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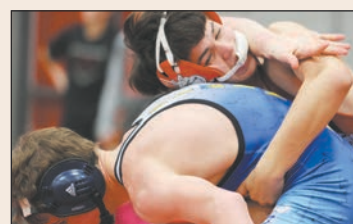
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## What kind of city manager do you want?

Survey allows you to have a say in the hiring of manager

BY VICKIE MOSS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - Now is your chance to weigh in on the qualities you would like to see in the next city manager.

Do you want someone who is more focused on the nuts and bolts of the city, like police and fire service, roads and utilities? Or is it more important to have someone at the top who will drive economic development, create jobs and housing? Do you want an experienced manager, or do you prefer a more creative approach?

A survey available on the city's website offers Garnett citizens and others - even those who live outside the city limits - a chance to answer questions like these as city commissioners begin their search

for the city's next administrator. The survey opened Friday, Dec. 9, and will be available until Friday, Dec. 23. The survey is anonymous and is conducted by the Kansas League of Municipalities, which has hired by city commissioners to find the next manager.

City commissioners said in late October it was important that city residents, business owners, city employees and others have a say in what kind of qualities they want in the next city manager. City commissioner Jody Cole, in particular, said the next manager should be a good fit with the community, especially because the city has seen just two managers in nearly 40 years. Joyce Martin, current city manager who soon will retire, has held the post since 2007 and has worked for the city since 1967, most of that time as city clerk. Rick

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Above, Hope Pracht, far right, and Madyson Houston, second from right, both first graders at Garnett Elementary School, decorate Christmas cookies during the GES Art Fair Friday, Dec. 9.



At left, Nicki Sanborn, left, with Yvonne Cobbs, right and Addi Sanborn and Emma Sanborn look at art displays at GES.



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The Community Band performs a selection of Christmas tunes during a holiday concert Sunday, Dec. 11, at the Anderson County Jr./Sr. High School auditorium.

## Local daycare, preschool to close after 42 years

Little People's Learning Center to close Dec. 23 after dwindling enrollment

BY VICKIE MOSS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - A changing economic climate and increased competition has claimed a 42-year-old daycare and preschool facility in Garnett.

Little People's Learning Center (LPLC), which operates under the Garnett United Methodist Church, announced Friday, Dec. 9, it would be closing effective Dec. 23. Board members said they made the difficult decision to close the facility because of dwindling enrollment in recent years. The facility needs at least 22 students to break even; currently, it has an enrollment of just 19.

"Once we dropped down to 19, we were below that magic figure, and our projection is we would probably lose more into the new year," Skip Landis, a member of the board that oversees LPLC, said. "Our board had to make a tough decision to shut it down."

LPLC has eight staff members who were notified of the board's decision Thursday. Parents were notified Friday. LPLC board member Sandy Sample said the center lost about 10 students last year, and



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## Winter weather returns; expect cold weather for Christmas

1-inch snowfall melted quickly; small chance ahead for a white Christmas Eve

BY VICKIE MOSS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - Winter weather made a less-than-triumphant return last week, dumping an inch of fluffy white snow in the area Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 7. But the blink-and-you-

missed-it snow quickly melted; by the next morning, half of it was gone.

And although the first snowfall of the year typically wreaks havoc on roads, there were no reported accidents or slide-offs that day.

Temperatures in Anderson County in December have held to the average range - in the 20s, 30s or 40s. But only a couple of days before the snow fell, temperatures at the Garnett Industrial Airport reached a high of 52 as reported on Dec. 6, which represents temperatures in the previous 24 hours.

Winter weather took its time to reach the area, with recorded temperatures as high as 76 on Nov. 18. November featured wide swings in temperature, as the next day the low dropped to 44. Late November frequently brought temps in the 50s.

And after a wet spring and summer, late fall months proved to be especially dry. November saw just 0.35 inches of moisture, and December

so far offers just 0.45 inches. That includes the 1-inch Dec. 7 snowfall, which translated to just 0.03 inches of precipitation. Typically, November in Anderson County brings 2.50 inches, and December brings 1.90 inches.

These recent dry months are quite a departure from the previous months. In August, 7.24 inches of rain fell compared to a standard average of 4.02 inches, and 7.23 inches of rain in September dwarfing the standard average of 3.92 inches. October's total

was 4.35 inches, nearly an inch more than its average of 3.61 inches.

More cold temperatures but very little rain and snow are likely in the immediate future, according to forecasts from the National Weather Service in Topeka. Temperatures this week are expected to mostly remain in the upper 20s to lower 30s, up to a high of 41 on Friday. Lows will be in the upper teens to lower 20s. There's

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# NEWS IN BRIEF

## LANDFILL HOLIDAYS

Anderson County landfill will be closed Dec. 24-25 for Christmas and Dec. 31 and Jan. 2 for the New Year's Holiday.

## PROPERTY TAXES DUE

The first half of personal property and real estate taxes are due by Tuesday, Dec. 20, at the Anderson County Treasurer's Office.

## FOOD DISTRIBUTION

The Emergency Food Assistance Program Distribution will be Monday, Dec. 21, at 4 p.m. at the Anderson County Fairgrounds Quonset Hut building.

## DONATE HOPE UNLIMITED

Looking for a unique gift this year? Why not donate to Hope Unlimited in honor of that special person. Hope Unlimited will send them a lovely holiday card acknowledging your gift. What better way to spread the holiday cheer this year and support local crisis services! You can visit Hope Unlimited on Facebook, their website at www.hope-unlimited.org or 8 North Washington, Iola.

## PRAYERS CONTINUE

Now that the election is behind us, prayers will continue at the Archer Room of the Garnett Library for national healing and reunification. Meetings are from 7 a.m. to 8 a.m. every Monday. You may stay for the entire hour but are free to come and go whenever you are able.

## DRUG TAKE BACK

The Anderson County Sheriff's Department has purchased a drug take-back box using money collected from registered offenders. It is located just inside the front office door of the sheriff's department. Drop off expired or unused medication 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Remember you are on surveillance camera so do not try and remove anything from the box. Do not place needles in the box. Dispose of sharps by placing them in plastic laundry detergent bottles or a plastic milk jug, secure the lid and throw them in your trash.

## HOPE UNLIMITED

Hope Unlimited, Inc., is getting close to the end of 2016 and meeting its target goal to keep local services, but the group needs your help. Join together to keep the doors open at Hope Unlimited for 2017. If you've been meaning to make a contribution, now's the time. For more information, contact Hope Unlimited, Inc., 8 North Washington Ave., Iola, (620) 365-7566. www.hope-unlimited.org

## TOPS GROUP

TOPS, Taking Off Pounds Sensibly, is a national not-for-profit weight loss support group. It offers weekly meetings with private weigh-in, healthy eating programs and information, eating plan with no food to buy, contests and recognition. Cost is \$32. For more information, go to www.tops.org. To learn more about when and where the local group meets, contact Beverly at (316) 755-1055 or email bed-nasek@networksplus.net.

## SUICIDE AWARENESS GROUP

A new group, SAM - Suicide Awareness Members, a division of SASS-MoKan - meets on the first Thursday of the month from 6:30-7:30 at the Garnett Library located at 125 W 4th Ave in Garnett. This group is for family and friends who have lost a loved one to suicide. All are welcome to attend. The facilitator is Lu Ann Nichols, who may be reached at lu.ann.nichols.1956@gmail.com.

## ANDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS NOV. 28

Chairman Jerry Howarter called the meeting of the Anderson County Commission to order at 9:00 AM on November 28, 2014 at the County Commission Room. Attendance: Jerry Howarter, Present; Eugene Highberger, Present; Leslie McGhee, Present. The pledge of allegiance was recited. Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as presented.

### Road and Bridge

Lester Welsh, Road Supervisor met with the commission. He reported he has to take an inventory of all problems on the road to Westphalia that Coughlin worked on. He is required to turn in the performance bond on their work. Dan Harden, BG Consultants joined the meeting. He talked to the commission about a motion that needs made for the bridge on the Anderson/Allen County line road. Commissioner Highberger moved to acquire the additional rightofway from Sigg Farms LLC needed to construct federal bridge replacement project 2 C483901 using the administrative estimate method process as described in document entitled Rightofway Acquisition Guide for Local Agencies Revised March 2008 as published by the Kansas Department of Transportation. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 30.

### Energy Engineers

Jacob Hurla, 360 Energy Engineers met with the commission. He updated the commission on what the company can do for updating the HVAC and electrical of county buildings.

### Appraiser

Steve Markham, Appraiser met with the commission. He updated the commission on the appraisal for the ethanol plant from the county hired appraiser.

### Emergency Management

JD Mersman, Emergency Management Director met with the commission. He presented prices for new radios from TFM Comm. Two stations have offered to put a total of \$5,550 towards the purchase. Commissioner Highberger moved to purchase a total of 34 radios from TFM Comm for a total of \$19,150 with \$5,350 out of Ambulance Reserve and \$13,800 out of Emergency Management. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 30. Emergency Management has received a mitigation grant from FEMA for a storm shelter in Welda. Welda Twp. will be responsible for about \$10,000 towards the shelter. Commissioner Highberger moved to recess into executive session for 15 minutes for the discussion of nonelected personnel with JD Mersman in attendance. Open meeting to resume at 11:35. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 30. No action after executive session. Meeting adjourned at 11:55 AM due to no further business.

### LAND TRANSFERS

Nov. 30, Jeffrey D Mcadam And Emily M Mcadam To Jeremy P Ellington And Holly A Ellington, The S/2 Of The Ne/4 Of The Nw/4 Of Sw/4 Of 10-23-19. And The Ne/4 Of Se/4 Of Nw/4 Of Sw/4 Of 10-23-19.

Nov. 30, Carrington Mortgage Services Lic To Donald D Wettstein And Susan M Wettstein, Tract "T" In Ne4 34-20-19 Described As Follows: Beg At Secor Ne4 34-20-19, Thence South 89 degrees 52'05" West For A Distance Of 1327.25 Feet Along South Line Of Said Quarter Section To True Pob; Thence South 89 degrees 52'05" West For A Distance Of 330.00 Feet Along South Line Of Said Quarter Section; Thence North 00 degrees 03'11" East For A Distance Of 1326.53 Feet; Thence North 89degrees 44'51" East For A Distance Of 330.00 Feet; Thence South 00 degrees 03'10" West For A Distance Of 1327.33 Feet To True Pob.

Dec. 1, Christopher S Good And Dawn R Good To Cynthia M Dustin, Beg At Pt 815' West Of Necor Se4 25-20-19, Thence Running South 200', Thence East 100', Thence North 200', Thence West 100' To Pob.

Dec. 2, Goppert State Service Bank To 330-608 Garnett Lic, S2 Lots 1 & 2 Blk 2 Smith's Addition To City Of Garnett.

