

Battle of the Badges



The American Red Cross held a Battle of the Badges community blood drive in Norton on Wednesday at the 4-H Building. (From left to right) Vivian Skrdlant, Red Cross volunteer, chats with Mary Ellen Posson, Norton, as she donates blood and Dokkeo Keodouangkham, Collections Tech II, administers the process. The next community blood drive will be held Oct. 17 from noon to 6 p.m. at the 4-H Building.

—Telegram photo by Mike Stephens

HANSEN MUSEUM

The Dane G. Hansen Foundation announces a significant increase in the scholarship stipends for the 2012-2013 academic year. Four of the five scholarship categories will increase by \$1,000 and the Leader of Tomorrow will increase by \$1,500.

The Dane G. Hansen Foundation will make 280 scholarships available in five categories to students in 26 Northwest Kansas counties for the 2012-2013 academic year. Students from an accredited high school, registered independent, private or home school in one of the following 26 counties are eligible to apply:

Cheyenne, Cloud, Decatur, Ellis, Ellsworth, Gove, Graham, Jewell, Lincoln, Logan, Mitchell, Norton, Osborne, Ottawa, Phillips, Rawlins, Republic, Rooks, Russell, Saline, Sheridan, Sherman, Smith, Thomas, Trego and Wallace.

Ten Leaders of Tomorrow Scholarships with annual stipends will increase from \$5,000 to \$6,500 and are renewable for three additional years if criteria established by the Scholarship Committee are met. Recipients must attend an accredited four-year public, private or church related Kansas college or university.

Fifty Hansen Scholar Scholarships with increased stipends from \$3,000 to \$4,000 are renewable for one additional year, providing the recipients have achieved at least a 3.0 GPA at the college level. Recipients must attend an accredited four-year public, private or church related Kansas college or university.

One hundred Hansen Student Scholarships with increased stipends from \$2,000 to \$3,000 are renewable for one additional year, providing the recipients have achieved at least a 3.0 GPA at the college level. Recipients must attend an accredited community, public, private or church related college or university in Kansas.

To qualify for the above scholarships, a student must have taken the ACT test and have a

composite score of 21 or higher and have at least a 3.5 GPA. The student should be an active participant in extracurricular school and community activities, display good citizenship, leadership, and moral integrity.

Students planning to enter the competition for Leaders of Tomorrow, Hansen Scholar or Hansen Student scholarships must register at their school and take the qualifying test at locations to be announced. Information on all scholarships has been sent to qualifying area schools. Tentative test dates have been set for Sept. 12-13.

One hundred Hansen Career and Technical Education Scholarships (\$2,000 non-renewable) are available to encourage high school seniors who seek competence through career training. An applicant for the Career and Technical Education Scholarship must complete an application form that is available from the high school counselor. The Scholarship Committee is interested in the student's character, activities and goals. Applicants for the Hansen Career and Technical Education Scholarship are not required to take a qualifying test. A 3.5 GPA is not necessary to apply for this scholarship. Recipients may enroll in any career and technical education program, in any Kansas school, as long as it is not leading to a four-year degree.

In addition to the scholarships offered to high school seniors, the Hansen Foundation will also award 20 Community or Technical College Transfer Scholarships with stipends of \$3,000 each. These scholarships are available for Kansas Community or Technical College students. Community College students must have completed a minimum of 32 hours of college credit by the Spring of 2013 and Technical College students must have completed an associate of applied science degree before transferring to an accredited four-year public, private or church related Kansas college or university. Each Community or Technical College Transfer Scholarship may be renewed

for one year upon completion of satisfactory work as evaluated by the Scholarship Committee. Students may obtain application forms at the office of the Dean of Student Services at the Community College or Technical College Student Services or it can be downloaded from our website www.hansenfoundation.com.

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

Health Profile and CBC #1 - \$40.00

Screens electrolytes, kidney 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!

Furniture, Appliances, Tools, Dishes & Household Items Sale

Jim Darling Estate, Rose & the Late Duaine Garrison, Doug Kohn, Smith and Others

Saturday of Labor Day Weekend

September 1, 2012 - 9:00 A.M.

