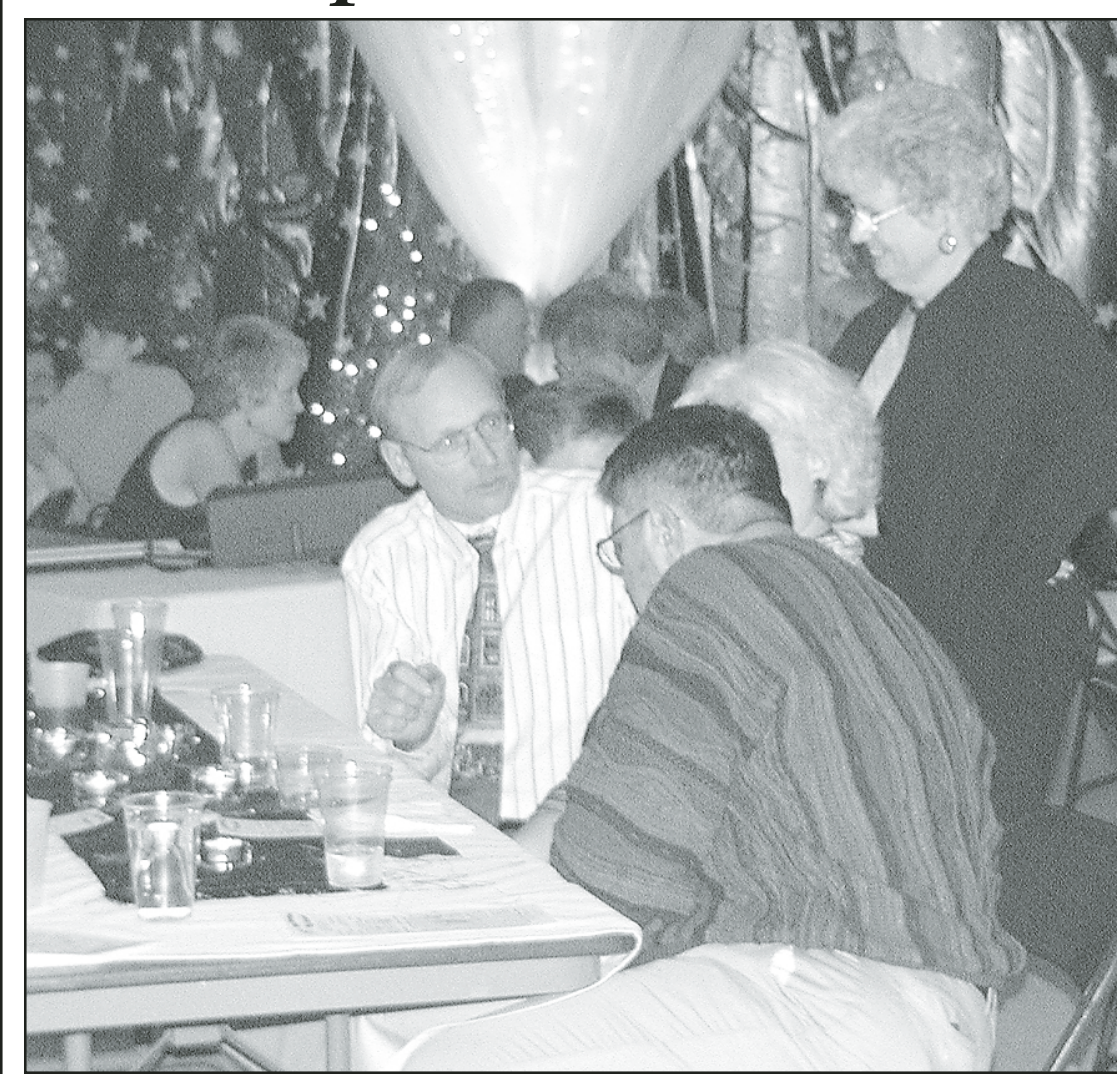


Gala helps out kids...