Dec. 5, Joseph M Johnson And Glenda M Johnson To Michael W Mason, The W/2 Of Lot 4 And The East 30' Of Lot 5 In Block 34 In The City Of Garnett.

Dec. 5, Blayne A Keith And Chelsie Keith To Aaron Hayes, Lot 22 & West 10' Lot 23 Blk 12 City Of Garnett.

Dec. 6, Jack L Morrison And Delores A Morrison To Jason W Morrison, East 30' Lot 22 & W2

Lot 23 Blk 23 City Of Garnett;

### DOMESTIC CASES FILED

Dec. 7, Vincent Johnson vs. Michelle Johnson, petition for divorce.

Dec. 5, State of Kansas DCF vs. Joshua L. Schwien, petition for support.

### CIVIL CASES RESOLVED

Dec. 7, Midland Funding LLC vs. Patricia A. Cummings, default judgment for \$1,411.13 plus interests and costs.

### LIMITED ACTION FILED

Dec. 5, LVNV Funding LLC vs. Melissa Sanders, asking for \$630.30 plus interests and costs.

### LIMITED ACTION RESOLVED

Dec. 6, Wolken Goodyear vs. Benjamin L. Kinder, default judgment for 553.68 plus interests and costs.

Dec. 6, Ransom Memorial Hospital vs. Holly A. Byerley, default judgment for \$2,333.25 plus interests and costs.

Dec. 6, Saint Luke's Hospital of Garnett Inc. vs. Kenneth R. Anderson, et. al., default judgment for \$1,743.45 plus interests and costs.

Dec. 6, Cavanaugh & Lemon PA vs. Laci Jai Brooks, default judgment for \$500 plus interests and costs.

### CRIMINAL CASES FILED

Dec. 6, Joseph T. Dalton Jr., violation of a protection order, possession of depressant.

Dec. 6, Tommy D. Jackson, possession of opiate, opium, narcotic or stimulant; possession of hallucinogenic drug; possession of drug paraphernalia.

### CRIMINAL CASES RESOLVED

#### Speeding violations:

Robert Michael Bell, disposed due to failure to appear.

Christopher D. Cook, disposed due to failure to appear.

Denis M. Gatotoho, \$576 fine.

Trent Michael Lutz, \$153 fine.

Marilyn K. Miller, \$183 fine.

Joanna Marie Ransier, \$171 fine.

Donna Jean Scott, \$153 fine.

Brennan C. Simpson, disposed due to failure to appear.

#### Seatbelt violations:

Carol J. Aust, \$10 fine.

Charles E. Brown, \$10 fine.

Alan W. Sunderland, \$10 fine.

#### Other:

Kevin Karl Bauman, no vehicle registration, \$168 fine.

Robert Michael Bell, operate a vehicle without a license, disposed due to failure to appear.

Stephen Samuel Lowery, driving while suspended, \$293 fine.

Scott L. Mantooth, possession of drug paraphernalia, \$293 fine.

Russell E. Prater, criminal restraint, domestic battery, criminal damage to property, diversion, \$793 fine.

Pablo Z. Romero, driving while suspended, operate a vehicle without liability insurance, transporting an open container, no vehicle registration, disposed due to failure to appear.

Brennan C. Simpson, driving while suspended, disposed due to failure to appear.

### GARNETT POLICE REPORT

#### Arrests

Kevin Freeman-Appleton, Gardner, was arrested Dec. 1 on a warrant.

Trenton Pollet, Garnett, was arrested Dec. 1 on a warrant.

Joseph Daulton III, Garnett, was arrested Dec. 2 on suspicion of cultivate or distribute opiates/opium/narcotic drugs and certain stimulants, violation of a protection order and no drug tax stamp.

Edwin Duncan III, Garnett, was arrested Dec. 3 on suspicion of no vehicle liability insurance, no registration.

Alicia Stofko, Paola, was arrested Dec. 4 on a warrant.

#### Incidents

On Dec. 2, a report of cultivate or distribute opiates/opium/narcotic drugs and certain stimulants, violation of a protection order and no drug tax stamp in the 600 block of North Maple Street.

On Dec. 3, a report of no vehicle registration and operating a vehicle without a license in the 100 block of East Fifth Avenue.

#### JAIL BOOKINGS

On Dec. 1, Scott Leroy Mantooth, 53, Colony, was booked into jail by Anderson County

Sheriff Department for suspicion of possession of drug paraphernalia. No bond.

On Dec. 1, Kevin Michael Freeman-Appleton, 26, Topeka, was booked into jail by Garnett Police Department. No charge listed. No bond. Released Dec. 1.

On Dec. 1, Trenton Lee Pollet, 19, Garnett, was booked into jail by Garnett Police Department on suspicion of no vehicle registration. Bond set at \$500. Released Dec. 2.

On Dec. 1, Kyle Marcus Bisch, 22, Kansas City, Mo., was booked into jail by Miami County Sheriff Department for suspicion of criminal damage to property. No bond. Released Dec. 2.

On Dec. 1, Amanda Saulnier Wilson, 26, Osawatomie, was booked into jail by Miami County Sheriff Department for suspicion of possession of aggravated arson. No bond.

On Dec. 2, Joseph Theodore Daulton, 21, Garnett, was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff Department for suspicion of violation of a protection order, distribution of drugs, no drug tax stamp. Bond set at \$10,000.

On Dec. 2, David Lee Bohlken, 38, LaCygne, was booked into jail by Linn County Sheriff Department for suspicion of trafficking contraband in a correctional facility. Bond set at \$5,000.

On Dec. 2, John David Crane, 48, Greeley, was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff Department for suspicion of DUI. Bond set at \$1,000.

On Dec. 3, Edwin Lee Duncan, 29, Garnett, was booked into jail by Garnett Police Department on suspicion of no vehicle registration, no vehicle insurance. Bond set at \$900. Released Dec. 3.

On Dec. 4, Darren Gregory Slyter, 27, Garnett, was booked into jail by Garnett Police Department for suspicion of driving while suspended. Bond set at \$150. Released Dec. 4.

On Dec. 4, Alicia Dawn Stofko, 33, Pomona, was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff Department for suspicion of fail-

ure to comply with traffic citation. Bond set at 4,430.

On Dec. 4, Charles Robert Lee, 30, Paola, was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff Department on a warrant for failure to appear. Bond set at \$393. Released Dec. 4.

On Dec. 7, Terry Lee Clay, 39, Topeka, was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff Department on a warrant for failure to appear. Bond set at \$203. Released Dec. 7.

On Dec. 7, Joshua L. Knapp, 35, Fort Scott, was booked into jail by Allen County Sheriff Department on suspicion of murder in the first degree. Bond set at \$1 million.

On Dec. 7, Eric Keith Spurgeon, 27, Garnett, was booked into jail by Garnett Police Department on a warrant for failure to appear. Bond set at \$1,000.

### JAIL ROSTER

Kaylee Schuster was booked into jail June 25 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$5,000.

Preston Kern was booked into jail May 14 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$500,000.

Brian Anderson was booked into jail July 16 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$10,000.

Michael Jason Kinder was booked into jail July 26 for Anderson County to serve a sentence.

Colton Sobba was booked into jail August 5 for Anderson County. Court appearance.

Bradlee Pratt was booked into jail September 10 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$25,000. Has holds from Harvey County and the City of Newton.

Phillip Proctor was booked into jail September 19 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$50,000.

Eric Mersman was booked into jail September 22 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$20,000.

Joshua Heubach was booked into jail October 14 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$10,000 x 3.

Brian Franklin was booked into jail October 26 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$20,000.

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HEROLD

MAY 10, 1921-DECEMBER 6, 2016

Mary Ethel (Dennis) Herold, 95, passed away Tuesday, December 6, 2016 at 7:15 a.m. at the Residential Living Center in Garnett, KS.



Herold

Ethel was born May 10, 1921, in Kansas City, Missouri to John Elbern and Josephine Agatha Dennis.

Ethel was raised in Parsons, Kansas and later at the family farm at the north-east corner of Altamont, Kansas. Ethel met her future husband, Kenneth Herold one

summer when he worked on a wheat thrashing crew hired by her Mother. During high school years, she enjoyed the many teen activities at the First Baptist Church of which Kenneth also attended. She graduated from LCCHS in Altamont and continued her education taking the post-graduate course in normal training. This allowed her to be a school teacher in a one-room school house south west of Altamont. In December of her first year teaching, she and Kenneth decided to elope. They kept their marriage a secret for six months, as school teachers were not allowed to be married in 1940. Their marriage lasted 71 years.

During WWII, they moved to California so Kenneth could work at the Northrup Aircraft plant. During this time, they were blessed with two daughters, Carolyn Faith and Cleora Loree. When Kenneth had to report to the Army in 1944, he moved Ethel and the girls back to Altamont to the farm. After the war, Kenneth returned to Altamont, the couple purchased the farm from her Mother and they farmed in partnership with Henry and Pauline Herold, for 50 years. They were blessed with three more children: Kenneth Edward, Judy Marie, and Patty June.

Ethel was a Charter Member of the Independent Baptist

Church, now Grace Baptist, in Altamont. She was very active as a Sunday school teacher, and often opened her home to visiting missionaries and preachers.

She was a wonderful seamstress, making most of her daughters' clothes and several wedding dresses. Ethel also had a "green thumb" and always had the most exceptional gardens. After living through the depression, she made sure they always had canned food to last the year. She was a wonderful homemaker, wife, mother, and grandmother and made the best pies in the world!

After retirement, Kenneth and Ethel enjoyed traveling in their camper and also flying off to wonderful destinations with her daughter, Carolyn and husband Roger.

Survivors include one brother, William Henry Dennis, Grand Coulee, Wash.; one son, Kenneth Herold, Jr and wife, Linda, Altamont; three daughters: Cleora Ulbrich and husband, Norman, Girard; Patty Benton and husband, Tim, Garnett; son-in-law Roger Evans and wife Carol, Benton; 16 Grandchildren; 28 Great Grandchildren; three beloved sisters-in-law: Cleora Borghman, Grand Prairie, Texas; Lucretia Cabias, Santa Monica, Calif.; and Margaret Lansdowne, Manhattan.

Ethel was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth on November 26, 2012; her daughter, Carolyn on October 18, 2014; and one brother, James Oliver Dennis on January 22, 2013.

Funeral services were Sunday, December 11, at the Grace Baptist Church in Altamont. Burial followed at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery in Altamont.

Memorials are suggested to the Grace Baptist Church. These may be left at or mailed to Bath-Forbes-Hoffman Funeral Home, P.O. Box 325, Altamont, KS 67330.

