

# Learning together



Rosalie McMullen's preschool students spent the afternoon at the Norton Andbe Home on Wednesday to learn about Kansas Day. They got to make their own butter, see how wool is carded and spun into thread by Kay Snodgrass and listened to a story to name a few fun things they got to share with the residents.

- Telegram photo by Dana Paxton

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

### NCHS

Monday, Feb. 4  
National Honor Society, A.P.  
Tuesday, Feb. 5  
Jay Singers, 7:30 a.m.  
MCL Meeting at Plainville, 10 a.m.  
FFA photo in Stull Gym, A.P.  
Jay Singers, A.P.  
PEO Scholarship potato bar: cafeteria, 4 p.m.  
JV/V basketball vs. Oberlin (Little Kids Dance performance), 4:45  
Wednesday, Feb. 6  
MTSS early dismissal: meals served; buses run at dismissal, 1 p.m.  
MTSS collaboration: 1:30-3:30 p.m.  
Thursday, Jan. 7  
Jay Singers, 7:30 a.m.  
FFA Selection Day at Russell, 2 p.m.  
National Honor Society prospective member meeting, A.P.  
KAY meeting, A.P.  
Forensics at Osborne, 3 p.m.  
Friday, Feb. 8  
ABP Reward Day, A.P.  
S.A.D.D. meeting, A.P.  
JV/V wrestling vs. Goodland (Senior Night), 6:30 p.m.  
Saturday, Feb. 9  
A.C.T. Test date  
State Scholar's Bowl  
Norton Invitation Forensics

Tournament, 8 a.m.  
FFA Meats Contest at Grinnell, 9 a.m.  
JV wrestling at Colby, 9 a.m.  
Snow Ball at JH Gym, 8 p.m.  
**NJHS**  
Tuesday, Feb. 5  
KAY Board, 8 a.m.  
Wednesday, Feb. 6  
MTSS early dismissal: meals served; buses run at dismissal, 1 p.m.  
MTSS collaboration 1:30-3:30 p.m.  
Thursday, Feb. 7  
N.A.E.P Testing  
Wrestling vs. Ellis, St. Francis, Smith Center and Stockton, 5 p.m.  
Saturday, Feb. 9  
JH wrestling tournament at Phillipsburg, 9 a.m.  
**EES**  
Monday, Feb. 4  
1 and 2 vocal concert rehearsal at East Campus, 12:30 p.m.  
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Tuesday, Feb. 5  
Little Kids Dance Performance at HS basketball game  
Assessment Standard of Excellence Recognition at HS basketball game  
Wednesday, Feb. 6  
MTSS early dismissal: meals served; buses run at dismissal,

1 p.m.  
MTSS collaboration 1:30-3:30 p.m.  
Thursday, Feb. 7  
I.E.P. Day  
EC-2 grade level meeting, 3:40 p.m.  
**Northern Valley**  
Monday, Feb. 4  
HS league band clinic at Healy, 9:30 a.m., (Concert at 6 p.m.  
Tuesday, Feb. 5  
Pathways Workday in Hays, 9 a.m.  
HS basketball at Franklin, 4:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, Feb. 6  
Animal Science/Adv. Foods Field Trip in Phillipsburg, 9 a.m.  
Senior class meeting in Mrs. Montgomery's room, approximately 11:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
Thursday, Feb. 7  
JH basketball League Tournament at Brewster, TBD  
FFA District Selections in Hoxie, 4 p.m.  
Friday, Feb. 8  
HS basketball vs. Western Plains, 4:30 p.m.  
Saturday, Feb. 9  
Forensics Meet in Norton, 7:30 a.m.  
JH basketball League Tournament in Brewster, TBD

