

Astronomy for everyone



Dr. Kevin Manning, astronomer and astrophysicist from Long Island, N.Y., gave a presentation last Friday afternoon at the Norton Recreation Center. His presentation was entitled “Astronomy for Everyone: Size and Scale of the Universe” and featured a video presentation of different elements of the universe. The program for all ages was sponsored by the Norton Public Library, Midwest Energy, Norton Friends of the Library and Northwest Kansas Library System.

—Telegram photo by Dana Paxton

Business nominations now open

The Kansas Department of Commerce Office of Minority and Women Business Development is accepting nominations for Kansas minority and/or women owned businesses, advocates and young entrepreneurs. These nominations celebrate Minority Enterprise Development Week, and nominees will be recognized at the annual Kansas Minority and Women Business Awards Luncheon to be held on Oct. 9 at the Capitol Plaza Hotel in Topeka.

A new award will be estab-

lished this year: Corporation of the Year. The major corporation must demonstrate leadership and commitment in advancing Kansas minority and/or women business enterprises through its supplier/diversity program or a similar program. This recognition will be given to a major corporation, without regard to minority or woman-owned status.

The deadline to nominate a business or individual is Friday, July 6. Online nomination forms can be accessed at KansasCom-

merce.com/MEDweek. To request a hard copy of the form, please contact Rhonda Harris, rharris@kansascommerce.com or (785) 296-3425. All forms submitted by mail must be postmarked by July 6. Forms can be mailed to Rhonda Harris, Office of Minority and Women Business Development, Kansas Department of Commerce, 1000 S.W. Jackson St., Suite 100, Topeka, Kan., 66612; faxed to (785) 296-3490; or e-mailed to rharris@kansascommerce.com.

Local families needed for exchange students

ASSE International Student Exchange Programs is seeking local families to host boys and girls between the ages of 15 to 18 from a variety of countries around the world.

Students come with an enthusiasm to practice their English and experience American culture—food, sports, shopping and more. They will also share their own culture with host families. Host families welcome these students into their family, not as a guest, but as a family member, giving both the students and families a rich cultural experience.

In addition, students have pocket money for

personal expenses; and full health, accident and liability insurance. Students are academically selected onto the program, and host families can choose their students from a wide variety of backgrounds, countries and personal interests.

To become a host family or to find out how to become involved in your community, please call our Midwestern Regional Office at 1-800-736-1760 or go to www.assehosts.com to begin your host family application. There are many students to choose from, so begin the process of welcoming your new son or daughter into your family today.

Exporter of the Year to be announced June 12

The winners of the Governor’s Award of Excellence and Exporter of the Year Award will be revealed on June 12 in Manhattan. The awards are part of the Business Appreciation Month, the Kansas Department of Commerce’s annual celebration of Kansas businesses and their contributions to their communities and the state economy.

Additional awards to be presented include the Kansas Business Hall of Fame Awards (the Contemporary and Historical Heritage award winners).

The program begins at 6:20 p.m. in the Kansas State University Alumni Center, 1720

Alumni Center, Manhattan, Kan. 66506. Parking at the Alumni Center is free after 5 p.m., but space is limited. There is a parking lot across Denison Ave. (west) that also is free. In addition, there is a pay parking garage across the street on the east side of the Alumni Center.

Kansas Gov. Sam Brownback will present the main awards and give remarks, as will Kansas Commerce Secretary Pat George.

Award of Excellence Finalists: Carter Automotive Warehouse (Coffeyville); Custom Foods Inc. (DeSoto); Gove County Medical Center (Quinter); Mid-

land Marketing (Hays); Net-Standard Inc. (Kansas City, Kan.); Nex-Tech Inc. (Lenora). The Award of Excellence is sponsored by the Department and the Kansas Cavalry.

Exporter of the Year Finalists: Bergkamp Inc. (Salina); Bunting Magnetics Co. (Newton); Global Parts Inc. (Augusta); Pitsco Inc. (Pittsburg); Tank Connections LLC (Parsons). The Exporter of the Year Award is sponsored by the Department and the Kansas International Trade Coordinating Council.

STUDENT NEWS

Alexis Henson, graduate of Norton Community High School, has been awarded the David S. Stuewe Scholarship for 2012. Alexis will be a freshman attending Brigham Young University majoring in Music Education.

While at Norton Community High School, she was very active participating in both vocal and instrumental music which included Jay Singers, Java Jive Show, jazz band, brass ensemble, women’s ensemble and received superior ratings on voice, trumpet and piano at both the re-

gional and state levels. She was also selected by audition into both the Kansas Music Educators Association and the University of Nebraska at Kearney Honor Choirs. Plus, the last two years she has attended the Dallas Brass Workshop and has also shared her love of music by giving private piano lessons.

The David S. Stuewe Scholarship requires that a student must have been involved in the high school music program and desire to further their education in the field of music, preferably music education.

Tyler Montgomery, Almena, son of Monte and Stacie Montgomery, has been awarded a \$500 Henry J. Becker Scholarship for the year 2012-13.

Tyler is a recent graduate of Northern Valley High School and plans to attend Kansas State University and major in Biological Systems Engineering.