Online condolences may be left at [www.forbeshoffman.com](http://www.forbeshoffman.com).

AXTELL

JANUARY 19, 1922-DECEMBER 5, 2016

Donnie Lee Axtell, age 94, passed away on Monday, December 5, 2016, at Richmond Healthcare and Rehabilitation in Richmond.

She was born January 19, 1922 in Oakley, to William Barnabus and Flora Mae (VanAntwerp) Day.

On August 14, 1940, Donnie married David J. Axtell at Iola.

She was preceded in death by her parents, William and Flora Mae Day; her husband, David; one son, Lyle Axtell; one grandson; four sisters, Margaret Watson, Juanita Day, and Dorothy Jean McAuliff, and Leona Merle Bogart; two brothers, Kenneth and Sam Day.

Survivors include three

sons, William "Mike" Axtell of Wichita; James "Jim" Axtell of Montezuma; Darrell "Wayne" Axtell of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; one daughter, Linda Sears of Garnett; nine grandchildren; 25 great grandchildren; and nine great great grandchildren.

Funeral services were Friday, December 9, 2016, at the Feuerborn Family Funeral Service Chapel in Garnett. Burial followed in the Garnett Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association or to Crossroads Hospice and left in care of the funeral home. You may send your condolences to the family at [www.feuerbornfuneral.com](http://www.feuerbornfuneral.com).

BAKER

SEPTEMBER 5, 1925-DECEMBER 10, 2016

Colleen Baker, age 91, of Garnett, Kansas, joined her parents and husband in heaven on Saturday, December 10, 2016. She passed away at Residential Living Center, Garnett.

Colleen was born to George and Laura (Eastman) Kinzel on September 5, 1925, in Fennimore, Wisconsin. They later lived in Los Angeles where her father owned a meat market and grocery store. Colleen worked for Black and Veatch during World War II, supporting their defense efforts, and lived on the Country Club Plaza.



Baker

After the war, she met and fell in love with Ken Baker, and they were married in 1955. They followed their dream and operated a very successful restaurant in Prairie Village, Kansas for 30 years, during which time they expanded their business to Millstone Lodge at the Lake of the Ozarks. Some of the best times of their lives were at the lake, where they enjoyed boating, entertaining and water-sports with their children and many friends. This love of the lake lives on with their children, as does their love of cooking.

Colleen's family wishes to extend our sincere thanks to the wonderful staff at the Residential Living Center and everyone who enriched her life.

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by her parents, George and Laura Kinzel; and husband, Ken Baker.

Colleen is survived by her daughter, Connie Beene and husband Mike of Topeka, Kansas; son, Kent Baker and friend Kim Wisdom of Overland Park; son, Greg Baker of Overland Park; step-daughter, Cheryl May and husband Gary of Kearney, Missouri; grandchildren, Brandi Frobese and husband Hyatt and daughter Oakley; Brice, Kyle, Madison, Jared and Kristy. The strength of the Lord works in wondrous ways as she was able to meet baby Oakley the day before she passed.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, December 15, 2016, at the Feuerborn Family Funeral Service Chapel in Garnett, Kansas. Her final resting place will be at Lake Ozark, Missouri.

In lieu of flowers, the family greatly appreciates donations to the Anderson County Hospital Residential Living Center Activity Fund left in care of Anderson County Hospital, P.O. Box 309, Garnett, KS 66032.

Colleen's family wishes to extend our sincere thanks to the wonderful staff at the Residential Living Center and everyone who enriched her life.

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LPLC...

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about seven students this year. The board considered various options, such as reducing classrooms or raising rates, but ultimately decided such measures likely would not result in significant savings. Landis said the board attempted to collect about \$14,000 in past-due fees dating back years and sent those accounts to collection agencies or the court system. But even if they are able to recoup those old debts, it likely wouldn't be enough to save the facility, he said.

"With a little operation like ours, once you get behind it's hard to make it up," Landis said.

Sample said some parents have a difficult time paying bills in the current economy, which makes it difficult for the center to pay its bills as well.

An estimated 2,100 children have gone through the LPLC program since it began in 1974, board members estimated. It began as a mission project by the United Methodist Church.

The center's heyday likely was in the 1980s, as more women entered the workforce and needed daycare for children, Sample said. The facility was licensed to hold up to 70 children; in the 80s, most of the classrooms were full or nearly full. Sometimes waiting lists existed for the placement of applicant kids.

In the past, LPLC offered as many as three preschool classrooms in addition to classrooms for younger students, such as a classroom for students age 12

months and a classroom for 2-year-olds who are learning to potty train, 3-year-olds and an after-school program for school-aged children. Now, there is just one preschool classroom and 3-year-olds have been moved to that classroom.

"It's been a good run," Sample said. "The world has changed in 42 years and it's changed a lot in just the last couple of years."

When the center began, Garnett offered few daycare facilities and no structured preschool center. Now, the community has about nine daycare or preschool providers, including preschool programs through USD 365 and ECKAN's Head Start.

Sample said she hopes the school district might expand its program to make up for the loss of LPLC, or that other daycare providers will step up to fill the void. She also hopes the city is able to bring back its after-school program, because there are few options for parents with school-aged children. LPLC offered a before- and after-school program that included picking up and dropping off children at the center. About 12 students were enrolled in that program.

Because the LPLC facility was part of the United Methodist Church building, it's likely the classrooms will be utilized for church functions such as Sunday school. The church has a kitchen in its basement that is used for LPLC meals, as well as for community events like chili and soup supper fundraisers or pancake supper fundraisers.

WEATHER...

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a 20 percent chance of snow between Friday morning and Saturday. That brings a slight chance of a white Christmas, or at least a white Christmas Eve. The forecast for Christmas Day

is expected to be cold, with a high of around 28.

CHASE

Kenny Chase, age 58, Centerville, Kansas passed away Friday, December 9, 2016 at his home in rural Centerville.

Funeral service will be held 10 am Saturday, December 17, 2016 at the Centerville Community Church. A horseback funeral procession will take place from the church to Centerville Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 5 to 7 pm Friday, December 16 at the Schneider Funeral Home and Crematory, Mound City Chapel.

The family suggests contributions to Frontal Temporal Dementia Association. On line condolences for the family can be left at [www.schneiderfunerals.com](http://www.schneiderfunerals.com). Arrangements: Schneider Funeral Home and Crematory, Mound City Chapel.

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# John Glenn a classic inspiration

Next to Batman, John Glenn was my first hero.

They came different back in those days – those outstanding people who somehow, through their words or their deeds, inspire kids and alter what will eventually be the course of their lives.

It was more than being larger than life. There was a sense of celebrity about them, sure – in the days of the Mercury Space Program it's arguable there were no bigger celebrities in the country than the astronauts pursuing America's quest in space. But there was this perception back in those days that substance and celebrity were somehow connected, unlike the grotesque representation of Kardashian-esque celebrity of our modern age where fame seems so often divorced from talent, accomplishment or character.

In Glenn's case, looking at him as a hero was easy. He was 41 in 1962 when he became the first person to multi-orbit the planet. He was a U.S. Marine Corps aviator who flew attack missions in World War II and Korea. He broke the transcontinental speed record as a U.S. test pilot in 1957, making New York to Los Angeles in 3 hours 23 minutes. He was a hard charger, Mr. Kleen Marine, married to the same woman since 1943; served 24 years as U.S. Senator from Ohio and in 1998, at the age of 77, got to go back to space on a shuttle mission.

He was a man worth emulating. I wasn't even alive in '62, but by '68 I was five and every kid in America wanted to be an astronaut. The toy company Hasbro came out with the replica of Glenn's Friendship 7 capsule for the GI Joe action figure in the mid 1960s – I was a huge GI Joe guy – and Santa was kind enough to bring me one that Christmas of '68 or '69.

Inside the packaging was an orange-colored 45 rpm record that explained the space program and Glenn's mission on

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DANE HICKS, Publisher

one side, and then on the other was an edited version of Glenn's actual radio communications with the ground crew. I must have listened to it a thousand times.

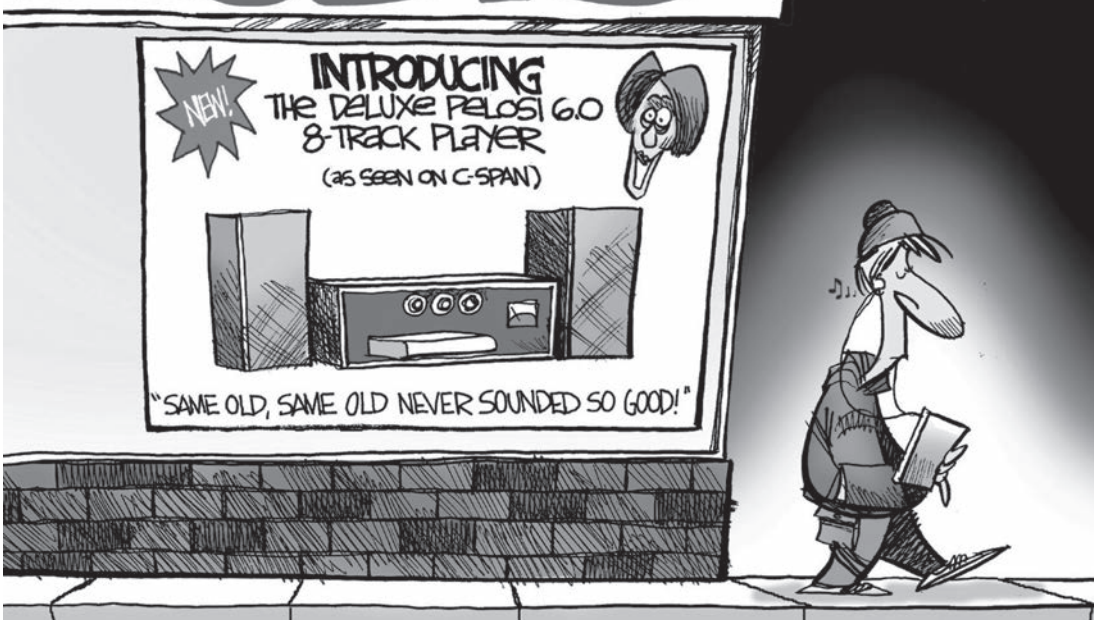
I wouldn't say I obsessed about Glenn or that amazing mission, but I'd say it was always in the back of my mind growing up. Flying intrigued me and the Marine Corps held it's own appeal of excellence as I got older. The U.S. Space Shuttle program came off the drawing board about the time I got out of high school, so I pressed the daydreams into pursuing a pre-flight program in the USMC and eventually graduated officer training. But life has its own banks and dives. That was as far as I'd get.

