

Good fishing weather



The spring type weather brought this family out to enjoy a day of sunshine and fishing at the Sebelius Lake this past Saturday. Pictured here are Lily Schoenberger with her grandfather Dwight Williams and her mother, daughter of Dwight, Tina Schoenberger.

— Telegram photo by Dana Paxton

NORCATUR NEWS

The annual meeting of the Norcatatur Citizens Alliance Board of Directors was held Thursday, February 17, 2011 at the Cardinal Cafe. Board members present were Bob Strevey-President; Rodney O'Hare-Vice President; Dennis Leichliter;-Secretary/Treasurer; Darren Wentz, Luke Bailey and Troy Wentz. The Treasurer reported that in 2010, \$5515 was received and \$5380 was disbursed. The distributions were: \$1880 to The Alumni Maintenance Fund; \$500 to the Norcatatur Fire Department; \$440 to the Norcatatur Cemetery Memorial Fund; \$20 to the Norcatatur United Methodist Church. Since its inception, the Norcatatur Citizens Alliance has received over \$117,338.

The Norcatatur Citizens Alliance received a donation from Susan and Frank Bolek for the Norcatatur Cemetery Memorial Fund in memory of Lee Arnold and Ethel Miller. A donation was received from Gary and Cathy Anthony for the Norcatatur Cemetery Memorial Fund in memory of Ethel Miller. A donation was received from Gary and Cathy Anthony for the

Norcatatur Cemetery Memorial Fund in memory of Ethel Miller. Thanks for using the Norcatatur Citizens Alliance.

Norcatatur Citizens Alliance c/o Dennis Leichliter, 1001 Rd O, Clayton, Kan. 67629.

Here are rambling words from Wava again. I felt sorry this weekend for everyone who did not live in Norcatatur. We started off with a weird kind of snow that I think the weatherman referred to as 'snizzle'. It is a snow that hardens with drizzle to become a white softer sleet. It was lovely and made things sparkle - but not nearly as much as the evening, all night, and morning freezing fog. The fog was very dense and painted the landscape such a beautiful white with crunchies on all the trees, bushes, and anything else to which it could cling. I'm glad I didn't have to drive in the fog because the visibility was very, very low. And we have lots of idiots who drive in that kind of weather without lights on. They don't seem to realize the lights are not so they can see; it's so everyone else can see them! Oops, off the soapbox now.

JENNINGS NEWS

This area received 3 or 4 inches of snow on Thursday the 24th. Wind blew it around some. We are grateful for the moisture that was in it.

Today, Sunday, a lot of it melted.

Sunflower Senior citizens potluck dinner was held Tuesday, March 8 at noon.

Bingo was played following the meal.

A small group attended the United Methodist Church Sunday at Jennings. The fog was very thick early in the morning but by 11:00 a.m. it had mostly cleared.

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785-678-2233.

Glenda Harris returned to her home in Grand Junction after spending Sunday to Wed. with Lila Jennings. Sunday dinner guests of Lila Jennings were Brent and Rhonda Jennings, Topeka, and Brett Jennings.

Judith Nusse, a former Jennings resident, was on a two-week tour to Israel and returned on March 13. She said they visited Jerusalem, Nazareth, Cana, the Sea of Galilee, Golan Heights, the Dead Sea, Jordan River baptismal site, Bethany, Mount of Olives, Garden of Gethsemane, Basilica of Agony, Yad VaShem Holocaust Museum, Israel Museum,

Bee and I should have waited one more week to take the pictures of the baby pygmy goats. There are two more sets of twins now.

I was in Norton Friday. The highway to Reager was fine but from there to Norton it was snow packed in most places. The roads in the city of Norton were quite slick. When I came home the roads were 'steaming' even though the sun was not really shining. It really cleared the snow from the roads, melted it so it could be treacherous ice the next morning!

Happy Birthday to Lucas Bailey, March 2, Gene Gallentine, March 5, Joye Hill, March 6, Lance Roe, and Galen Wentz, March 7, and Betsy Jakowski, March 8.

