be reviewed daily. A motion was made to allow Rebecca to apply for a second credit card. 5-0

Operational

One of the heating pumps has failed, while the second pump continues to operate and is currently supporting half of the building. A motion was made to research whether it would be cost-effective to replace both pumps at the same time, with approval contingent on the findings. 4-1

NexTech and Eakes phone systems were compared, after evaluating the functionality of both systems the Board selected the Eakes system for purchase. A motion was made to approve the

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purchase of the Eakes phone system contingent on three referrals, with findings communicated back to the Board. 5-0

A contract has not yet been finalized with QMS for the previously approved guttering and fascia work. Additional improvements are proposed, including installing handrails consistent with the clinic entrance and adding three exterior lights. Further updates to the vestibule are also recommended, including replacing the plywood ceiling with the same soffit material used under the walkway and adding two matching lights. Three design options were presented for consideration. A motion was made to approve the estimate for improvements to the LTC entrance. 5-0

The CT scanner maintenance agreement was discussed, which may be paid monthly through autopay or billed quarterly. By consensus, the Board approved to utilize autopay for this service.

The ER entrance subfloor is in poor condition and requires repair due to tripping-hazard concerns. After structural issues are addressed, a walk-off mat will be installed.

The blood draw room will be converted into a weights-and-measures room, designed to be wheelchair accessible, and fitted with flooring consistent with the adjacent hallway.

Proposed replacement of the dining room and serving area flooring, the products required to maintain the existing flooring are increasingly costly. The recommended option matches the flooring used in the LTC hallways and activity room, which has performed well. A motion was made to approve the LTC flooring with the contingent of using the Golf Tournament

Fundraiser funds. 5-0

Strategic Transformation Program has announced new grant opportunities for collaborative initiatives and capital investments. Long-term care facilities, hospitals, and clinics qualify. The Board agreed to pursue applications for any opportunities deemed appropriate.

Chad discussed the two Clinically Integrated Network (CIN) agreements: the Kansas Clinically Integrated Network (KCIC) affiliated with KU, and the Kansas High Value Network (KHVN) operated by the Cibolo Group.

We continue the bi-weekly meetings for Capital Campaign Planning with The Strawhecker Group. Our effort now is to find community members that will be on the leadership committees.

CEO Report
Chad's report was reviewed with no additional questions or concerns.

Personnel/HR
The employee update was presented by Justine. Justine presented proposed revisions to the OT & Call-Back Policy and the Paid Time Off Policy. A motion was made to approve the overtime callback policy and the paid time off policy with the revisions presented. 5-0

A motion was made to open a fourth position for a radiology technologist. 5-0

Department In-service
Quality/Risk Management was presented by Teresa Poage. The following narratives were reviewed by the Board.

Corporate Compliance
HIPAA
LTC

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 25, 2026, at 8:00am in the AmberMed Conference Room.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 12:56pm. 5-0

Hoxie, KS.

PRESENT WERE BOARD MEMBERS: Michael Bretz, Billi Beckman, Mitchell Baalman, Leonard Weber, Erika

Carter, Darrin Herl, Brett Oelke

SUPERINTENDENT: Sharris Werner

BOARD CLERK: Mandy Shipley

PRINCIPAL: Chris Gardner

GUESTS: Lance Baar, Travis Arnold, Trevyn Pratt, Ethan Bainter, Dylan Mader, Dominic Mishler

Michael Bretz called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Mandy Shipley took roll call attendance. Seven Board members were present.

Michael Bretz called for a moment of silence, which was observed by all in attendance, in honor of Gina Schamberger, whose years of dedicated service and lasting impact on students, friends, and fellow educators has left a meaningful and enduring legacy within our school community. She is deeply missed and will be remembered with great affection, always.

The agenda was approved as presented (Weber/Beckman 7-0).

Michael Bretz welcomed the guests present.

There were no Communications to the Board to review.

The Board moved to enter into executive session at 7:04 PM to discuss winter coach evaluations pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA for 10 minutes with the Board, Sharris Werner, Chris Gardner, and Lance Baar present, returning to open session at 7:14 PM in the District Boardroom (Herl/Carter 7-0).

The Board moved to approve 2026-2027 winter coaches as listed (Baalman/Oelke 7-0):

Jake Moss - Head High School boys & girls basketball coach

Danielle Pratt - Assistant High School girls basketball coach

Taylor Rall - Assistant High School boys basketball coach

Ryan Etherton - Head High School boys wrestling coach

Tyler Baker - Head High School girls wrestling coach

Pete Koster - Assistant High School wrestling coach

Dayton Bell - Assistant High School wrestling coach

Emma Johnson - Head Junior High girls basketball coach

Elise Heim - Assistant Junior High girls basketball coach

Miranda Marez-Scanlon - Head Junior High boys basketball coach

Jarrold Spillman - Assistant Junior High boys basketball coach

Clayton Schamberger - Head Junior High wrestling coach

Aidan Baalman - Assistant Junior High wrestling coach

The Board moved to approve the Consent Agenda as presented (Weber/Baalman 7-0).

a) Approve Current Bills

b) Approve March Treasurer's report

c) Approve March Monthly Fund Summary

d) Approve March Activity Fund Reports

e) Approve March 9, 2026 Regular Meeting Minutes

f) Approve April 2, 2026 Special Meeting Minutes

g) Approve Professional Leave

h) Approval of Gifts and Grants Awards

• None this month
Department reports were reviewed.