Air and space and the people who do it still speak with a voice, much the same way Glenn and the Mercury astronauts spoke to me and my whole generation of kids. The allure is still there – the excitement and the challenge and the ability to overcome amazing barriers; the toughness and the smarts to see it all through.

Glenn did it like a pro – a hard charger and a gentleman all the way. By all accounts, a great man of great accomplishments and great character.

We have to hope the days of such men and women, and the way they widen the eyes of our kids, is not passed.

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I really liked the chamber play and dinner. It was a really good play and everyone in it did a fabulous job. Congratulations to all of you.

I miss the Medicine Shoppe. It was a friendly little place. Everybody knew you. Your medicine was ready all the time. I really miss it.

I just wanted to say thanks to The Anderson County Review for doing the Christmas ticket drawing. I know you have done this for several years and just wanted to say thanks for doing it. It gives a little excitement around our town and I like that it helps the local merchants. Thank you.

This is to the attention of the Anderson County Junior Senior High School janitors or head director of maintenance. Saturday 15 schools attended the invitational wrestling tournament. When we were leaving through the south doors, couldn't help but notice on the inside of the doors the buildup of dirt, grime and germs that need to be cleaned. As school bathrooms need to be cleaned for hygiene, so do the doors. Please check them out and clean them as flu season is here. Thank you.

Thank you for receiving the Garnett paper in four days instead of the usual six days to Marble Falls, Tx. You can figure out my name. I love you. Thanks.

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# 'To Kill a Pipeline,' Obama's latest verse

One of the Obama administration's core competencies is suspending pipeline projects with no cause.

It will leave office with another notch in its belt, now that the Army Corps of Engineers has acted to block a final piece of the Dakota Access Pipeline. The 1,200-mile pipeline is designed to move oil from North Dakota to Illinois and will have to await completion in a Trump administration with a more rational attitude toward pipelines specifically and fossil fuels generally.

The story of the Dakota Access Pipeline will be familiar to anyone who followed the controversy over the Keystone XL pipeline. As with Keystone, the builders of the pipeline have taken years to dutifully check every environmental and bureaucratic box, only to get stymied when protesters – this time a Native American tribe – made the project a hate totem for the left.

The protests have been led by the Standing Rock Sioux tribe of North Dakota. The tribe alleges that the Dakota Access project will trample on culturally sensitive sites and taint its drinking water, without much in the way of supporting evidence.

The dispute centers around the pipeline's planned crossing of the Missouri River at Lake Oahe. This isn't exactly virgin territory. Around the lake, the pipeline will run within 22 to 300 feet of the existing Northern Border

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RICH LOWRY, King Features Syndicate

Gas Pipeline, which has been in service since 1982 and hasn't devastated the Standing Rock tribe. The pipeline also tracks with an overhead utility line.

A decision by a federal judge in September to reject a bid by the Standing Rock tribe to block the pipeline cataloged how deliberate the developers of Dakota Access have been about culturally sensitive sites. According to the opinion, the company found 149 potentially sensitive sites in its own surveying in North Dakota. It modified the route to avoid 140 of them and came up with a plan with the state of North Dakota to limit any effect on the other nine.

Throughout most of this process, representatives of the Standing Rock tribe were notably absent. When the Army Corps invited them to a general meeting to discuss the pipeline in November 2015, five tribes attended, but not Standing Rock.

In the spring of 2016, the Corps invited tribes to conduct their own cultural surveys at locations around the route. Three tribes participated; Standing Rock did not. The tribal surveys identified additional sites of concern, where Dakota Access duly agreed to take additional protective measures.

There is no real defense, though, against protesters staging cable-TV-ready disturbances against a project and making it a cause celebre. For the overwhelming majority of its route, the Dakota Access pipeline requires no permitting, since it traverses private land. It's the tiny percent that would affect waterways that made it subject to federal approval, and thus to political hostage-taking.

For the left, Dakota Access is a symbol. In reality, it is simply a means of moving half a million barrels of crude oil a day from Point A to Point B, an activity that shouldn't be considered dastardly or untoward. Fortunately for Dakota Access, and everyone else in the energy industry, help is on the way.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.

# Budget: Fix the roof or dry the carpet?

Well, we have a brand-new plan to balance the state budget starting July 1, but instantly, it has become an "us vs. them" political scrap that is likely to put the state Legislature into several fights that it's too early to handicap.

The plan presented last week by a coalition of groups—interested in financing schools, building highways, taking care of the needs of the poor and paying state employees who are vital to meeting those needs—pencils out nicely to raise money for those purposes.

The Kansas Center for Economic Growth pulled together a wide range of interest groups to assemble a new tax regimen for the state and included taxing those 330,000 LLC-owning Kansans who don't pay taxes now, reshuffling the tax rates to see the wealthy paying more taxes, cutting the sales tax on food, and boosting the tax on gasoline by 11 cents a gallon.

Instantly, Gov. Sam Brownback's office slapped the venture, saying it will raise taxes on Kansans. That's generally a bad political thing to do.

Oddly, few are looking back to the 2012 massive tax cuts at how nice it felt for a year or two, while the state had balances in its budget to make negligible the effects of less money coming into the treasury.

Anyone else thinking that with the knowledge that the state was going to start taking in less money, it would have been a good time to start looking for efficiencies, for sharing of government resources, for finding ways to save money so that those shrinking revenues would cover the cost of services that Kansans want?

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MARTIN HAWVER, At The Rail

Well, that didn't happen. That's why the shrinking revenues—for both the current half-over fiscal year and the upcoming two years that Gov. Sam Brownback will present his budget for in January—are scary.

Oh, the governor and Legislature managed while revenues have been dropping the past couple years to cut their way out of a deficit. The Legislature made some cuts in spending, the governor made some cuts in spending, but there really hasn't been much of a plan for reducing spending or finding efficiencies in government that would match costs with the tax revenue available to finance those costs.

Kansans have seen what amounts to stomping out fires instead of preventing them in the first place.

But, that's where we are now, legislators say, and some of those new legislators who won election in November are recalling that

the job ahead of them didn't seem nearly so big last spring as it did after their election and the estimates of state revenue for the current and upcoming years subsequently were revealed.

Now, that Center for Economic Growth plan has an interesting wrinkle. Do all the tax increases and shuffling to boost state revenues when the Legislature opens before dealing with the immediate \$350 million shortfall for the current fiscal year. An interesting idea. Patch the roof before you dry out the carpet. Probably the way you'd manage your business or household.

With about one-third of the total Legislature being new this year, those newbies are likely to see the advantage of making long-term policy first, essentially creating solid ground to work from in the future, and then dealing with the emergency budget shortfall once the future is secure.

But, doable? Probably not likely, because the Legislature tends to deal with immediate problems, and two-year House terms and four-year Senate terms and a new governor in 2018 tend to make looking into the future very far difficult.

The roofing project might sound logical, but the culture of the Legislature tends to want to dry out the carpet first.

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# Notice to sell city vehicles

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# The name of the city will be, 'The Lord is There'

Ezekiel was an Old Testament prophet who was carried away captive from Israel to Babylon in 597 B. C. at the age of 25. Ezekiel prophesied to his fellow countrymen who were also captives and dwelt by the River Chebar. His wife who was left behind in Judah when he was carried away died during the Babylonian siege of Jerusalem in 586 B. C. God used Ezekiel to prophecy to the captives during a time when the people had isolated themselves from God and did not want to hear any word from God. In an unusual request God commanded Ezekiel not to mourn the death of his wife as a symbol of God's wrath upon the nation of Judah. Judah was taken into captivity because of their grievous sins against God.

While Ezekiel preached God's judgment a group of false prophets encouraged the people that their captivity would be short lived and those who had been taken captive would soon be returning to Jerusalem. Ezekiel announced judgment against Judah on Jerusalem and in 586 B. C. the exiles received word that their beloved city of Jerusalem had been destroyed. The people had relied on the words of the false prophets and believed that since God had chosen Jerusalem as his dwelling and the Lord himself had defended the city in the past that the city was indestructible. Ezekiel had warned the people repeatedly that the oracles he had received from God would become reality.

## WEEKLY DEVOTIONAL By David Bilderback

Having been taken captive was bad enough but to hear their beloved Jerusalem had been destroyed left the exiles without hope. When all seems lost God provides Ezekiel with a vision of a new temple in Jerusalem including the return of the glory of God which fills the temple. The glory of God had left the temple and the city prior to the destruction. In Ezekiel 48:35b God tells Ezekiel, "And the name of the city from that time on shall be, 'THE LORD IS THERE.'"

From the beginning of the Old Testament God has revealed his intention to be with his people. He walked in the Garden of Eden with Adam and dwelled in sanctuaries built in the midst of the people. The promise of a child named Immanuel pointed to a day when God would be "with us." There is an appointed time on God's calendar commonly referred to as, "the day of our Lord", when Jesus Christ will return and bring an end to history. Jesus Christ will raise the dead, and judge the world, and impart to God's children their final glory. Having completed the plan God assigned to him Christ will deliver the kingdom to God the Father. Truly then God will be with his people.

*David Bilderback: A Ministry on the Holiness of God.*



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Above, Students try out for district band. Six students from the ACHS band auditioned for the KMEA district II honor band. They are from left to right Garrett Belcher, Zach Barnes, Eddie Gruver, Nate Gainer, Owen Lutz, and Linda Lattimer.

Below left: Three Anderson County High School students were selected to participate in the KMEA district II honor choir Saturday December 3rd at the Bicknell Fine Arts Center in Pittsburg. They are Sammy Hicks, Harley Maley, their clinician Dr. Terry Crull of Ft. Hays State University and Bethany Powls.

Below right: Nate Gainer, Owen Lutz and Garrett Belcher are pictured with their guest clinician Dr. Frank Tracz at the Bicknell Fine Arts Center in Pittsburg. They were selected to participate in the KMEA Honor band Sat. December 3rd



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# BUSINESS BEAT

## LGGPR gives back to community for third year

Lake Garnett Grand Prix Revival (LGGPR) gives \$5,000 in charitable donations to two local organizations.

A large element of the Lake Garnett Grand Prix Revival is giving back to the community. Following this year's event, the LGGPR upped the ante again, and two area organizations benefitted from their generosity.

On November 30, Mick Mithelavage, representing LGGPR, and Raymond Beckman of Beckman Motors, a major LGGPR sponsor, presented a check for \$2,500 to Big Brothers Big Sisters of Anderson and Franklin Counties and a second check for \$2,500 to East Central Kansas Economic Opportunity Corporation.

Patricia Hutton accepted the donation on behalf of BBBS, and Richard Jackson accepted the donation for ECKAN. Both were extremely thankful for the generous gifts and gave assurance that the funds would be used for the benefit of many area residents.