Weekend guests of Dave and Patty Stapp were: Jerrod and Kortney Poire and Kynleigh, Erie, Kan.; and Sam Stapp, Norcatatur. Joining the group for supper on Saturday evening were Marian Dempewolf, Dewaine Stapp, Charlotte Meints, Rick and Lynn Doeden, Oberlin, Katie Gall, Norton, and Dave and Linda Schliep, Spencer and Addison, McCook, Neb.

the Dead Sea Scrolls, Pool of Bethesda, St. Anne's Church, and many other points of interest. She is the daughter of the late Gerald and Marjorie (Shearer) Tacha, and the late Butch Nusse.

Upgrades

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to see what could be done about the scratches.

Sheriff Troy Thomson visited with the commissioners about the jail upgrades and said that during the work the prisoners will probably have to be moved to another facility.

In other business, the commissioners:

- Canvassed the primary ballots for Norton City mayor. Since Commissioner John Miller had not yet arrived, Donna Mulford was appointed to the

canvassing board.

- Road and Bridge Foreman Floyd Richard and employee Bill Nelson talked to the board about the new management setup in that department.

- Had a few more questions for Solid Waste Supervisor Curt Archibald about data used to set prices at the landfill.

- Went into closed session for 15 minutes to discuss land acquisition with County Clerk Robert Wyatt, County Attorney Doug Sebelius and Economic Director Scott Sproul.

Tax

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take a day, he said, and then training was to take the better part of four days.

City of Norton Code Enforcement Officer Jeff Wolf told the commissioners that an address in the Norton Telegram from last week's meeting was incorrect. The address should have been on East Woodsfield.

Road and Bridge Administra-

tive Assistant Sandy Smith and road foreman Topper Cook and Floyd Richard told the commissioners that the floor lift had been delivered to the county shop and installation was to be done shortly. An electrician was supposed to be in town on Monday to help with this.

The commissioners also choice a quote for \$4,987 from Bailey Electric to do lighting upgrades on the shop.

Smith, Cook and Richard were to conduct interviews for a new employee for the road department.

Reggie Beckman, county noxious weed foreman, told the commissioners that there are new regulations out on how close to federal lands the county can spray for noxious weeds.

This does not affect Sebelius Lake at this time, he said, since the lake is state owned.

LYLE NEWS

A large group of Nebraska women were sent by their hometown banks to a Women in Agriculture meeting in the Holiday Inn in Kearney, Neb. For two days they, including Kathy Van Meter, enjoyed lots of food, meetings and workshops.

June Jolly came to Norcatatur to the Senior Citizens card games on Friday and played again at Mc-

Cook on Friday evening. She took in a Home Improvement Show in McCook, and a pancake supper at the Senior Center on Sunday.

The funeral of longtime business woman, Claudia Bridges, 95, was held in Norton on Saturday. Toots Magers and Veda Wood attended the service. She had been accompanying Joyce Sumner to activities at Lyle and Norcatatur for

several years. She came to play cards at Norcatatur as long as she was able.

Charlie and Judy Easton came for lunch and visiting with Mrs. Magers on Sunday.

Several people met at the Educational Building on Monday evening for Bible Study, led by Pastor Woods. It is for anyone who wishes to attend.

NORTON MANOR NEWS

By DORIS MIZELL

Doris Mizell and sister Arlene Foss, Edmond, received word this week of the death of Betty Jo (Sager) Custine, age 88, of Overland Park. She passed away March 4. She was born Sept. 29, 1922 near Edmond to Ernest and Margaret Sager.

On Dec. 12, 1948 she married Frank Custine in Edmond. They shared 38 years before his death in 1986. She is survived by three daughters, Rita Porter (David) of Overland Park, Brenda Mumper (Bill) of Mustang, Okla. and Cheri Allred (Sam) of Kansas City, Mo.; one brother, William Sager; three sisters, Ruth Hyde, Margaret Matlock, and Linda Brown; two grandchildren and one great grandchild. She was preceded in death by her husband and sister, Wilma Diebert. Celebration of life was held Thursday, March 10, at Maple Hill Funeral Home.

Saturday, Mary Keith visited Ed and Linda Keith and their daughter Wendy Schmidt and children.