4-H Building - East Park Street - Norton, Kansas - 67654



- FURNITURE:**
Grandfather Clock - 7 Ft. By Daniel Dakota
4 Swivel Dining Room Chairs
Full Bed with Head Board Desk
2 Dressers with Mirror
Antique 3 Drawer Dresser Couch
Love Seat Couch
Kitchen Table
Chest of Drawers
Parlor Table
Gate Leg Table & 4 Chairs
2 Sets of 3 Mirror Closet Doors
China Hutch with Drawers & Doors
Occasional Chair
2 Wrought Iron Beds Queen Head
2 Twin Log Head Boards
Bed Frames
2 Drawer 4 Leg Desk
Lazy Boy Recliner
5 Drawer Chest of Drawer
Glider Rocker
Table & 4 Roller Chairs
Pillow Top Queen Bed Set
Corner Shelf with Sliding Glass Doors
Oak Table - 6 Chairs
Hall Tree
End Tables
High Chair
Magazine Rack

Come Join us Saturday of Labor Day Weekend for a Super Sale!
So Many Quality Items - You're Bound to Find Some Treasures!

Visit Our Websites:

www.krvn.com - Select auctions choose Sept. 1st OR

www.nex-tech.com - Select Free classified Auctions OR

www.nwkansasonline.com - Search for McEwen Auction OR

www.auctionzip.com - Enter 67654



- TOOLS & SPORT ITEMS:**
Schwann Exercise Bikes
Large Selection Golf Clubs & Cart
Cat Carrier
Satellite Dish
Patio Furniture
Lawn Chairs
10 Duck Decoys
Fishing Poles
Filet Knife
2 Shop Lights
Black/Decker Weed Eater
Gillette Edge Stair Stepper
Craftsman 6.0 Hp Shop Vac
Garden Tools
Hand Tools



Duane R. McEwen - Auctioneer
& Salesperson
East Hwy 36
601 East Holme
Norton, KS 67654
785-877-3032

McEwen Auction Advantage

Lunch Stand Available!
Sales tax will be collected.

Not responsible for accidents or items after sold. Terms: Cash day of sale on personal property. All announcements day of sale take precedence over printed material.

- APPLIANCES:**
24" Double Oven Kitchen Aide Wall Mount
Whirlpool Upright Freezer
Dorm Refrigerator
Whirlpool Ceramic Top Stove
Whirlpool Microwave Heaters
Fans
Panasonic Microwave

- HOUSEHOLD ITEMS:**
Humidifier
Kenmore Vacuum Sweeper
Propane Turkey Cooker
Microwave Cart
Zenith Table Top Record Player & Records
Antique Ornate Mirror
Dirt Devil Carpet Cleaner
Lamps of all kinds
New Home Sewing Machine in Cabinet
Hamper
Stack Shelving
Portable Singer Sewing Machine
Assorted Wall Hanging & Deco Items
Assorted CD & Movies

- LINENS:**
Sheets, Pillowcases, Doilies, Towels, plus a normal run of Good Linens!

- DISHES & KITCHEN:**
12 Place Setting Stoneware by Calhoun
Stemware & Wine Glasses
Green Pyrex Mixing Bowl Sets
10 Pieces Pink & Yellow Depression Dishes
Cups & Saucers
Microwave Dishes
Canner
Canning Jars
Blue Jars
Brewing Station

Auctioneer Notes: There are several names on this sale bill but don't think this is a just another consignment sale! I have listed what merchandise these consigners had in storage units and in boxes I could not unpack. As you can tell from the pictures on this sale bill, what I found was clean, quality items that will meet with your approval. I am not sure of the rest but I hope you are excited about it as I am. Join my crew for a Labor Day Send Off Sale in Norton, Kansas and spend the rest of the weekend smiling about all your auction jewels!

Picnic

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Kansas," said Ostmeier. "He tried his best to get a good tax bill. He wants to make some changes and we'll get it fixed. Our governor will listen to us. He has a mission. The state of Kansas means a lot to him."

State Representative Ward Cassidy

"I'm fighting to do what's best for Western and Northwestern Kansas," said Cassidy. "It's a different world back there in Topeka. Even though I am now in a different district, I will continue to do everything I can to help you."

Kansas Attorney General Derek Schmidt

"We are pushing back on fed-

eral regulations on many fronts," said Schmidt. "In doing so, we are also defending our elected representatives."

Kansas Treasurer Ron Estes

State Treasurer Ron Estes gave a good financial report on the State of Kansas, which compares very favorably with the national financial crisis.

"On July 1, 2012, the State of Kansas had a balance of \$876.05," said Estes. "We now have a balance of \$392 million. Our state hadn't been making payments on time. School payments were late. Now, we're paying all our bills on time. KPERS was in trouble and now we're on the way to funding it properly."