Mithelavage said the event has grown each year, "For

just our third year, we're extremely satisfied with the turnout of participants and spectators, and we had people travel hundreds of miles to get in the action. Gary Wittman, who grew up here in Garnett, brought his 1961 Austin Healey Sprite all the way from Costa Mesa, California. By all measures, we had another very successful weekend."

To give credit for those who made it all happen, Mithelavage expressed his sincerest thanks to all the volunteers, local businesses and national sponsors who gave their support. "A total of 30 companies and organizations contributed time, merchandise, services and funds. The show of support for this event is amazing. In addition, the City of Garnett came in at the last minute to make necessary repairs to North Lake Road following the heavy rains the week prior to the event. Everyone worked together."

The purpose of Lake Garnett Grand Prix Revival is to give any adult an opportunity to feel what it was like

back in the '60's and '70's when the SCCA races took place in North Lake Park. LGGPR is a safe, family-oriented experience for young and old alike who have an interest in driving and admiring classic vintage sports cars.

For more information on this thrilling sports car event,

visit [www.lggpr.org](http://www.lggpr.org) or check the Facebook page: 'Lake Garnett Grand Prix Revival'. To learn more about the Kansas Big Brothers Big Sisters, their website is [www.bbbs.org](http://www.bbbs.org), and to learn more about ECKAN, their website is [www.eckan.org](http://www.eckan.org).



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Raymond Beckman of Beckman Motors (center), a primary sponsor of LGGPR, presents a \$2,500 check to Patricia Hutton of Kansas Big Brothers Big Sisters and another \$2,500 check to Richard Jackson of East Central Kansas Economic Opportunity Corporation. Both organizations have offices in Ottawa. These generous contributions are from proceeds of the 2016 Lake Garnett Grand Prix Revival held in North Lake Park and downtown Garnett this past October.

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Occasionally you should do something in your business to make people say, "hey, did you see..."

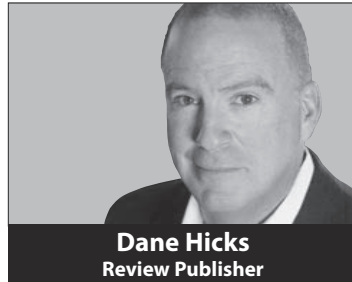
This is one of the prime precepts of Guerilla Marketing – the idea of doing effective, attention-getting advertising without paying much or anything for it. And the mindset you develop by doing it is the prime driver of how to sell stuff.

Three simple, cheap ideas that I stole from [creativeguerillamarketing.com](http://creativeguerillamarketing.com):

**Have a fake protest:** People become alerted and respond to things that are out of the ordinary. If you saw a bunch of people marching, chanting and carrying placards outside a local business – it would get your attention, right? Get some of your employees (or family members if you're a mom & pop operation) to stage a protest outside your office for an hour or so some morning – just

make sure it stretches over

### HOW TO SELL STUFF



Dane Hicks  
Review Publisher

the lunch hour when there's generally a little more traffic. What do you protest? Let's say you own a flower shop – your protest might be against bad lilies. You can show anybody that stops by what good lilies are and what they smell like. Protest the problems that your business solves!

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The net of it is: Think visual disruption, and you'll get attention.

Dane Hicks is president of Garnett Publishing, Inc., and publisher of The Anderson County Review. Comments or questions may be directed to him at [review@garnett-ks.com](mailto:review@garnett-ks.com) or (785) 448-3121.

## Notice for permit to dispose of saltwater

(Published in The Anderson County Review, Tuesday, December 13, 2016)

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NOTICE OF FILING APPLICATION

RE: lantha Resources, LLC – Application for a permit to authorize the disposal of saltwater into the Minckley 1-INJ, Minckley 2-INJ, Minckley 3-INJ, Minckley 4-INJ, Minckley W-14, & Minckley W-15; Section 3, Township 23 South, Range 19 East located in Anderson County, Kansas.

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FWL, and the Minckley 4-INJ located 880 FSL, 2200 FEL, and the Minckley W-14 located 1760 FNL, 1760 FWL, and the Minckley W-15 located 1320 FNL, 1760 FWL; Section 3 Township 23 South, Range 19 East; Anderson County, Kansas, with a maximum operating pressure of 700 psi and a maximum injection rate of 70 bbls per day.

Any persons who object to or protest this application shall be required to file their objections or protest with the Conservation Division of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas within thirty (30) days from the date of this publication. These protests shall be filed pursuant to Commission regulations and must state specific reasons why granting the application may cause waste, violate correlative rights or pollute the natural resources of the State of Kansas.

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## Notice to amend budget

(Published in The Anderson County Review, Tuesday, December 13, 2016)

### NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AMENDING THE 2016 BUDGET

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Detailed budget information is available at the City Hall, 131 West Fifth and will be available at the hearing.

Adopted Budget 2016 Proposed Amendment 2016 Budget

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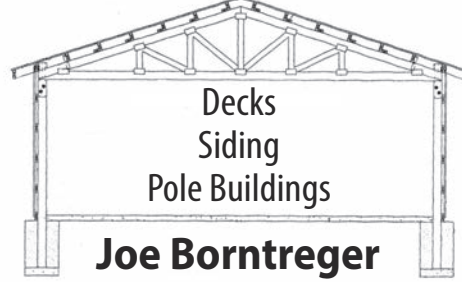
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02-26-2014

# Anderson County Republicans plan victory party

GARNETT — Anderson County Republicans will meet Wednesday night in Garnett to elect new leaders of the county party and to plan a major victory celebration in honor of the outcome of the November elections.

The meeting, which is open to all Republicans in Anderson County, will be held at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Auburn Pharmacy corporate board room at 259 W. Park Road in Garnett.

County party chairman Dane Hicks said the reorganizational meeting would be an opportunity for Republicans who may have only recently become more interested in politics to become involved at the grass roots level. Positions of chairman, vice chairman and secretary/treasurer, as well as alternate delegates to the 2nd District Convention will be elected.

"The whole political system starts out at the precinct level," Hicks said. "We're the jumping on point to get educated about the political system and learn how you can be a part of it and make a difference in it."

Hicks said Donald Trump's victory in the November presidential race had stirred new interest in the local party, and Anderson County Republicans hoped to "ride the wave" to develop a more active and influential local organization.

Both Democrat and Republican party leadership at the county level is organized with a man and a woman from each precinct who hold a voting position on the county committee. The county committee has a statutory responsibility to fill vacancies in public offices when a sitting incumbent of that party leaves office before his/her term is completed, but the mainstay of county committee work is in serving as help for candidates who want to run for local office and for state and national candidates seeking leaders and helpers in those local areas.

Hicks said one of the items on the meeting's agenda after the election of officers would be planning of a victory celebration on or around inauguration day to celebrate local, state and national wins.

"For us it was a clean sweep," Hicks said. "Republicans in

Anderson County won every single ballot question we supported in this election. Each Republican candidate on our ballot won his or her race. Particularly in view of the national situation the past 8 years, we think that's reason to celebrate."

For more information about the Anderson County Republican Party see the group's facebook page at [www.facebook.com/](http://www.facebook.com/)

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The little stage coach is a modern day sharpener, where as the gun is a vintage sharpener. Both were found while metal detecting school grounds.

For years, the common knife was the most commonly used tool to sharpen a wooden writing

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Small handheld pencil sharpeners like the little gun and stagecoach became very popular

beginning in the mid-19th century. Many of these were manufactured from plastic and were known as "prism" sharpeners.



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This little gun and miniature metal stage coach are actually handheld manual pencil sharpeners.

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## CALENDAR

- Tuesday, December 13**
- 9 a.m. - TOPS at Garnett Methodist Church basement, 2nd & Oak
  - Noon - Rotary International Club, at Garnett Inn and Suites
  - 4:30 p.m. - ACHS basketball at home with Girard
  - 5 p.m. - Crest basketball at Pleasanton
  - 6 p.m. - City of Garnett at City Hall
  - 6 p.m. - Alzheimer's Support at Golden Heights
- Wednesday, December 14**
- Friends of the Prairie Spirit Trail
  - 10:30 a.m. - Kincaid Community Library Family Story Time
  - 1 p.m. - Garnett Duplicate Bridge at the Garnett Inn
  - 6:30 p.m. - Garnett Optimist Club at Mr. D's Restaurant
  - 7 p.m. - Crest K-12 Christmas Concert
- Thursday, December 15**
- 4:15 p.m. - ACHS JV wrestling at Wellsville
  - 5 p.m. - Westphalia basketball at home with Uniontown
  - 5:30 p.m. - Garnett Business & Professional Women at Archer Room at Library
  - 5:30 p.m. - Crest Middle School basketball at Northeast-Arma
  - 6 p.m. - 13 Point Pitch and snacks at the Garnett Senior Center
  - 7:30 p.m. - Delphian Masonic Lodge No. 44 at Garnett Inn and Suites
- Friday, December 16**
- Winter Break begins, USD 288
  - 4:30 p.m. - ACHS basketball at home with Osawatomie
  - USD 365 Booster Club Dinner
- Saturday, December 17**
- 9 a.m. - ACHS wrestling at Ottawa
- Monday, December 19**
- Winter Break begins, USD 479
  - USD 288 Board of Education
  - 9 a.m. - Anderson County Commission at the Anderson County Annex
  - 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. - Friendship Quilters at the Kincaid-Selma United Methodist Church
  - 4:45 p.m. - Central Heights basketball at home with Lyndon
  - 5 p.m. - Crest Middle School basketball at home with Yates Center
  - 6-8:30 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery, Garnett Church of the Nazarene
  - 6:30 p.m. - Garnett Lions Club at VFW
  - 6:30 p.m. - Webelos 1 & 2 (fourth & fifth grades) Den Club Scouts meeting
  - 6:30 p.m. - Bear (third grade) Den Cub Scouts meeting
  - 7 p.m. - Mont Ida Christmas program
- Tuesday, December 20**
- 8:30 a.m. - GES Awards Ceremony, kindergarten; grades 1-2 at 9:15 a.m.; grades 3-6 at 10 a.m.
  - 9 a.m. - TOPS at Garnett Methodist Church basement, 2nd & Oak
  - Noon - Rotary International Club at Garnett Inn and Suites
- Wednesday, December 21**
- Winter Break begins, USD 365
  - 10:30 a.m. - Kincaid Community Library Family Story Time
  - Noon - Birthday dinner at Garnett Senior Center, with entertainment. RSVP to (785) 448-6996 the day before.
  - 1 p.m. - Garnett Duplicate Bridge at the Garnett Inn
  - 6 p.m. - Anderson County CloverPatch Kids Club for all 5 and 6 year olds, Community Building
  - 7 p.m. - Colony Lions Club at Colony United Methodist Church
  - 7 p.m. - Kincaid Lions Club at Kincaid-Selma United Methodist Church

# Record crowd turns out for parade

**Calendar**  
14-Rural Water District No. 5 board meeting, board office, 7:30 p.m.; Fire Dept. fire meeting at fire station, 7 p.m.; 19-Seekers Not Slackers 4-H Club, Lone Elm Community building, 7 p.m.; Jolly Dozen, 7 p.m.; 20-Library meeting, City Hall Community Room, 5:30 p.m.