## SCHOOL MENU

### Norton Jr.-Sr. High Schools Menu

**Monday, Feb. 4**  
Breakfast-Waffle stix w/syrup, fruit or juice, or choice of assorted cereal, toast w/margarine and jelly, and milk.  
Lunch-Meatballs, whipped potatoes, rolls w/ margarine, celery sticks, pineapple tidbits or chef salad and milk.  
Tuesday, Feb. 5  
Breakfast-Breakfast tornado, fruit or juice, or choice of assorted cereal, toast w/margarine and jelly, and milk.  
Lunch-Chicken sandwich, lettuce and tomato, corn, grapes or chef salad and milk.  
Wednesday, Feb. 6  
Breakfast-Donut twist, fruit or juice, or choice of assorted cereal, toast w/margarine and jelly, and milk.  
Lunch-Twisted edge pizza, vegetable salad, peaches, Rice Krispy Treat, or chef salad and milk.  
Thursday, Feb. 7  
Breakfast-Scrambled eggs, bacon, fruit or juice, or choice of assorted cereal, toast w/margarine and jelly, and milk.  
Lunch-Beef enchilada, lettuce and chopped tomato, Mandarin oranges, Snickerdoodle Cookie or chef salad and milk.  
Friday, Feb. 8  
Breakfast-Breakfast casserole, fruit or juice, or choice of assorted cereal, toast w/margarine and jelly, and milk.  
Lunch-Ham slice, scalloped potatoes, green beans, apples or chef salad and milk.  
**EES Menu**  
Monday, Feb. 4  
Breakfast-Scrambled eggs, ham, pears, grape juice, milk and toast with peanut butter.  
Lunch-Chicken fry, whipped potatoes, gravy, broccoli salad, mixed veggies, fruit cocktail and milk.  
Tuesday, Feb. 5  
Breakfast-Breakfast pizza, apricots, orange juice, milk and toast with peanut butter.  
Lunch-Western bean bake, cheese stick, corn,

pears, cornbread and milk.  
Wednesday, Feb. 6  
Breakfast-Warm cereal w/toppers, grape juice, milk and toast with peanut butter.  
Lunch-Pigs in a blanket, sweet potato french fries, dill spear, baby carrots, rosy applesauce and milk.  
Thursday, Feb. 7  
Breakfast-Chilled yogurt, bagel w/cream cheese, apple juice, milk and toast with peanut butter.  
Lunch-Hamburger gravy, whipped potatoes, warm peas, peaches, cinnamon rolls and milk.  
Friday, Feb. 8  
Breakfast-Fruit crisps, grape juice, milk and toast with peanut butter.  
Lunch-Cavatini, tossed salad, banana spears, garlic bread and milk.  
**Northern Valley**  
Monday, Feb. 4  
Breakfast-Sausage, cheese biscuit, hash browns, oranges and assorted cold cereal.  
Lunch-Italian pasta bake, green pepper, baby carrots, hot roll and applesauce.  
Tuesday, Feb. 5  
Breakfast-French toast, syrup, eggs, applesauce and assorted cold cereal.  
Lunch-Sloppy Joe's, bun, potatoes, buttered broccoli and chilled apricots.  
Wednesday, Feb. 6  
Breakfast-Cherry muffin, ham, hash browns, pineapple chunks and assorted cold cereal.  
Lunch-Enchiladas, tossed salad w/dressing, buttered green beans, banana half and brownie.  
Thursday, Feb. 7  
Breakfast-Cinnamon coffeecake, ham slice, hash browns, peaches and assorted cold cereal.  
Lunch-Chicken-n-Noodles, mashed potatoes, hot roll, buttered peas and carrots, and oranges.  
Friday, Feb. 8  
Breakfast-Sausage in a blanket, eggs, apricots and assorted cold cereal.  
Lunch-Beef stew w/crackers, french bread, relish plate and frosted pear.

# Values that are built to last

By Ron Wilson  
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"Built to last." That's a phrase which refers to an item or structure that is especially well-built, strong, and enduring. It's the type of well-made, lasting furniture that our grandparents might have had. Today we'll meet a man from rural Kansas who not only repairs and refinishes that type of furniture from yesteryear, he also builds handmade replicas of early American furniture. It's a type of craftsmanship that is not often seen in our modern times.

David Lambert is owner and operator of the Furniture Repair Shop in Manhattan. His craftsmanship goes back to his family roots.

David grew up at Abilene where he studied industrial arts and his father built houses. "We had a good industrial arts program and a good teacher," he said. By his senior year of high school, David built a bedroom set and was designing furniture for other people.

David's grandfather liked to go to auctions and buy old furniture.

"He would pay 75 cents for an old vanity," David said. Then David would refinish it and give it to a relative. Soon the relatives and their friends were asking for more.

David served overseas in the Army. Then he moved to Colorado and later back to Kansas where his parents had moved to the rural community of Wakefield, population 841 people. Now, that's rural.

David met his wife in Manhattan and worked in construction with his father. They put up 256 metal buildings while working together. Meanwhile, he continued to work on furniture refinishing and repair on the side.

