

# HANSEN MUSEUM

The Dane G. Hansen Museum, Logan, is proud to present the "The Curious World of Patent Models", which opened July 8 and will run through Aug. 28.

This exhibit, organized by the Rothschild Patent Model Collection and put on display by Smith Kramer Fine Art Services, will show approximately 50 models with interpretive labels that will include the history of each individual patent and the inventor.

Most of the models in this collection were made by professional model makers and are more than 130 years old.

A patent is a government-issued document that protects an invention or idea for up to 20 years. This gives the inventor the opportunity

to produce and sell the invention – or license others to do so – and to make a profit.

And while "patent model" may not be a familiar term today, to U.S. inventors between 1790 and the late 1800's, it was commonplace.

In order to obtain a patent, an application had to be accompanied by a working model of the invention. These were called "patent models," and were generally no larger than 12 inches square. The regulation was ceased when the U.S. Patent Office no longer had room to store the models.

Today, there are more than seven million patents, but applicants now submit only written specifications and diagrams of

their inventions.

These wonderful and fascinating original artifacts range from stunning, intricately crafted miniature weaving looms, motors and bridges to common household items such as washing machines, vehicles, mechanical toys, caskets, swing sets and even the checker.

Only one model exists for each invention, complete with its handwritten original tag. This exhibit will intrigue and delight viewers of all ages, from gadget and invention buffs to everyday folks who always wanted to see some of the first patented luggage, backpacks and sewing machines. Also included are Models from famous inventors, foreign inventors and a

woman inventor from 1869.

Our August Artist of the Month is Arthur Heili from Grainfield. Arthur will have woodworking on display and for sale! Come in and check out our new Artist of the Month!

Museum hours are Monday through Friday 9-12 and 1-4; Saturday 9-12 and 1-5; Sunday and Holidays 1-5. We are handicapped accessible, there is never an admission fee and we have a free Wi-Fi Hotspot in the Community Room. For more information about this and other exhibits, contact Shirley at 785-689-4846 or check out our web at [www.hansenmuseum.org](http://www.hansenmuseum.org).

## •PUBLIC NOTICE•

### IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ELIZABETH HAMILTON

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#### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF NORTON COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of **ELIZABETH HAMILTON**, Deceased Case No. 2011-PR-17  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:**  
 You are hereby notified that on July 27th, 2011, a Petition for Probate of Will, Appointment of Gloria Zwickle as Executor and Issuance of Letters Testamentary was filed in this Court by Lynda Turner and Sue Pahls, legatees

under the Last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Hamilton, deceased.

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

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## •PUBLIC NOTICE•

### CITY OF ALMENA - INVITATION FOR BIDS

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#### CITY OF ALMENA - INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Almena, Kansas, is now soliciting bids for the purchase of a new brush fire truck on behalf of the Almena Area Fire Department. This project is partially financed with Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding. Sealed bids for the new brush fire truck will be received until 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, September 1, 2011. A pre-bid to discuss the specifications and answer questions will be held on Friday, August 19, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. in City Hall at, 415 Main, Almena, Kansas. Attendance of the pre-bid is MANDATORY in order to be eligible to bid on the project.

Information for Bidders packets may be obtained at the Northwest Kansas Planning & Development Commission (NWKP&DC) office, 319 N. Pomeroy, Hill City, Kansas or by contacting Danielle Knoll, NWKP&DC at (785) 421-2151.

Bids may be held by the city for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the date of the opening of the bids in order to allow time for reviewing the bids and investigating the qualifications of the bidders prior to awarding the contract. The City of Almena is not obligated to accept lowest bid or any other bid.