**School Calendar**  
14-Kindergarten thru 12 Christmas Concert, 7 p.m.; 19-No School; middle school basketball at Crest vs. Yates Center, 5 p.m.; 19-Jan. No School, Christmas Vacation

**Meal Site**  
14-veggie or chicken burger, salad, potato salad, hamburger bun, sunshine fruit; 16-beef stew, cottage cheese, crackers, fruit cup; 19-Mr. Rib, macaroni salad, Quinoa mango and black beans, hamburger bun, juice. Phone 620-852-3459 for meal reservations.

**Christian Church**  
Scripture at Dec. 4 church service was John 1:1-14. Sermon was "The Gift of Presence" by Charles Towne. Cross training Classes 9:30 a.m. each Sunday. Worship Service 10:45 a.m. Men's Bible Study-Tuesday Morning, 7 a.m. Dec. 18-Church Christmas Program: "The Fumbly, Bumbly Angels" during church service. Dec. 25-Church Service—There will be a short church service.

**Northcott Church**  
Upcoming dates: Dec. 15-Northcott Women of Faith, 6:30 p.m.; Menu-Family favorite ham dish.

**Birthdays:** Dec. 11-Al Richardson; 20-Valeta Parmely; 24-Conrad Parmely.

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**Community Cares**  
Dec. 3, 2016 Community Cares tree trimming was the first event of the night. Ornaments were purchased and placed on the City Christmas tree located in front of the Family Care Center, honoring or in memory of someone special, or for those who could use an extra thought or prayer. Proceeds are divided equally between Colony Lions Club and Colony Fire Department Responders. A moment of silent prayer was held. Honorees were: Donna Martin, Nancy Anderson Gampper, Roxanne Ballard Strickler, Roy Gilliland, John Rook, Maxine Rook, Meribeth Tatum, Jr. Lindberg, Delene Lindberg, Kathy West, Robert Varvel, Kenny Miller, Gerald Welsh, Waylon Boots, Clyde



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Responders, Crest 5th Grade Band, Middle School and High School band, both directed by Steven Wilson, Jolly Dozen Club, GSSB, Colony Branch, message from Hi-Point Café and Convenience wishing "Merry Christmas", Kenton King family, Colony Library, and Colony Lions Club providing a ride for Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus. Santa saw all the kids at the bank entry way of GSSB.

**PTO**  
The Parent Teachers Organization still collect Box Tops. They are found with a small square with the words "Box Tops" on General Mills products,



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At left is Goppert State Service Bank float with Piper Schmidt doing the magic! She was a crowd pleaser as she popped up throwing the lid up above her, all in style! Pictured above is the GSSB parade entry with the Schmidt girls (l-r) Payton, Piper, Hanna and Jaycee Schmidt.

Below, Denise King and two sons, "Reindeer on a red sleigh". Dad Kenton was the driver. This family have had an entry each Christmas parade. Trena Golden/photo

At left, bottom, "Discover the Magic of Reading" and Frosty The Snowman. Colony Library float.



Trenton Luedke, son of Justin and Angie Luedke celebrated his 4th birthday Saturday afternoon, Dec. 3 at the Iola bowling alley with family members. They enjoyed a party with a birthday cake in the room at the alley, too.

Al Richardson's 96th birthday was Dec. 11. Many of you may wish to send him a card. His address: Heartland Meadows, 1727 Oregon Road, Room 9, Iola, KS 66749.

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Unlike the spring crop reporting deadline, the office

staff has no way of knowing if you decided to plant wheat. As a result, you will not get a reminder call and it will be up to you to remember to the timely report. If you are in town, swing by the office and get your wheat reported before

December 15th. Contact the Anderson County FSA Office at 111 N. Maple, Garnett, KS or call 785-448-3128 for more information about acreage reporting requirements.



Two Neosho County Community College students with Anderson County ties participated in the school's Christmas music program Sunday, Dec. 4. They included Jalissa Beachy, first row, second from left, who is the daughter of Elmer Beachy of Garnett; and Tana Benton, far right on the second row, an Anderson County High School graduate and daughter of Tim Benton of Garnett.

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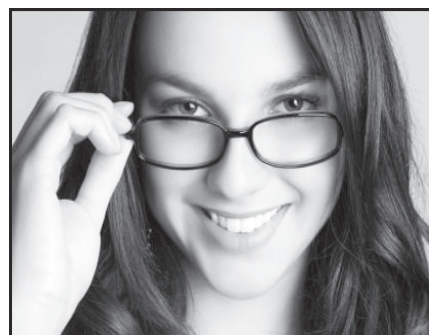
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# 2016-17 WINTER SPORTS

## Young Bulldogs looking to build off trip to state

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - The Anderson County Bulldogs may be young this season, but they're hoping the experience of a 2015 Sub-State Championship and appearance in the State Tournament will help them tremendously moving forward.

The Bulldogs finished last season just 10-13 overall and 6-6 in league play, but they were able to still muster a #7 seed at State. Second-seeded Hugoton ended Anderson County's season in the first round by the final of 78-42.

A solid group of seniors off of last year's squad will be missed. Chase Ratliff, Mason Skiles, Derrick Nelson and D'anthony Fredericks were all lost to graduation.

Trevor Johnston is the only returning senior letterman on the team. Junior John Rundle along with a trio of sophomores, Justin Rockers, Kass Allnutt and Damone Kueser, are the remaining lettermen from last season.

Other contributors include seniors Matt Dieker, Adam Kropf and Ben Willard. Underclassmen Denver Welsh

and Austin Peine will also be counted on this year.

Lyon, in his 5th season head-

ing the Bulldogs, is excited about the potential of this team and stated that his boys have

been working hard in practice in preparation for the season.

"We will be young, but they

have a lot of basketball experience. We will be pressing and running up and down the court

and shooting more threes this year," Lyon said. "We should be fun to watch," he added.



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Anderson County Boys Basketball. Front row from left: Austin Peine, Justin Rockers, Damone Kueser, Austin Adams, Jacob Holloran, Garret Edens, Kass Allnutt; back row: Coach Lyon, Adam Kropf, Trevor Johnston, Matt Dieker, Ben Willard, John Rundle, Coach Mike Hermreck, Coach Brian Johnston.

## Lady Bulldogs hope experience pays

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

The Anderson County Lady Bulldogs are looking to improve on last season's 9-12 record with a large group of upperclassmen.

Coach Tim Bremerman is in his 7th year as head coach for the Bulldogs and is looking forward to the battles for playing time among the 9 seniors and juniors that are vying for spots.

Seniors Emily Fritz, Maycee Ratliff, Alexey Lickteig and Katie Lybarger will team up with juniors Adrianna Pedrow, Alexis Feuerborn, Shylie Scheckel, Gabby Spring and Emma Porter to earn the vast majority of the minutes for the Lady Bulldogs.

Coach Bremerman stated, "We are pretty balanced across the board with everyone fighting for playing time."

Bremerman was pleased how his squad faced adversity last year as they did a good job handling two girls breaking their hands mid-season and were still able to finish the season strong.

The Lady Bulldogs schedule before Christmas will be especially difficult with games against Baldwin, Burlington, Louisburg and Girard. They will all be battling for the possibility to advance in postseason play.

Anderson County will be trying to utilize their speed and quickness to try and disrupt



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Anderson County Girls Basketball. Front row from left: Adrianna Pedrow, Shylie Scheckel, Sammy Walter, Alexis Feuerborn, Gabby Spring, Jenna Schmit; back row: Coach Tim Bremerman, Maycee Ratliff, Emily Fritz, Katie Lybarger, Alexey Lickteig, Emma Porter

opponents. It's an aggressive bunch that look to score as well as work hard on the defensive end of the court.

The girls' team will be focusing on doing things right and paying attention to detail just to stay in a position to win the game in the fourth quarter.

"We are improving on defense to be able to get stops and turning them into points

on the other end of the court," Bremerman stated on the early season.

"Of course the obvious goal is making a run in post season to get to state and see what we can accomplish there," Bremerman added.

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# Inexperienced Lancers are also young players

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

COLONY – It will be a season of maturing and growth for a Crest Lancers squad that lost their top 6 players from a season ago.

Head Coach Travis Hermreck will have his hands full but is also looking forward to the future as the team is comprised of mostly underclassmen that will be back the following season.

Hermreck is in his 19th season of coaching with the past 11 years being on the sidelines for the Lancers.

The transition of going from 14-8 last season and losing in the sub state finals to Hartford will be frustrating at times for the experienced coach. The Lancers will get challenged early and often as their non league schedule is loaded. Yates Center is a new addition to the Three Rivers League that will make it even tougher. Yates Center could very well be one of the top two teams in the league this season.

Starting for Crest will be senior guard Nate Berry, Juniors Austin Hendrix, Caleb Stephens and Hayden Seabolt along with sophomore Hayden

Hermreck.

To make the most of the season, the Lancers will have to grow up quick.

“For this crew it will be about maturing quickly,” Hermreck stated. “They have a sizable learning curve to overcome and while we are in the process of figuring things out we will have to rely on our defense to keep games manageable.”

Hermreck bluntly stated, “This isn’t a group of kids that have been known for their defensive intensity so there are a lot of mentalities that will need to be altered for us to have any early success.”

While a trip to state is normally the team goal, the Lancers know it will be somewhat of a rebuilding year as well.

“Ultimately I want the boys to be able to look back on this season and feel as though they ended up being better than they thought they could. Also, since we will be returning almost everyone next year, I want to make sure we have built the proper foundation for teams moving forward,” Hermreck said.



Crest Boys Basketball. Front row from left: Ryan Culler, Nick Vaughn, Austin Hendrix, Evan Bain, Greg Hardwick, and Kanon Coberly; back row: Caleb Stephens, John Wood, Hayden Hermreck, Hayden Seabolt, Nate Berry, and Bryce Atzbach. Not pictured are Coach Travis Hermreck and Assistant Coach Craig Frazell.

# Lady Lancers hope experience brings improvement

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

COLONY – The Crest Lady Lancers finished just 3-21 last season, but it was a young group that was expected to take its share of lumps while going through growing pains.

Third year coach Elaine Holloway is hoping the experience gained helped her squad build confidence that will see them grind out a few more wins.