"It was my rainy day and cold weather job," he said with a smile.

But the demand for his products continued to grow. In 1986, he bought an old house in Riley and opened a furniture repair, refinishing, and antique business there. In 2005, with a daughter at K-State, he built a new shop on the east side of Manhattan where his Furniture Repair Shop is today.

The Furniture Repair Shop does repair and refinishing of all types of furniture. David also builds handmade replicas of early American furniture, does caning and rush chair repair, and old trunk restoration. He also collects and sells barbed wire and other antiques such as wooden corn planters.

David estimates he has worked on perhaps 2,000 pieces of furniture through the years. His most challenging piece was a late 1700s chest of drawers built of cherrywood tongue in groove. Two of his pieces are in a bank in California, including a large dresser made of mahogany. His general trade area is from Kansas City to Denver and from Oklahoma City to Lincoln.

David's interest in barbed wire goes back to his days overseas. He was stationed in Germany's Black Forest area. A friend of his dad's was a barbed wire collector who asked David if he could find barbed wire in Germany. David didn't really find that type of farm fencing, but he did find entanglement wire dating back to World War I.

"It was vicious, a high tensile wire with four point, 1 1/2 inch barbs," David said.

David was, well, hooked. When he came back to Kansas he asked his relatives on the farm if he could look at their old fences. Now he collects and sells framed displays of different types of barbed wire.

David likes antiques, especially the old furniture. Before the mid-1800s, most furniture was made of cherry, mahogany, and walnut - a far cry from the plywood and cheap construction of today.

"Seventy percent of our country's furniture now comes from China," David said. "Some people call it 'disposable furniture' because it is cheap and easy to make." That is a stark contrast to the type of furniture that David builds and repairs today.

"Built to last." That's the type of solid, sturdy furniture owned by our grandparents, and the kind of furniture on which David likes to work. We salute David Lambert and the Furniture Repair Shop for making a difference with his craftsmanship and commitment to enduring high quality. Those are the type of values which are built to last.

## PUBLIC RECORD

### Municipal Court

These transactions were taken from the records of filings in the offices of the Norton Municipal Court. These cases were given to the paper with the date of the hearings.

### Dec. 27

Nov. 28-Cloyce Culver, Norton; Charge: Motion to revoke diversion; Found: Motion granted; Sentence: \$500-\$76 - 60 days jail suspended to time served, plus jail costs. Jail suspended if fines are paid by June 30.

Sept. 15-Seth Antrim, Norton; Charge: 1. Reckless driving, 2. Basic speed, 3. Leaving the scene of an accident, 4. Refusal of PBT, 5. Minor in possession; Plea: Guilty on 3-4-5; Other action: Diversion for 1 and 2; Found: Guilty on 3-4-5; Sentence: Diversion for 12 months, costs \$76, assessment \$200, diversion fee \$200, 3. \$200, 4. \$200, 5. \$200, total \$1,076.

Aug. 31-Bryce Dockendorf, Almena; Charge: 1. Driving while suspended (2nd offense), 2. Making false report; Plea: Not guilty; Other action: Found guilty at trial; Sentence: 1. Fine \$1,000, 2. \$400, costs \$76, total \$1,476 and 10 days in jail.

### Jan. 3

Dec. 15-Robert Jones, Lenora; Charge: Expired tag; Plea: Guilty; Found: Guilty; Sentence: Fine \$100, costs \$76, total \$176.

Oct. 3-Ethan Gallentine, Prairie View; Charge: Speeding

48 in 35; Plea: Guilty; Found: Guilty; Sentence: Fine \$48, costs \$76, total \$124.

Amanda Willmes, Norton; Charge: Motion to revoke probation and execute sentence; Other action: Motion granted; Sentence: \$500 fine re-instated, 30 days jail suspended to time served if voluntarily enters Valley Hope and completes their recommendations. Probation to court upon release, court appointed attorney fees.

Dec. 29-Jessica Rvbeck, Agra; Charge: Speeding 52 in 35; Plea: Guilty; Found: Guilty; Sentence: Fine \$102, costs \$76, total \$178.

Dec. 7-Lisa Archer, Logan; Charge: Speeding 40 in 30 ; Plea: No contest; Found: Guilty; Sentence: Fine \$30, costs \$76, total \$106.

### Jan. 10

Dec. 30-Jared Tallent, Norton; Charge: No proof of insurance; Other action: Dismissed/proof provided.

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