Carolyn Linsenmeyer, Beatrice, Neb. arrived to visit her Mother and family. She came especially to attend the Tuesday Study Club being held at the Manor where her mother was giving a lesson on quilts. Because of the storm

Thursday, she decided to stay awhile longer and help her sister Roberta celebrate her birthday.

We gathered at the home of Lester Mizell for this on Friday evening. So why not spend the rest of the weekend. Monday she found she had tire problems so she ended up going home Tuesday after spending some more time with her Mother that morning.

Monday Sunshine Club met

with Linda Keith and Mary Keith attended.

Doris Mizell and Ray Mizell attended the funeral for Michael Ward and gathering at Clayton afterward. Jerry and Patty Foster, Jennings, joined them there. Michael was a nephew of Kris and Harold Mizell and his father Allen was raised in the Clayton Community.

•PUBLIC NOTICE•

NOTICE OF GENERAL SCHOOL ELECTION

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NOTICE OF ELECTION UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 326

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 25-2018(e) that a General Election will be held April 5, 2011 in Unified School District No. 326 to elect one (1) board member for Position #1; one (1) board member for Position #2 and one (1) board member for Position #7 the At Large position.

The candidates whose names will be printed on the ballot are:

MEMBER DISTRICT #1 —

Colby J. Greiving

MEMBER DISTRICT #2 —

Lynette Stockman

MEMBER DISTRICT #7 —

Jeff Hofaker

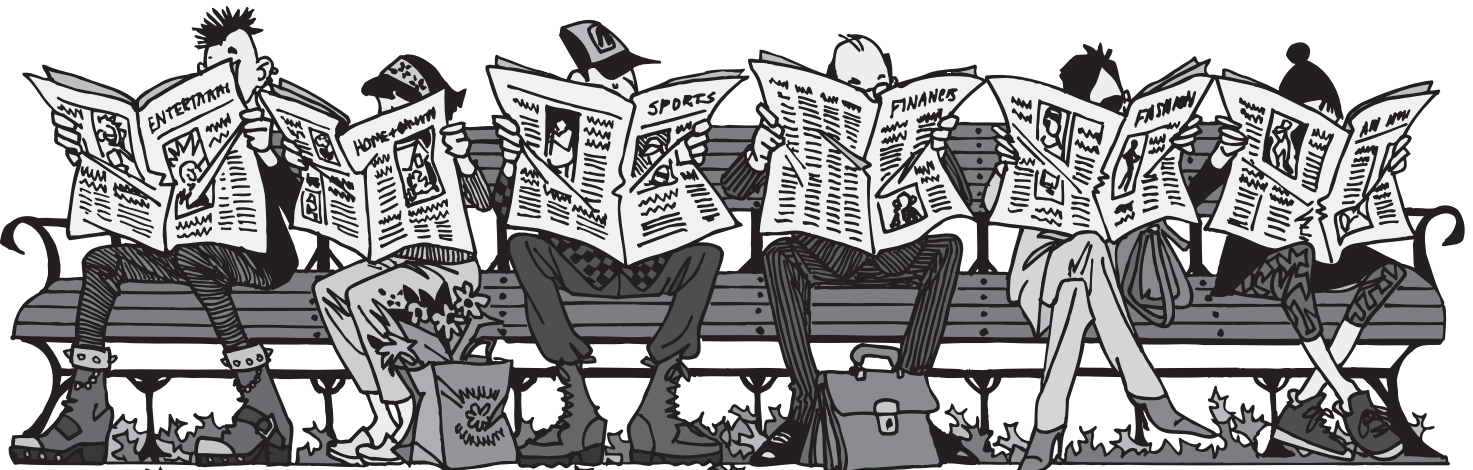
The voting places and the areas served by each are: Logan City Office serving Logan City, Logan and Towanda Townships; Huck Boyd Center serving Belmont and Plainview Township; Stockton City Hall serving those voters in Rooks County; Bogue Fellowship Hall serving those voters in Graham County; Norton American Legion serving those voters in Lincoln and West Union Township, Norton County; Almena Irrigation Office serving those voters in Grant Township, Norton County.

Polls are open from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m., continuously.

Witness my signature and official seal this 14th day of March, 2011.

Linda McDowell
Phillips County Election Officer

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