Coach Holloway expects her Lancers to rank somewhere within the middle of the league this season with her entire team returning plus a few new additions expected to help as well. She said those goals can be reached by just controlling the pace of the games by not letting the opponents dictate the speed and just knowing when to take the open shot from the perimeter or when to make the extra pass underneath for a higher percentage shot.

Two seniors off last year’s team will be key contributors this season. Miranda Golden and Laurel Godderz will get

the bulk of the work down low offensively for the Lancers.

“Golden sometimes struggles to find her rhythm, but once she becomes comfortable with her surroundings she does awesome,” coach Holloway stated. “Godderz is one of our strongest shooters, has an eye for the floor and has a great shot.”

A senior that is an addition this year is Callie McGhee.

“McGhee brings a sense of aggressiveness that we have lacked and is a hustler,” Holloway said of the new senior on the team.

Other returning letter winners are junior Makayla Jones and sophomores Regan Godderz, Camryn Strickler, Cassie Bowen and Jewel Armstrong.

All coach Holloway wants is for her girls to get better throughout the season. With so many sophomores on the team, they still have plenty of learning to do.

“I just want them to keep improving as a team and individually,” Holloway stated.



Crest Girls Basketball. Front row from left: Callie McGhee, Jewel Armstrong, Regan Godderz, Ridley Black, Makayla Jones, and Camryn Strickler; back row: Assistant Coach Kristen Boone, Laurel Godderz, Brianna Trester, Miranda Golden, Cassie Bowen, and Coach Elaine Holloway.

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# First year coach leads Vikings through new challenges

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

RICHMOND – Numerous challenges await Central Heights Vikings first year coach Tyler Oestricher, heading into this season. Not only are the Vikings going to have to navigate a new league, they will have to try to put last season's 2-18 record out of their memory.

Key losses for the Vikings to graduation from last season are Matt Percy, Merrick Brown and Cade Massingale. Despite the losses, the Vikings return a solid core of returning lettermen to lead the team. Seniors Cameron Hampton, Ethan Shields, and Wyatt Thompson along with juniors Seth Burroughs and Alex Seyler will be counted upon to help start a new chapter in Viking basketball.

Coach Oestricher will be learning on the go when it comes to sizing up the league.

"We are in a new league, so I'm still unfamiliar with most of the league competition," Oestricher stated.

"I do know last year Osage City was 3A state champs and other schools in the league are traditionally talented and competitive," he added.

Joining seniors Hampton, Shields and Thompson in the starting lineup will be senior Cole Speaks.

Coach Oestricher is keeping the Vikings goals realistic

and reachable as the season begins.

"I just want the boys to be fundamentally sound,"

Oestricher stated. "Just be competitive, consistent, show

enthusiasm, intensity and extra effort. I just want the

boys to stay positive on and off the court and have fun."



**Central Heights Boys Basketball.** Front row from left: James Jones, Kord Hermreck, Cameron Hampton, Wyatt Thompson, Dalton Reimer, Cole Speaks, Ethan Shields; second row: Kameron Calvert, Devon Weber, Seth Burroughs, Kyler Brotherton, Alex Seyler, Jayden Lee, Lane Johnson; third row: Landon Compton, Damon Higbie, Bryce Sommer, Colin Maloney, Caleb Meyer, Dakota Rommelfanger, Josh Born, Vance Johnson; back row: Tim Smith, Austin Coffman, Bralen Bowker, Jimmy Goracke, Alex Cannady, Tyler Stephenson, Josh Thompson

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## New coach, league for Lady Vikings

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

RICHMOND – Doug North made the move from coaching the Central Heights Viking boys' team to now being the head coach of the girls' squad. This will be his first year leading the girls and his 29th season overall in the coaching profession.

North will have an experienced group of upperclassmen leading the transition into a new league, although the loss of Regan Markley from graduation last year will be felt.

Seniors Tess Cotter, Sarah Bell and Megan Davis will be counted on heavily to provide leadership and not letting our standards slip.

A large group of juniors will also be expected to contribute this season. Paige Stockard, Olivia Stockard, Jasmine Clancy, Lindsay Burson and Shelbi Hettinger all saw significant time at the varsity level a season ago.

Stockard will provide the Vikings some flexibility as she can play both in the post and on

the perimeter.

North will be emphasizing defense this year, which he sees as a weakness early on.

"Our success will hinge on how well we play defense," North stated. "We might struggle a bit on defense to begin the year but our goal is to get better and better defensively as the season progresses."

Offensively the Vikings don't want to play an up tempo attack. "We're a team that needs to control the tempo on offense and grind out each possession," North said.

The main goal early on is focusing on the small details which will carry over into games.

"We're focused on getting better each time we step on the floor, whether it be in practice or a game. This is going to be a fun team to coach. The players are very receptive to instruction and will do anything that is asked of them," North stated.

"I am excited to see their improvement and their confidence grow as the season continues," North added.



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**Central Heights Girls Basketball.** Front row from left: Lindsay Burson, Megan Davis, Sara Bell, Tess Cotter, Paige Stockard; second row: Jasmine Clancy, Shelbi Hettinger, Olivia Stockard, Emily Hermreck, Megan Speaks, Abby Brown; back row: Harlee Poage, Madison Bridges, Cyla Gardner, Hannah Jument, Darby Lear, Hailee Riemer; not pictured: Samanta Ferris, Faith Lickteig

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# Bulldog wrestlers set goal for State

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

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GARNETT - The Anderson County Bulldog grapplers annually have high expectations as the goal is to always send as many wrestlers to the state tournament as possible.

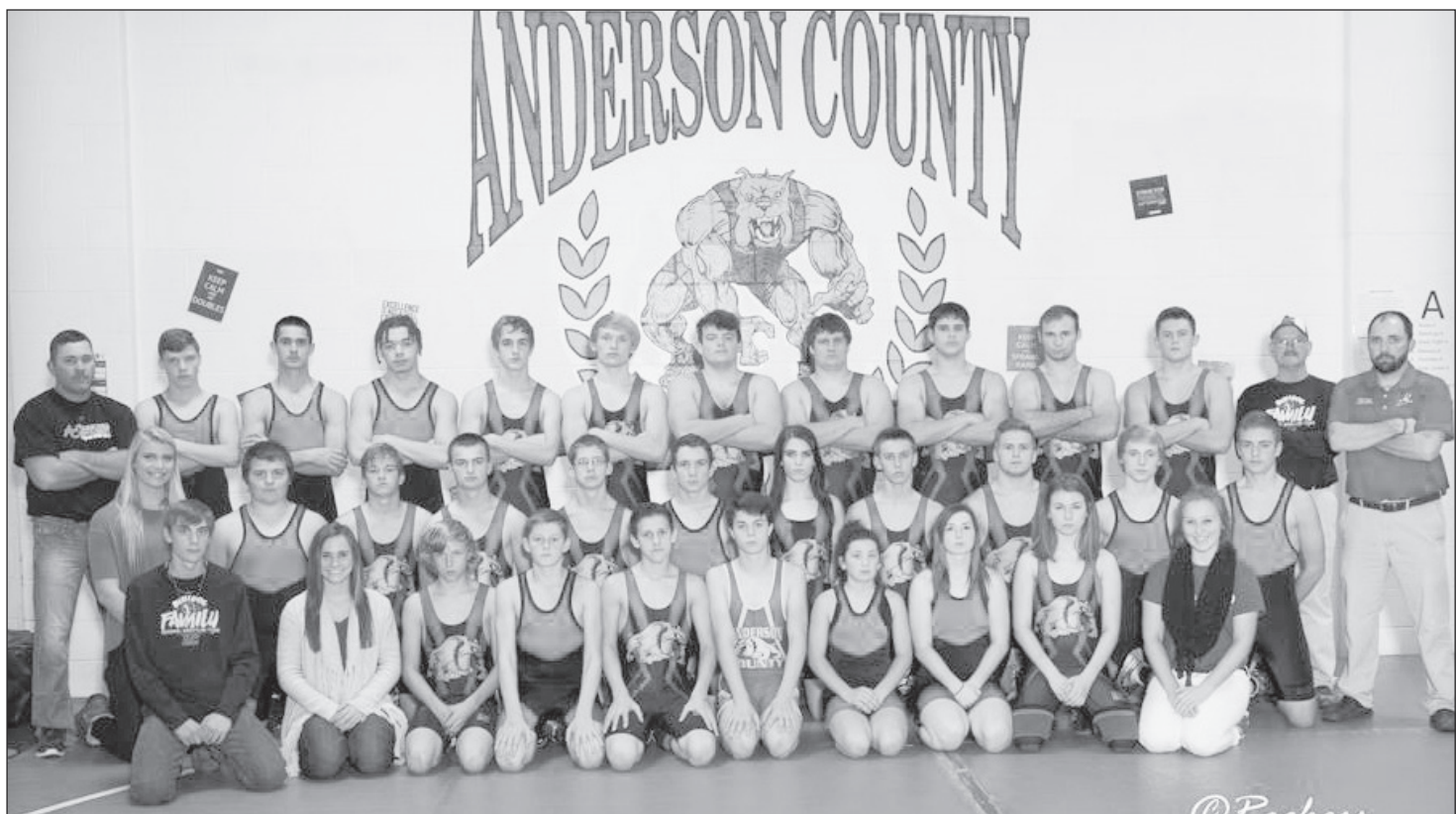
Last year the Bulldogs were 8-16 in duals and despite a very tough schedule and being in a very competitive league they are hoping to improve on that mark.

Kyle Lamb is the sole returning letterman but was also a state qualifier last year in the 182 pound division.

Brown, in his 5th year at the helm of the Bulldog wrestling program, said conditioning and technique are the ways to overcome any weakness his wrestlers are needing to compensate for.

On the flip side, the graduation of Blade Marmon, Shiloh Sutton and Matt Kirkland will be tough to overcome. Marmon was a 3-time state qualifier that won over 100 matches in his

"Our goal is to get as many wrestlers to state as possible and to get names up on the wall," Brown stated.



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**Anderson County Wrestling.** Front row from left: Zach Wilper (Manager), Grace McAdam (Manager) Chance Cobbs, Lane Freeman, Brody McClain, Zach Barnes, Kaylee Lamb, McKenzie Evans, Maggie Price, Sydney Holloran (Manager); second row: Madison Martin(Manager), Dusty Reynolds, Tyler Secrest, Cole Denny, Harley Maley, Austin Cornett, Sam Nickell, Tanner Tush, Preston Allen, Austin Allen, Hunter Crane; back row: Asst. Coach Jeremy McAdam, Austin Edens, Mason Roberts, Isaiah Levy, Gavin Wolken, Logan Allen, Dallas Higginbotham, Preston Cornett, Dominic Sutton, Kyle Lamb, Dalton Duke, Asst. Coach Keith Miller, Coach Brown.