Bids will be opened in City Hall, 415 Main, Almena, Kansas, at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, September 1, 2011.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER F/M/H/Y

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### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

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#### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF NORTON COUNTY, KANSAS

**BAC Home Loans Servicing, L.P. fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, L.P.** )  
 ) Case No. 10cv5  
 ) K.S.A. 60  
 Plaintiff, ) Mortgage Foreclosure  
 ) (Title to Real  
 vs. ) Estate Involved)  
**Jason M. Bowen, et al.,** )  
 Defendants. )

#### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of an Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court in and for the said County of Norton, State of Kansas, in a certain cause in said Court Numbered **10cv5**, wherein the parties above named were respectively plaintiff and defendant, and to me, the undersigned Sheriff of said County, directed, I will offer for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand at **10:00 A.M., on 08/31/2011, at the front door of Norton County Courthouse**, the following described real estate located in the County of Norton, State of Kansas, to wit:

**A TRACT OF LAND COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTH HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (N/2 NW/4) OF SECTION THIRTY-FOUR (34), TOWNSHIP TWO (2) SOUTH, RANGE TWENTY-THREE (23) WEST OF THE SIXTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, NORTON COUNTY, KANSAS RUNNING THENCE NORTH 92.6 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, THENCE WEST 150 FEET, THENCE NORTH 55 FEET, THENCE EAST 150 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 55 FEET, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. ALSO A TRACT OF LAND COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTH HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (N/2 NW/4) OF SAID SECTION THIRTY-FOUR (34), RUNNING THENCE NORTH 147.6 FEET, THENCE WEST 150 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 55 FEET, THENCE EAST 20.53 FEET, THENCE NORTH 55 FEET, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.**

SHERIFF OF NORTON COUNTY, KANSAS  
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# STUDENT NEWS

More than 4,400 undergraduate students at the University of Kansas earned honor roll distinction for the spring 2011 semester.

University of Kansas's honor roll comprises undergraduates who meet requirements in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and in the schools of allied health; architecture, design and planning; business; education; engineering; journalism; music; nursing; pharmacy; and social welfare.

The spring 2011 honor roll students are listed by name, level (freshman, sophomore, junior, senior), school or college, parents' or guardians' names and high school.

Annette M Becker, a senior from Lenora, was named to the

honor roll in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. She is the daughter of John and Ann Becker from Lenora. She is a graduate of Norton High School.

Mathew James Lawrence Shepard, a senior from Lenora, was named to the honor roll in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. He is a graduate of Norton High School.

Phillip Tyler Becker, a junior from Lenora, was named to the honor roll in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. He is the son of Ann and John Becker from Lenora. He is a graduate of Norton High School.

Ashley Kay Colip, a junior from Norton, was named to the honor roll in the College of Liberal Arts

and Sciences. She is the daughter of Randy and Rhonda Colip from Norton. She is a graduate of Norton High School.

Ashley Meredith Smith-Maybon, a senior from Norton, was named to the honor roll in the School of Education. She is the daughter of Dennis Maybon from Norton and Nan Smith from Norton. She is a graduate of Norton High School.

Maggie Lynn Nielsen, a senior from Norton, was named to the honor roll in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. She is the daughter of Jeff and Kathy Nielsen from Norton. She is a graduate of Norton High School.

Matthew Allan Miller, a sophomore from Norton, was named to

the honor roll in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. He is the son of Allan and Connie Miller from Norton. He is a graduate of Norton High School in Norton.

Criteria for honor roll vary among the university's academic units and are available online at <http://www2.ku.edu/~distinction/cgi-bin/regulations16>

# POLICE LOG

**Aug. 1**  
 Report of someone ringing doorbell, Park St.  
 Report of transient in park  
 Report of transient at Clinic  
 Report of transient at IGA  
 Assist Secret Service with complaint  
 Report of vehicle broke down at stoplight  
 Building search  
 Building search  
 911 call from Norton Community High School  
**Aug. 2**  
 911 call from Norton Community High School  
 Report of domestic situation, one arrest  
 Report of kids playing in the street  
 Report of kids throwing walnuts at vehicles  
 Request to assist individual replacing tag on vehicle  
 Theft report  
 Report of violent individual

from Valley Hope, taken into protective custody held for evaluation  
**Aug. 3**  
 Report of tree branch hanging low on street  
 Report of possible vandalism  
 Report of individual not paying for items, Loves  
 Report of hit and run accident  
 Motorist assist  
 Report of underage individual smoking  
 Report of lost dog  
 Motorist assist  
 Motorist assist  
**Aug. 4**  
 Report of dog running loose  
 Theft report  
 Officer spoke to 10 year old about the dangers of running away  
 Report of stoplight not working  
**Aug 5.**  
 Motel checks  
 Report of credit card fraud

