

Instruments of song



The Eisenhower Elementary 5th and 6th grade band students performed a concert Monday evening at the East Campus gymnasium. Under the leadership of Director Don Mordecai, each grade performed two songs, then came together to perform three more songs. Some of the song selections were the Star Wars theme, “La Cucaracha” and “Colonial Spirit.”

—Telegram photo by Carleen Bell

New displays are up at library

By Beverly Kindler

Have you checked out the current exhibits at the Norton Public Library?

Mike Volgamore is sharing a collection of stoneware pottery. All of the crocks in his collection were collected from this area. One of the cattail pitchers was a wedding gift to Harold and Violet Volgamore.

Stoneware is made of clay and often glazed to seal the porous clay. Salt glazes were often used. The color blue was popular because cobalt was a compound that could withstand the firing. Decorations were often added to the stoneware. Spongeware or spatterware was a decorative coloring of the stoneware. Salt and butter crocks usually had lids. Lids to the crocks were often broken from daily use. Many times, after the crock lids were broken, they were replaced with wooden lids.

As a young boy, Jerry Bantam was interested in photography. His father had developing equipment and an enlarger in their home, no matter where they lived.

At a local auction, Don McMullen called Jerry’s attention to a large box of early glass plate negatives along with many very old celluloid negatives. On some of the negatives there were dates and names. Mary Luehrs, librarian, used the computer and found information about the photographer A.G. Wallihan and his wife, Augusta.

Jerry’s son sent him contact paper and developing chemicals, then Jerry reproduced the prints in a make-shift dark room (their bathroom). Some of these prints are in the exhibit Jerry has shared at the library.

Jerry is still searching for the answer to the question of how these antique negatives found their way from northwest Colorado in the 1900s to Norton.

If you are interested in quilts and quilted items, take time to see the display in the art gallery. The Heritage Quilt Club had a display there for National Quilt Day in March, however some different pieces have been added.

Marcia Shoemaker’s quilted items feature flowers and witches. Jo Pakkebie’s items will make you smile and you read about pickles.

Flowers are the theme for quilted projects made by Kathie Skrdlant, Linda Fuller, Freda Weyand, Connie Miller and Alice Goscha. As you look at these make note of the hand quilting done by Kathie, Linda and Connie.

A patriotic theme was the choice of Vadis Mad-den and Judy Luft.

Jan Volgamore’s scarecrow looks ready to guard anyone’s garden patch.

Winter themes are featured in the work of Cheryl Roberts, Judy Luft, Alice Goscha, Kay Strevey and Regina Stark.

Joyce Trumbo developed a stained glass effect in her wall hanging of a butterfly.

Irma Lee Gebhard hand quilted her blue and white sampler block wall hanging.

Janice Beale likes apples; Connie Miller designed pumpkins; Kathie Skrdlant used hearts and Beverly Kindler used tea cups.

Lavon McCormack used the Double Diamond technique for her wall hanging in shades of orange.

Rita Speer’s “Therapy in Session” is a theme that quilters can relate to. You will also be drawn to Rita’s wall hanging with colorful 3-D blocks.

Did you notice the interesting scalloped edge binding that Cheryl Roberts used?

Plan to allow time on your next visit to the library to see these interesting displays.

Tourism campaigns reach far

On May 7, Kansas Tourism launched “There’s No Place Like Kansas,” a TV ad campaign that will air in more than 7,200 commercials in strategically placed out-of-state markets. Each of the seven 15-second ads was narrated by legendary Kansas broadcaster Bill Kurtis and features original music from Kelley Hunt of Lawrence. The TV campaign is supported financially in part by eight convention and visitors bureaus in the state. There are also print ads running in 23 national and regional magazines as well as a robust online advertising campaign which includes display ads, search engine marketing, and rich media. Social media including FaceBook and Twitter also play a key role in the Division’s marketing efforts.