Friends gathered to talk during the gala evening for Big Brothers Big Sisters of Norton County. Sharing a moment were, left to right, Dale Carlson, Roberta Ryan (standing), Jerry Hawks (back to camera) and Kay Hawks (partially hidden).
— Telegram photo by Veronica Monier

Lenora woman wins final pick-em

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Eagleburger, Drew Eagleburger, Douglas Daniels, Travis Ray, Doug Ray, Debora Heskett, Tom Baumann, Johanna Holmes, Justina (no last name), all of Norton.
Incorrect on five games were: Bob Moore, Hoisington; Lexie McDowell, Hill City; Carol Voss, Brian Thompson, Clint Lowry, all of Alma; Jerome Laurin, Frank Kaiser, Roger Shearer, all of Long Island; Kenney Leiker, Hays; Craig Heskett, David Riemann, Baylee Miller, Dalton Miller, Mary Ann Hager, Sandy Husted, Marj Allen, Rosalie Schulze, Tiffney Yeager, Amy Daniels,

Regina Beikman, Kristy Keilig, Luke Keilig, Erin Hill, Ben Gallegos, Julia Gallegos, Craig Foley, all of Norton.
Missing six games were: Jared Foley, Wichita; Brody McDowell, Hill City; Lawrence Wiseman, Wilma Wiseman, Nathan Morse, Charlotte Stephenson, Sady Keilig, Dustan Daniels, all of Norton.
This was the final Pigskin Pick-Em Contest of the 2006 season. The fan picking the most correct games during the season will receive \$50 in scrip money and an engraved trophy. A story listing the order of finish of many of the fans who entered the contest this

season will be printed in the near future.
Scores of the last week's games were:
Smith Center 6, St. Francis 2
Victoria 40, Hope 12
Southern Cal 23, California 9
Ohio State 42, Michigan 39
Virginia Tech 27, Wake Forest 6
Arizona 37, Oregon 10
Boston College 38, Maryland 16
Iowa State 21, Missouri 16
Texas Tech 30, Oklahoma State 24
Purdue 28, Indiana 19
SMU 34, Tulsa 24
Kansas 39, Kansas State 20

Senator nominates Norcatur youth for academy

Kansas U.S. Sen. Pat Roberts has released the names of Kansas students who will receive his nomination for appointment to U.S. Service Academies. Included on the list is Norcatur's Aaron Helm, nominated for the United States Military Academy at West Point, N.Y. He is the son of Mike and Deb Helm.
Sen. Roberts said he is following the recommendations of his Academy Screening Board, a non-partisan group comprised of seven volunteers from across the state.

Karin Wisdom, the senator's district director in Wichita, oversees the board. The board, Sen. Roberts explained, conducted personal interviews with the applicants, as well as reviewed their written applications, GPA and standardized test scores.
Now that they have been nominated, said Sen. Roberts, the applicants then must meet the individual admission requirement of each academy. The academies will make the final decision on who will receive an appointment

of admission.
Due to the limited number of openings at each academy, not every nominee will receive an appointment. The academies this spring will announce appointments for the class entering in June, 2007.
Others nominated by Sen. Roberts from the western area of Kansas are Brian Keller of Ellis and Jami Larson of Dodge City, both nominated for the United States Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colo.

Lions look for help with food baskets

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Estate of Dan M. Liberato

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF NORTON COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION
Case No. 2006-PR-28
In the Matter of the Estate of **DAN LIBERATO**, also know as **DANIEL M. LIBERATO**, Deceased
NOTICE OF HEARING
THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:
You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this Court by Karen L. Liberato, as surviving spouse and one of the heirs of Dan Liberato, also know as Daniel M. Liberato, Deceased, praying for the determination of the descent of the following described real estate:
Lots One (1) and Two (2), Block Seven (7), New Almelo, Norton County, Kansas;
and all other property, real and personal, or interest therein owned by the decedent at the time of death; and you are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before December 13, 2006, at 9:30 o'clock a.m. of said day in said Court, in the City of Norton, in Norton 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.
Karen L. Liberato, Petitioner
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This notice is published pursuant to Kansas Statutes Annotated 9-1724.
Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his or her comments in writing with the State Bank Commissioner located at 700 Jackson, Suite 300, Topeka, Kansas, 66603-3796 before processing of the application has been completed. Processing will be completed no earlier than 21 days following the first required publication for the State Bank Commissioner. The

period may be extended by the State Bank Commissioner for good cause. The nonconfidential portion of the application file is available for inspection within three business days following the request for such file. The file may be inspected in the Office of the State Bank Commissioner during regular business hours. Photocopies of information in the nonconfidential portion of the application file will be made available upon request. A schedule of charges for such copies can be obtained from the State Bank Commissioner.
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