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**Central Heights Wrestling.** From left: Brec Furst, Cole Hermreck, Zack Grabbe, Matt Cubit, Avery Stalford, Blake Massengale, Devin Anderson, Casey Rhoades.

## Young Viking grapplers have high hopes

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

RICHMOND - Fifth year head wrestling coach for the Central Heights Viking, Mike Swendson, is very pleased with his squads' results early on in this young season.

"We have tried to increase the level of the competitions that we are competing at in the past couple of years," Swendson stated. "So far, we are wrestling very well," he added.

Although he's only been the head coach for the past 5 years, Swendson has been a

coach for 27 years overall.

Key losses off of last year's team due to graduation are James Loudon, Cody Ashbury and Jessica Loudon.

There are 4 returning lettermen from last year, none of which are seniors.

Zackrey Grabbe, Brec Furst and Casey Rhoades are all juniors with experience. Sophomore Devin Anderson is coming off his freshman year in which he lettered.

Blake Massengale is the lone senior on the team.

Freshman Avery Stalford, who won at

Hokie already this year, will also be a key component to the team's success.

The Vikings will look on improving on their 4-10 record from last season, but the small numbers make competing at the team level difficult.

"We will evaluate the kids after each competition and work on the things that will help them improve," Swendson stated.

Swendson added that the goal isn't just to get wrestlers to state, "We have a goal of getting kids to not only compete at state but place as well."

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# Vikings winless in Ike Cearfoss Tourney

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

RICHMOND – The Central Heights Vikings didn't fare well in the annual Ike Cearfoss Tournament that they host, losing all 3 games by a combined 85 points.

Last Monday in the opening round, the Vikings were overwhelmed by Kansas City Christian in a demoralizing 68-27 loss.

KC Christian jumped out to a quick start leading 15-5 at the end of the first quarter and stretching their lead to 39-12 at intermission.

The second half wasn't much better as the Vikings continued to struggle being outscored 29-15.

Cameron Hampton led the Vikings with 10 points. Tyler Brotherton and Wyatt Thompson each scored 4 points on the night.

The second round match up Thursday night was against Metro Academy, who lost in the opening round to Iola 51-47.

Metro Academy and the Vikings went back and forth in the first quarter with Metro Academy having the upper hand with a slim 8-6 advantage heading into the second quarter.

The game turned over the next 8 minutes though. The Vikings were only able to muster a single free throw during the duration of the second quarter while Metro Academy erupted for 22 points to give them a 30-7 lead heading into the locker rooms.

Metro Academy imposed their will again in the third quarter taking 9 more points onto their lead to take a commanding 47-15 advantage heading into the final period.

Seth Burroughs led the Vikings with 9 points on the evening.

Friday night, the Vikings tried salvaging a 7th place finish, but fell short in a 52-40 setback to West Franklin.

The Vikings played a tough first half and trailed just 22-19 at intermission.

West Franklin came out of



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West Franklin slowly built a lead in the final period of the game to snuff Central Heights 52-40 in Friday's installment of the Ike Cearfoss Tournament at CHHS. Above, WF's Cooper Flory swats at a fourth quarter Ethan Shields jump shot.

the locker room and doubled up the Vikings 14-7 in the decisive third quarter to pull out the victory.

Cole Speaks was the only Viking in double figures with 10 points. Hampton chipped in

with 7 points.

Kansas City Christian won the championship game Saturday evening with a relatively easy 63-42 victory over Osawatimie.

# Crest loses three at Humboldt Tourney

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

HUMBOLDT – Head Coach Travis Hermreck knew heading into the opening season tournament that his young squad was going to have some early growing pains.

The tournament began last Tuesday with a 44-25 loss to Erie.

Erie opened the game blanking the Lancers in the first quarter, while scoring 15 of their own for a big lead early on.

The Lancers did fight back in the second limiting Erie to just 5 points to cut the advantage down to 20-9.

Erie took control again by outpacing the Lancers 13-8 and 11-8 in the third and fourth quarters respectively.

Hayden Hermreck paced the Lancers with 15 points but was just 6-23 from the field on the night.

Austin Hendrix and Caleb

Stephens both pulled down 6 rebounds to lead Crest.

In the second round game, the host team Humboldt Cubs controlled the Lancers and won handily 59-29.

Crest was still within striking distance at the intermission trailing 26-17, but the Cubs blew things open with a dominating 23-6 advantage in the third quarter to pull away for the victory.

Humboldt's Rayce Hoepker actually outscored the Lancers by scoring 34 points on the night.

In the final game of the round robin tournament, the Lancers started slowly falling behind 25-9 at halftime to Uniontown.

The Lancers had a little fight in them in the second half though. They came out and controlled the third quarter with a 14-7 advantage to cut the deficit to 32-23 heading into the fourth.

The rally would fall short for

the Lancers as Uniontown had a slight fourth quarter advantage to make the final tally 43-33.

Hermreck led the way again for the Lancers with 15 points and added 4 rebounds.

Nate Berry also hit double digits with 10 points on the night. Hayden Seabolt pulled down 10 rebounds to lead Crest.

Despite losing all three games, Hermreck saw signs of his boys already starting to get a better understanding on what it takes to compete.

"We took a giant step forward against Uniontown. I think we put a lot of the self-pity aside and just competed to win," Hermreck stated. "Hopefully the guys are starting to believe in themselves a little bit more and we can keep heading in the right direction."

Erie won the tournament with an exciting 50-45 overtime victory over Humboldt to finish 3-0 for the week.

# Pair of Viking wrestlers take second

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT – The Vikings finished 9th out of 16 teams on Saturday at the Anderson County Invitational mostly because of second place finishes by Avery Stalford and Zackrey Grabbe.

Stalford (113) lost his 1st place match to Christian Davis by major decision (MD 14-4) after winning his first 4 matches.

Gabbe won 3 of his 5 matches on the afternoon. Both losses were to Brenden Ishimura from Frontenac, the final in the 1st place match by decision (5-3).

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AC's Zach Barnes tries to wrap up Matt Cubit from Central Heights early in the 126-pound class competition from Saturday's Anderson County High School Wrestling Invitational. Barnes won the opening matchup with a pin.

# Bulldog wrestlers finish 3rd at home

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT – Several Bulldog grapplers placed well at the Anderson County Invitational Saturday.

Four Anderson County wrestlers dropped championship matches to finish second in their weight classes.

Kyle Lamb (182) finished 4-1 on the afternoon, only losing the championship match (Fall 3:34) to Andrew Mays from Frontenac.

Dominic Sutton (195) also finished second and was equally impressive winning his first four matches as well before falling due to a medical forfeit to Nathan Kaufman of Frontenac in the first place match.

Preston Allen (170) and Dalton Duke (160) weren't to be outdone. They both finished second as well.

Allen finished 4-1, only losing (Fall 0:46) the championship match to Brandon Mlekus from Frontenac High School.

Duke dropped his first place match (Fall 3:51) to Gage Greenfield of Santa Fe Trail.

Dallas Higginbotham (220) finished 3-2 on the afternoon, which was good for a 3rd place finish.

Zach Barnes (126) also went 3-2 on the day to finish in 3rd place.

The top 4 teams on the day were Frontenac (242.5), Santa Fe Trail (195), Anderson County (181) and Blue Valley SW (152).

# AC frosh girls first at Ottawa

BY DANE HICKS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

OTTAWA – The ACHS freshmen girls pulled two come-from-behind wins Saturday to bring home the gold in the Ottawa tournament.

The Bulldogs aggressive play proved too much for the outside shooting advantage of the Wellsville Eagles. After losing both of the first two quarters by two points each, the Bulldog defense shut off the Eagles leading scorer and shot three times as many free throws as the Eagles to win the second half by 10 points.

A brawl with Osawatimie lasted nearly two hours and saw the Bulldogs shoot 50 foul

shots and Garnett go into the halftime break with a 12 point lead. The third quarter and the first half of the fourth were dominated by the Trojans, who worked the ball inside and were able to stop the Bulldogs from effectively driving to the basket which proved AC's key in the first half. After losing the lead, the Bulldogs regrouped and turned up the pressure, forcing multiple Trojan turnovers and capitalizing on their quickness to make an 8-0 run for the win before the Trojans scored two late free throws.

Autumn Ewert led all scorers with 17 and 24 points respectively and shot 17/24 from the free throw line.

Lilly Spring and Bailey Gruver stepped up defensively, stopping the top scorers from each team in the 2 respective games.

Maya Corley and Lilly Spring both contributed 11 points to the effort. Ally McGee led the team in rebounds.

Coach Mike Sibley said the team turned in an across-the-board solid performance.

"Daelynn Peine, Audrey Gruver, and Becky Kropf contributed significantly in what was a real team effort to come from behind in the first game and to stay strong after losing a 12 point lead in the second game," Sibley said.

# Bulldogs drop final two at Burlington

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BURLINGTON – The Anderson County Bulldogs started out strong in the round robin tournament in Burlington with an opening round win over Baldwin before dropping the final two games of the week to Burlington and Louisburg.

The Bulldogs downed Baldwin 72-62 last Monday behind a game high 22 points by junior John Rundle.

The Bulldogs first half was key to the victory. Anderson County led 19-9 after the first period and stretched that advantage out to 35-19 at intermission.

The Bulldogs added to their lead to head into the fourth leading 50-31. Baldwin erupted for 31 fourth quarter points to cut into the lead but it wasn't nearly enough.

Justin Rockers tacked on 18 points, Kass Allnutt 16 and Trevor Johnston had 9 on the evening.

The second round game was against the host Burlington Wildcats on Tuesday and they suffered a disappointing 66-51 setback.

In the final round Friday night, the Bulldogs let the game get away in the second half in a 75-49 loss to Louisburg.

The Bulldogs fell behind 20-9 after the first but fought back to get within 5, 31-26 at intermission.

Louisburg controlled the third quarter 26-9 en route to the easy victory. Garnett opened the game with trouble curtailing Louisburg's Gutterman and it would be the death knell for the Bulldogs.

Gutterman notched 26 points against Garnett, leading three Louisburg players in double digits. AC trailed at the half 31-26, and 'Burg smoked a 26-9 third period score to put the game out of AC's reach.

Justin Rockers led AC's

offensive effort with 17, Trevor Johnston had 15, John Rundle 13, and Kass Allnutt and Damone Kueser added a bucket apiece.

Burlington won the tournament with a perfect 3-0 record in round robin play.

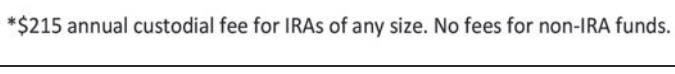
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