Transportation/

Maintenance: Travis Arnold was present to review his report with the Board.

Large Scale Projects: Sharris Werner shared updates regarding the stadium project.

Lance Baar reviewed his athletic director report with the Board.

Travis Arnold and Lance Baar exited the meeting at 7:36 PM.

FHTNW: Minutes provided, brief update from Billi Beckman.

NKESC: Minutes provided, brief update from Michael Bretz.

Food Service: The Board reviewed a written report provided by Tammy Schamberger.

Administrator Reports: Chris Gardner and Sharris Werner provided updates on their respective buildings and the district.

Dominic Mishler exited the meeting at 7:53 PM.

Ethan Bainter, Dylan Mader, and Trevyn Pratt exited the meeting at 7:59 PM.

The Board took a break at 8:08 PM and returned to open session at 8:11 PM.

The Board moved on to address the items under Old Business.

The Board moved to enter into executive session at 8:12 PM to discuss staff evaluations pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA for 20 minutes with the Board, Sharris Werner and Chris Gardner present, returning to open session at 8:32 PM in the District Boardroom (Beckman/Herl 7-0).

The Board held a brief discussion on the negotiations process. The first meeting with teachers will be held in May.

The Board moved on to address the items under New Business.

There was not a distribution from the track fund to approve this month.

The Board moved to surplus 40 student laptops and donate them to the Class of 2026 (Oelke/Baalman 7-0).

Sharris Werner reviewed non-resident enrollment recommendations for the 2026-2027 school year with the Board.

The Board moved to enter into executive session at 8:40 PM to discuss the JR/SR High Principal evaluation pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA for 45 minutes with the Board and Sharris Werner present, returning to open session at 9:25 PM in the District Boardroom (Beckman/Herl 7-0).

Chris Gardner entered the executive session at 9:10 PM and remained for the duration.

The Board took a break at 9:26 PM and returned to open session at 9:29 PM.

The Board moved to enter into executive session at 9:30 PM to discuss administrative contracts pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA for 5 minutes with the Board only, returning to

open session at 9:35 PM in the District Boardroom (Oelke/Carter 7-0).

The Board moved to extend the contract of Sharris Werner, Superintendent of Schools and Elementary Principal through the 2027-2028 school year, with salary and benefits for the 2026-2027 school year to be determined after teacher negotiations are completed (Oelke/Weber 7-0).

The Board moved to extend the contract of Chris Gardner, JR/SR High Principal through the 2027-2028 school year, with salary and benefits for the 2026-2027 school year to be determined after teacher negotiations are completed (Oelke/Weber 7-0).

The Board moved to discuss new hires, staff updates, and resignations pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA for 20 minutes with the Board, Sharris Werner and Chris Gardner present, returning to open session at 9:57 PM in the District Boardroom (Oelke/Baalman 7-0).

The Board moved to approve resignations as listed (Weber/Carter 7-0):

Beth Molton: part-time teachers aid, effective at the conclusion of the 2025-2026 school year

Amie Cheney: Assistant High School cheer sponsor

Marissa Schamberger: Full-time daycare provider, effective date TBD

The Board moved to approve sponsors for the 2026-2027 school year as listed (Weber/Baalman 7-0):

Sherry Franklin: High School Academic Bowl sponsor

Carmen Simon: Junior High Academic Bowl sponsor

Amanda Cheney: Head High School cheer sponsor

Kayla Hockett: Junior High cheer sponsor

The Board moved to approve new hires/staff updates for the 2026-2027 school year as listed (Weber/Beckman 7-0):

Halle Young: JR/SR High Vocational Agriculture Teacher/FFA sponsor

Mary Singleton: High School Math Teacher

Michelle Schippers: Transfer from 4th grade teacher to 3rd grade teacher

Norie Zerr: Intermediate Elementary Teacher

The Board moved to enter into executive session at 10:02 PM to discuss non-elected personnel pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA for 15 minutes with the Board, Sharris Werner, Chris Gardner and Mandy Shipley present, returning to open session at 10:17 PM in the District Boardroom (Herl/

Baalman 7-0).

Michael Bretz adjourned the meeting at 10:18 PM.

MICHAEL BRETZ, PRESIDENT

Approved this 11th day of May, 2026

MANDY SHIPLEY, BOARD CLERK

Museum News

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stunning image of "slackers" resting in hammocks suspended high between mountain peaks in the Dolomites. To reach their resting place, these daring individuals had to walk a wire stretched between the mountains—an incredible feat! Both photographers took significant risks to capture their images—Jim Reed chasing a powerful tornado across the Kansas plains, and Sebastia Wahlhuetter venturing to dizzying heights in the Dolomites to photograph slackers suspended between mountain peaks. These images offer just a glimpse of the awe-inspiring experiences that await you in this exhibition.

The Hansen Museum invites you to visit our current exhibition, SPECTACLE. This exciting exhibit provides a unique and interesting experience for visitors of all ages. The Hansen Museum is located at 110 W. Main Street in Logan, Kansas. Hours are Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00-4:00 p.m.; Saturday, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00-5:00 p.m.; and Sunday and holidays, 1:00-5:00 p.m. The Museum is handicap-accessible, and thanks to the Dane G. Hansen Foundation, admission is always free. For more information, please call 785-689-4846. We hope to see YOU at the Museum soon!

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