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Jake Swisher prepared to throw a loop to catch the heels of the steer that his partner the Jackpot Team Roping event held during the Norton County Fair at the Norton Jason McKenna had roped around the head for him. The men were competing in Equine Facility.



she didn't have the official figures vet. She said everyone was excited





about the new game.

"Wiggleball was a big hit," she said. "Wack the Chickens was still a big hit from last year."

Mrs. Eveleigh said this year's fair was wonderful with a good turnout.

Mr. VanSkike said the fair board is set to meet Thursday to start planning next year's events.

Herding her hogs Jessica Zillinger, Logan, (above) a member of the Northern Valley FFA took part in the Round Robin event during the Norton County fair on Thursday. The Advocates, (left) a gospel quartet from the Holdrege/ Kearney area, entertained in front of the grandstands Tuesday. The group mixed gospel with golden oldies and patriotic songs.



McMullen accept bids for a youth's animal during the 56th annual FFA & 4-H Livestock Sale held during the Norton County the sale.

Auctioneers, from left, Byron Bine, Monte Jessup and Don Fair on Thursday evening in the Livestock Barn at Elmwood Park. Duane McEwen also volunteered his services as an auctioneer for

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