

JENNINGS NEWS

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Bob and Neoma Tacha were Royal and Gayle Tacha, Hoxie; Garrett Tacha, Colby; Michael and Ashley Brown, Brynna and Ayden, Norton; Roger and Peggy Tacha, Oakley; Dustin Tacha, Winfield and Nadine Tacha, Jennings.

Thanksgiving dinner guests at the home of Stan and Ramona Shaw included Agnes Wahlmeier; Jeff and Mary Wahlmeier, rural Clayton; Cindy Black, Logan and Bowen, Carlsbad, N.M.

Guests at the home of Stan and Ramona Shaw Saturday for their early family Christmas gathering included Tom Neff and Chris Gillespie, Marion; Elliott Gillespie and Emma, Bolton, Mo.; Aaron and Tara Gillespie and Jackson, Hays; Kevin and Colleen Wagoner, Sharon Springs; Brandon and Rose Wagoner, Noah and Naomi, Granby, Mo.; Lisa Bollers, Tyre and Tenley, Lochbuie, Colo.; Mark and Shelley Shaw, Ethan and Erin, rural Logan; Cindy Black, Logan and Bowen, Carlsbad, N.M.; Zach and Kate Golemboski, Lexy and Lenzy, Colby; Jeff and Mary Wahlmeier, rural Clayton; Nick and Karrie Wahlmeier and Trenton, Oberlin; Adam Wahlmeier and Ashley Wagoner, Norton. Danny Black and Kyle Bollers had job commitments and were unable to attend.

Shelley McKenna had her children home for Thanksgiving. Attending were Sarah from Topeka; Jacque from Macomb, Ill.; Chris from Scott City; and Marcus from Wichita. The family celebrated Thanksgiving at the home of Jess and

Megan Carter on Thursday. Those present were Max and Norma Ward, Dave Ward, Jodi Ward and girls, Ken and Julie Carter, Becky Carter, Stann Hartzog, Wes and Ann DuBois and girls, Pat and Shelley McKenna and family, Terry, Lori and Kelly Wycoff, Travis and Abby Hissong and family, and Jess, Megan, Clayton and Anna Carter.

Wayne and Louise Cressler went to the home of their son, Russell, Thanksgiving morning. He then accompanied them to Salina to the home of their granddaughter Amber and Johnny Klassen, Keith, Landon, Issac and Aleah. Others attending dinner at Amber's included Jessica Lemmons, Gabe and Josie and Megan Faris, Manhattan; Jeff and Gwen Anderson, Council Grove; Jon and Nicole Probasco, Aysum, Phoenix and Pierce from Derby; Robert Cressler and Zack; Preston Cressler, Christine and Brooklyn and friend of Salina. Wayne and Louise stayed overnight Thursday with Russell in Bison, returning home on Friday.

The Ruth Chance family enjoyed an early Christmas family gathering Saturday held at the Sunflower Senior Center.

Santa will arrive in Jennings on Saturday, Dec. 10 at 1:30 p.m. at the Community Hall. A drawing will be held also. The Lions will be serving soup and pie starting at 11:30 a.m.. Free will donations are appreciated.

The Senior Christmas Dinner will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 14 at noon. Bring a salad or dessert and come join us at the center.

Photo contest now open for submissions

The Landon Center at the University of Kansas on Aging is sponsoring the annual Images of Aging photo contest, which is open to professional and amateur photographers of all ages throughout the state of Kansas and into the Missouri counties of Jackson, Platte, Cass and Clay.

This year marks the 10th anniversary of the contest. The purpose of the photo contest is to bring attention to many faces of older adults. Eligible photos must include at least one person who is 60 years old.

There is no entry fee for the contest and six prizes will be awarded for winning entries.

The prizes will be a \$350 first prize, \$200 for second prize, \$150 for third prize, a \$50 staff pick winner, a \$25 community pick prize and 15 honorable mention prizes in the amount of \$15 each.

Entry forms for the contest can be found at www2.kumc.edu/coa.

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organization membership to take advantage of discounts and opportunities. About 80 people attended the open house, Maddy said, and this is the fifth year of the annual celebration.

According to information from the National Farm-City Council, the mission of the

organization is to enhance the link between farm families and urban residents and provide the local organization with educational programs and materials about the people who grow food for the planet.

Farm-City Week was celebrated Nov. 18-24 with a symposium in Lexington, Ky.



Korla Griffey of Norton waited for the prize wheel to land on a prize last Tuesday afternoon at the Norton County Farm Bureau Office. The prize wheel included drawings for a Farm Bureau membership, books and coolers. The prize wheel was part of Farm Bureau's open house celebration to kick off the organization's membership year and to celebrate the county's awards for excellence from the state Farm Bureau organization.

—Telegram photo by Carleen Bell

Gordon Parks exhibit set for Hansen Museum display

The Dane G. Hansen Memorial Museum presents "Gordon Parks: Crossroads," a fascinating exhibition that features 45 memorable photographs drawn from all aspects of Parks' storied career will be on display Dec. 23, through Feb. 5.

In 1938, Parks purchased his first camera at a pawn shop. He pursued taking pictures with gusto and within months his probing portraits of African-American women were exhibited in the windows of the Eastman Kodak store in Minneapolis. While Parks pursued numerous hard-hitting documentary assignments for Stryker, he also accepted commissions in fashion and glamour photography, initially for Midwestern department stores, and soon for Vogue and Glamour magazine.

Parks became the first black staff photographer at Life magazine in 1949, where he would remain on the masthead

for a quarter century. With his first two photo-essays for Life - on the gang wars of Harlem, and on the latest Paris collections - he announced his remarkable range. His intimate photo essays on the Black Panthers, the nascent Black Muslim movement, and the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr.'s death remain classics - "my sentiments lay in the heart of black fury sweeping the country," he later wrote - but equally classic were his extended photo-portraits of cultural icons as varied as Barbara Streisand, Langston Hughes, Alexander Calder, Ingrid Bergman, Duke Ellington and Muhammad Ali. "Success among whites never made Parks lose touch with black reality." Malcolm X wrote in his autobiography.

All photographs are courtesy of the Gordon Parks Foundation and the Howard Greenberg Gallery, by art2art Circulating Exhibitions

Kid-Link provides services

The Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas Kid-Link program provides a full range of early intervention services to infant and toddlers from birth through two years of age in their natural living environment. Services are offered in Norton, Osborne, Phillips, Rooks, Russell and Smith counties.

Early intervention services include but are not limited to; Family Service Coordination, Audiology, Assistive Technology, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Social Work, Special Instruction. Kid-Link is affiliated with the Tiny K network of Kansas.

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building at 104 South State Street is under renovation to be used as a start-up or growth location for small businesses. Business owners will have the opportunity to lease the space for an inexpensive rate for up to two years to establish and help create successful business.

"The space will be a great opportunity for anyone experiencing growth in their home-based businesses or anyone looking to start a new business," Sproul said.

Anyone interested in using the space can contact the Economic Development for more information.

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