To generate some fun “buzz” about Kansas and help the tourism industry promote area attractions, local tourism partners were asked to create themed video vignettes on the topic of “Tourism Clicks in Kansas.” Each video features a local spokesperson wearing a local version of Dorothy’s iconic red shoes from the “Wizard of Oz.”

On May 11, the second www.travelsks.com Faces and Places Tour launched in Abilene. This highly successful campaign, which started last year, features a minivan wrapped with images of Kansas that will travel to many Kansas events and destinations through October. The Kansas Lottery is joining as a new partner this year and will have giveaways for each stop along the tour.

Also this month, the www.bcbks.com Healthy Kansas Recreation campaign began. This is the second year of a partnership between Blue Cross Blue Shield of Kansas and the Tourism Division. In-state campaign activities include TV spots, radio, print and billboard advertising.

Also this week, the Tourism Division and representatives from four Kansas communities will be embarking on a multi-city media blitz through Oklahoma and Texas. The team will share summer and fall travel stories with representatives from

publications such as the Dallas Morning News, TravelLady.com, Cowboys and Indians and American Way magazine. Other public relations efforts throughout the year include hosting journalists from across the country and journalists and tour operators from Europe. Kansas Tourism partners with the Oklahoma Department of Tourism marketing to the UK and German speaking Europe.

CLUB NEWS

The Norton After-5 Club invites all area women and their guests to attend the May dinner and meeting on May 17 at 6:30 p.m. at the Town and Country Kitchen on East US-36. The cost for the dinner and meeting is \$10 per person. Reservations should be made by Tuesday, May 15 by calling Claire Ann Eppinger (877-2785).

“Down the Yellow Brick Road” is the theme for the evening. The special feature for the evening is “The Healthy Road To Travel” presented by Jan Volgamore, physical therapy assistant at the Norton County Hospital. Mrs. Volgamore will give helpful advice on how to keep more physically fit in today’s world.

The speaker for the evening will be Beverly Brungardt, Hays. Ms. Brungardt will share her story in “Fantasies And Realities.”

The Norton After-5 Club is non-denominational and represents clubs throughout the United States and Kansas. All area women are invited to attend.

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APRIL 2012 NORTON COUNTY VOUCHERS

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Board of County Commissioners met in regular session at the Norton County Courthouse April 30, 2012 to allow the following bills: K.S.A. 19-337. An itemized copy of this report is available for inspection in the County Clerk’s Office.

(* Juvenile Service Accounts)

CLAIMS-GROSS PAYROLL FUND TOTALS ONLY

County General \$172,068.28

Road and Bridge \$85,116.35

Ambulance \$38,069.60

Appraiser’s Cost \$13,270.93

County Health \$33,489.99

Economic Development \$10,424.94

Election \$6,001.93

Employee Benefits \$89,978.10

4-H Maintenance \$487.15

Noxious Weed \$8,396.47

Solid Waste \$15,047.31

Noxious Weed Capital Out \$42,547.14

Sheriff Capital Outlay \$12,072.34

E 911 Fund \$750.00

DISTRICT CORONER \$200.00

Reg Deeds Tech Fund \$215.43

911 TAX \$6,182.24

Alcohol and Drug Test Fund \$228.99

Co Attorney Diversion \$380.75

*Court Trustee - State \$21,907.03

*Court Trustee - Local \$62.25

*Case Management \$21,985.67

*JISP \$20,125.09

*Diversion \$15,493.25

*Juvenile Intake \$10,505.09

Northwest BT Region \$1,704.30

Judicial Capital Outlay \$549.00

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Paul Graham with his daughter Michelle and wife Elaine

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121 mix heifers, Stockton. 759 138.00

169 heifers, Hanston. 792 133.00

STEERS:

12 blk steers, Lenora 625 180.75

19 blk steers, Lenora 717 168.25

62 mix steers, Hanston 820 146.25

58 blk steers, Colby 950 137.00

156 blk steers, Norton. 920 136.00

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