

Norton, area employees honored by area Developmental Services

Special to The Telegram
Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas hosted its annual awards luncheon in Hays on Aug. 21. Awards were given throughout the afternoon to employees, persons served and community members. The first awards of the afternoon were given to employees for their years of service, and honored in that category from Norton were JoAnna Eagleburger, Sandra Gottschalk, Lena Laughlin, Cassidy Palmer, Rene Readle and Laquita Smith.

Several employees from Hill City were also honored in that category: Gloria Allen, Marla Baker, Chris Bedore, Marva Boyd, Michelle Brown, Gertrude Deges, Sharon Finley, Sherri Jackson, Nannette Kohart, Marilyn Roggs-Rowlison and Joani Williams.

Rosemary Dancer from Hill City

was honored for her accomplishments in employment.

Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas gave special recognition to two staff members for their outstanding work with persons with disabilities. Trevor Engel and Cindy Harwood of Hays were presented with the Employee of the Year Awards.

Two \$100 scholarship awards were presented to Edith Murguia and Brianna Peterson of Hays. These awards were given from the Jerelyn Becker Memorial Scholarship Fund for employees studying at Fort Hays State University in a field related to serving people with developmental disabilities.

Four individuals served by Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas were presented with awards for their accomplishments in living

more independently. Those receiving awards were Jason Koron, Ed McElhaney, Martin Meyer and Norman Waterman, all of Hays.

Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas presented three special achievement awards to individuals served. The first was to Karen Bencken of Oakley, who received a Good Neighbor Award for her outstanding volunteer efforts in the community. The next awards were Individual Achievement Awards. The first award went to a youth who has displayed an outstanding ability to become more interdependent within his community. This award was presented to Joseph Rohr of Ransom. The second Individual Achievement award went to David Gugler of Hays. This award is presented each year to one adult served who has shown tremendous individual progress throughout the year.

School reminders

Eisenhower Elementary
Wednesday, Sept. 10 — Faculty meeting at 3:40 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 11 — 5/6 Grade level meeting at 3:40 p.m.
Monday, Sept. 15 — Site Council at 5:30.
Tuesday, Sept. 16 — CBM Tests, Grade 2
Wednesday, Sept. 17 — CBM Tests, Grade 3, TEAM meeting at 7:30 p.m.

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Junior High
Tuesday, Sept. 9 — KAYS, A.P. period
Wednesday, Sept. 10 — Faculty meeting at 7:45 a.m.
Thursday, Sept. 11 — SIT at 7:30 a.m., Volleyball at Ellis 8 "A"/7 "A"/C at 4:30 p.m., Football at Ellis B and A games play at 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 13 — Volleyball at Goodland at 10:00 a.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 16 — "B" Football at Southern Valley, Neb. at 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 17 — Site Council at 5:30 p.m.

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Senior High
Tuesday, Sept. 9 — Cheerleader meeting, A.P. period, Varsity Tennis at Phillipsburg at 1:00 p.m., JV/Varsity Volleyball at Phillipsburg with Northern Valley at 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 10 — B.A.S.S. meetings, FFA to Husker Harvest Days at 9:45 a.m.
Thursday, Sept. 11 — JV Ten-

nis at Trego at 1:00 p.m., FCCLA meeting A.P. period.
Friday, Sept. 12 — Faculty meeting at 7:45 a.m., Jazz Band A.P., Varsity Football at Oberlin at 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 13 — Cross Country at Wamego at 9:00 a.m., JV Volleyball at Quinter at 9:00 a.m., Norton JV Tennis Quad at 10:00 a.m.
Java Jive Auditions Sept. 15 to 18
Monday Sept. 15 — Drama Club meeting A.P., "C" Volleyball vs. Oberlin, here at 5:00 p.m., JV Football vs. Oberlin here at 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 16 — Cheerleader meeting A.P., S.A.D.D. meeting A.P., Tennis at Goodland at 3:00 p.m., Tennis at Phillipsburg at 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 17 — FFA District Land Judging at WaKeeney at 9:00 a.m., S.A.C. A.P. period, Site Council at 5:00 p.m.

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All Schools
Tuesday, Sept. 9 — Curriculum Council at USD Office at 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 12 — NCKSEC meeting at Glade at 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 17 — Mid-Point of First Nine Weeks. Progress Reports Go Home.

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Northern Valley Schools
Tuesday, Sept. 9 — HS Volleyball vs. Norton and Phillipsburg at Phillipsburg, 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 10 — Husker Harvest Days, 10:00 a.m., Counting Kids Workshop in Oakley, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 11 — American Red Cross Blood Drive in the conference room at Almena, JH Volleyball at Quinter, 4:00 p.m., JH Football at Quinter, 6:00 p.m., HS dance team practice, HS yearbook workshop in Hays, 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., HS Cross Country meet Rock Hills Invitational at Mankato, 4:30 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 12 — Superintendent's meeting at Phillipsburg and Glade, 9:00 a.m., HS Football vs. Stockton, home, 6:30 p.m., HS Dance team will perform at half-time, and there will be the Freshman Work Auction.
Monday, Sept. 15 — HS dance team practice, HS cheerleading meeting, HS JV Football at Stockton, 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 17 — 6th Grade to WACKY day in Kirwin, 9:00 a.m.
Thursday, Sept. 18 — JH Volleyball vs. Stockton at Long Island, 4:00 p.m., JH Football vs. Stockton at Long Island, 6:00 p.m., HS dance team practice, Yearbook ad sales in Norton, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., HS Cross Country meet at Hays, 3:45 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 19 — HS Football vs Thunder Ridge at Kensington, 7:00 p.m., FFA Lock-In at Norton, 9:00 p.m.

Picking up the pieces...



Caryl Cullen, Norton, looked under her bird bath Monday afternoon. Ms. Cullen said she believes lightning struck her birdbath and broke the solid concrete pedestal, which stood about 3 feet from her bedroom window. Ms. Cullen said she had had the bird bath for about three years, and none of the previous storms had done any damage to it.

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