

The joy of winter



Taking advantage of the first substantial snow of the season over the weekend and tolerably warm temperatures, several children and their families spent Sunday afternoon on the slopes of Elmwood Park. The families were sledding, snowboarding and building ramps to enhance the sledding experience. Above, Natalie Karabin, a first grader from Norton, laughs as her sled begins to turn in circles en route to the bottom of the hill near the 4-H building leading down into the park. Several inches of snow fell across the area from early Saturday morning into Saturday evening. Temperatures for the rest of the week are forecast to be in the 30s each day.

-Telegram photo by Carleen Bell

JENNINGS NEWS

Keith and Helen Muirhead spent Thanksgiving week with their daughter Mignon and Todd Berry in Wellfleet, Mass. on Cape Cod. They went to Provincetown Thanksgiving Eve to witness the lighting of the Pilgrim's Monument. They enjoyed all kinds of fish.

"The Paris Wife" by Paula McLain was the book read in November by the Jennings Book Club members. Hostess Carla Latimer provided delicious refreshments and members engaged in a lively discussion of the novel about Ernest Hemingway and his first wife Hadley. Those attending the Nov. 29th meeting were: Lynn Tacha, Joan McKenna, Helen Rhodes, Ruth Chance, Terri Hanke, Kathy Nauer, Lila Jennings, Sue Long and Carla Latimer. The Christmas meeting will be at the home of Sue Long and each member will bring a Christmas ornament for a gift exchange.

Jennings Lions Club will be hosting a soup and dessert lunch Saturday, Dec. 10, 11:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m. at the Jennings Community Hall. Free will donation appreciated. At approximately 1:00 p.m. Santa will be arriving at the Hall to talk with all the children and to give out sacks of goodies.

Weather permitting the "Wreath Project" is scheduled for Friday, Dec. 9. Meet at the Shimmick Building at 1:00 p.m. to pick up wreaths to be taken to the Jennings Cemetery and the Big Timber Cemetery and placed on all veteran graves. If anyone would like to help place the wreaths on graves, be at the Jennings Cemetery at 1:15 p.m. Group will then proceed to the Big Timber Cemetery. On Saturday, Dec. 10 at 10:00 a.m. the Jennings American Legion Post #351 will honor the veterans with a brief ceremony at the Jennings Cemetery then go to the Big Timber Cemetery

and honor the veterans with a brief ceremony. The public is encouraged to come Saturday morning and honor the veterans. For further information or questions contact Lila Jennings 785-678-2299 or Neoma Tacha 785-678-2470.

Thanksgiving Day guests at the home of Meme Carper were: Charlene and Dan Mangus, Steve, Devin, Dani from Kanorado. On Saturday, Nov. 26 all six of Meme's children and some of their families gathered for a family dinner at the home of Meme. Attending were: Dan and Charlene Mangus and family, Kanorado; Cecil Bailey and Katie from Leoti; Carol and John Topliff, Goodland; Jason and Ali Topliff and family of Tonganoxie; Chris and Joslin McGuiness and boys, Evergreen, Colo.; Teresa and Les Hopson, Bethune, Colo.; Matt Hopson and friend Sarah, Goodland; Rebecca Hopson and friend Nathaniel, Bethune,

Students of the month named

Alec Melvin



Parents : Lucas and Angela Melvin
Grade : Junior

Nominating Staff Member: Mr. David Will
Comment from nominating Staff Member:
"Alec is a very involved young lady in the life of NCHS."
How many organizations or teams is she a member of and working hard for?
"She did a good job as a squad leader in marching band, and she stepped right up and played xylophone for our percussion feature, which meant more work for her. I've seen her help many other students - sometimes at the expense of her own needs. She is almost always out there quietly promoting a friendly

atmosphere around NCHS."
Favorite Class : Anatomy and Physiology
Favorite Drink : Sweet Tea
Favorite Color : Blue
Favorite Food : Lasagna
Favorite Movie : How to Save a Life.
Favorite Saying : "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Phillipians 4:13
Favorite Song : You're Beautiful by Phil Wickham
Favorite Hangout: My room.
Personal Hero : My father.
Future Plans : To go to college and serve the Lord

Trever Lewis



Parents: Emmett and Lynnette Lewis
Grade: Sophomore
Nominating Staff Member: Mrs. Kelli Scott
Comments from nominating

staff member:
"Trever Lewis is a conscientious student who works hard in my class. Although school is not easy, Trever does not give up. He treats other students with respect, as well as teachers. He is polite and responsible."
Favorite Class : Math, Ag Class
Favorite Drink : Root Beer or Mountain Dew
Favorite Color : Blue, yellow,

white, black and red
Favorite Food : Pizza and Hot Dogs
Favorite Movie : The Blindside
Favorite Saying : "Yay! What's up?"
Favorite Song : "Soundtrack of my Life"
Favorite Hang out : My house.
Personal Hero : Mr. Beydler
Future Plans : Go to college. Work on a farm.

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