POLICE LOG

June 1
(4) Vehicle stops
Unreported accident, disabled vehicle discovered
Two vehicle accident
Gas skip, Loves

June 2
(3) Vehicle stops
Report of hit and run accident, 600 block Valley Vista

Request to remove individual from residence
Barking dog complaint
Juvenile wanting to become emancipated from their parents
Parking complaint

Individual called wanting to know why the Police drove by their residence

HONOR ROLL

NCHS Honor Roll 4th 9 Weeks Highest 4.00

Seniors
Brae Bigge, Alyssa Boser, Rhees Carlson, RJ Ellis, Mariah Farber, Alexis Henson, Erin Terrell, Brooklyn Winkel

Juniors
Tawni Griffey, Kami Jones
Sophomores
Bailey Ambrosier, Darcy Bainter, Leif Carlson, Katelyn Engelbert, Hannah Goss, Ashley Hildebrand, Cody O’Hare, Johnnye Ruder

Freshmen
Morgan Farber, Chance Uehlin

Honors I 3.50-3.99
Seniors
Eric Becker, Cayleb Campbell, Zach Hartwell, Carson Kaiser, Tyler Lewis, Dillon McConney, Taylor Meder, Andrew Nickell, Kylie Nuzum, Shylo Paxton, Mitchell Shelton, Kynzie Stevens, Caren Thomson

Juniors
Rheanon Baker, Lane Bigge, Katherine Boteler, Eli Bozarth, Jade Braun, Dustan Daniels, Andrew Ellis, Cody Ellis, Samantha Gordon, Juliana Miller, Alex Riggins, Rachel Slipke, Teal Stewart, Wyatt Wentz

Sophomores
Branson Addington, Kristen Burge, Travis Cressler, Austin Hager, Marisa Maddy, Hannah Pollock, Ethan Ross, Jared Shelton, Landon Slipke

Freshmen
Neysa Carlson, Conor Cox, Stephen Cummings, Connor Griffey, Molly Scott, Kobie Unterseher, Stewart Whitney

Honors II 3.00-3.49
Seniors
Robert Blecha, Tiffany Eagleburger, Samantha Keenan, Joe LeClair, Tye Nickell, Casey Temmel, Jordan Wahlmeier

Juniors
Ryan Bainter, Sierra Black, Jacob Brooks, LaNae Dial, Christopher Fisher, Brianna Karnopp, Julia Kent, Katie Koch, Carson McKenna, Shelbi McKenna, Alec Melvin, Dalton Miller, Teslee Nickell, Dylan Sprigg, Alexander Strough

Sophomores
Gabriel Bird, Zachary Bird, Kayla Campbell, Christopher Chambers, Tanner Furbush, Shauna Gibson, Kolton Harting, Kristen Leibhart, Marc Miller, Drew Schrum, Abbie Smith, Danielle Wagoner, Haley Wallingford

Freshmen
Kaitlyn Bohl, Christian Boser, Grant Gordon, Sierra Griffith, Wyatt Harting, Tyler Kuhn, Andrew McMullen, Derek Rowh, Breven Sondergaard

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2nd Semester
Highest 4.00**
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PUBLIC RECORD

Municipal Court

These transactions were taken from the records of filings in the offices of the Norton Municipal Court. These cases were given to the paper with the date of the hearings.

May 24

May 17-Carolyn Caudry, Oberlin; Charge: Speeding 45 in 35; Plea: No contest; Found: Guilty; Sentence: Fine \$30, costs \$76, total \$106.

May 6-Charlene Griffith, Norton; Charge: 1. Speeding 40 in 30, 2. No proof of insurance; Plea: No contest.

May 5-Jacob Hickman, Norton; Charge: 1. Speeding 40 in 30, 2. No driver’s license;

Plea: 1. Guilty, 2. Guilty as amended; Other action: 2. Amended to no license on person; Found: 1. Guilty, 2. Guilty as amended; Sentence: 1. \$30, 2. \$10, costs \$76, total \$116.

May 10-Robert Minks, Logan; Charge: No proof of insur-

ance; Other action: Dismissed/proof.

May 17-Steven Horacek, Almena; Charge: Speeding 40 in 30; Plea: No contest; Found: Guilty; Sentence: Fine \$30,

costs \$76, total \$106.

May 12-Brent Byers, Pierceton, Ind.; Charge: Speeding 45 in 35; Plea: No contest; Found: Guilty; Sentence: Fine \$30, costs \$76, total \$106.

Scholarship Recipient

Ms. Mariah Farber, a student at Norton Community High School, was awarded a Hagan Scholarship to attend Concordia University. Ms. Farber was one of several hundred applicants from 153 rural counties in Missouri and Kansas who applied for a scholarship. The Hagan Scholarships vary up to \$5,000 per semester and are renewable for up to seven additional semesters if the criteria are met. The purpose of the Hagan Scholarship is to provide each scholarship recipient with the opportunity to obtain a four-year college education and graduate debt free.



The Hagan Scholarship Foundation
www.hsfmo.org

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JUNE 13-15, 2012
The Norton County
Treasurer’s Office
will be CLOSED**
**for staff to attend new Motor Vehicle
Training. Sorry for the inconvenience.**

ENROLLMENT FORM YOUTH DAY CAMP

4-H Building and Elmwood Park “The WOW Factor”
Tuesday, June 12 - 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Enrollment Due in Extension Office or Farm Bureau
Friday, June 8 - Registration \$5.00, For Ages K-6 Grade

Youth’s Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Age _____ Boy _____ Girl _____

Phone _____

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