Report of dog bite  
 Report of verbal dispute over civil matter  
 Motorist assist  
 Welfare check  
 Report of harassing text messages  
**Aug. 6**  
 Motel checks  
 Report of 3 year old child walking down street with no shoes and no adult supervision  
 Welfare check  
 Report of individual throwing eggs at vehicle  
 Report of someone ringing doorbell, Park St.  
 Report of threatening text messages  
**Aug. 7**  
 Report of messages left on Facebook  
  
 Norton Police department reported 12 vehicle stops and 2 keys locked in vehicle during the period of Aug. 1 through Aug. 7.

# BUSINESS OF THE MONTH

Each month this column features one Norton County business selected at random in honor of all our local businesses large and small, well-established and newly-established for their valuable contribution to our economy.

**Business Name:** Kansas Western Store

**Owner:** Sandra Cline

**Address:** 711 North State Street, Norton, KS 67654

**Phone:** 785-874-4090

Sandra Cline decided to start a business because she was a previous business owner and she wanted to benefit the community and keep local people shopping locally. She chose to open Kansas Western Store in Norton because she felt the community could support the business and it's where

she feels at home.

After deciding to open the business, the process of taking from just an idea to opening the doors took about six months, including getting the store together and finding resources for merchandise. Cline's greatest success so far with the store has been presenting her merchandise and store at rodeos and local events, and meeting new people through her business.

Though rewarding, Cline said one of her greatest challenges has been getting her store recognized and letting the public know what is available through her store. Along with that, it has been a challenge to find the right products and styles to fit everyone's style. Though challenging, Cline

admits that she wouldn't do anything differently and the rewards of being a business owner in Norton have outweighed the challenges. The rewards include getting to meet new people and watching her business grow. It is also rewarding for Cline to hear from customers how they are thankful to have a store where they can buy items and not have to travel out of the town to purchase those items.

Through her experience, Cline offers advice to other business owners in Norton. She encourages her peers to make their businesses known and to not shy away from competition. Competition can be good and Cline says business owners shouldn't be intimidated by it.

# Nex-Tech TV announces a new fashion television show

Nex-Tech TV announces a new fashion television show, for teens, called The Latest Thing. The show will highlight all the newest trends for hair, beauty and clothing for this year's fall season.

The Latest Thing will feature demonstrations of the newest hair accessories and discuss the most popular hair styles and beauty tips, all from local beauty salons. Also, The Mall, of Hays, will be showing the fall line of clothing including shoes

and their corresponding accessories.

The latest Thing is produced by, Jill Hertel, a Nex-Generation student intern, with Sydni Pfannenstiel, Hays, as the host. "The Latest Thing is a great program to catch the newest trends, for hair and clothing, right here in your local area." Pfannenstiel says. "Every teen, girl and boy, should check it out!"

## Norton County Health Promotion Blood Screening

At the Norton County Health Department

Provided by a joint effort of the Norton County Health Department and the Norton County Hospital

Need to be fasting (no food or drink after midnight) before testing

**Tuesday,**  
**Aug. 30, 2011**  
 Time: 7:00 a.m. - Noon

**Health Profile and CBC #1 - \$40.00**  
 Screens electrolytes, kidney and liver function, alkaline phosphate, glucose, cholesterol (HDL, LDL, VLDL and triglycerides) and CBC

**PSA - #2 - \$20.00**  
 Evaluates prostate condition

**TSH - #3 - \$15.00**  
 Evaluates thyroid levels and function

**HbA1C - #4 - \$35.00**  
 Measure average blood sugar levels - (diabetics only)

**LOCATION: Norton County Health Department**  
**801 N. Norton, Norton, Kansas**

**Questions? Call the Norton County Health Department at 785-877-5745**

**NO APPOINTMENTS NECESSARY**  
 ACCEPT CASH AND CHECK ONLY! INSURANCE BILLING NOT AVAILABLE!