

Lenora Jubilee draws crowds from afar

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Another successful year at the Lenora Jubilee!

The Jubilee started last Friday with the Race Car Simulator, Pro Tour FMX high flying entertainment and the Logan Mize and Jason Jones concerts.

The Race Car Simulator was free of charge courtesy of the Y102 radio station. Participants got the chance to sit in the driver's seat of a race car and race on a game placed in the car.

Two Pro Tour FMX riders introduced the concert, a freestyle motocross team, showing off their amazing tricks, including seat grabs, holy grabs, rock solids, tsunamis, and back flips. The excitement was just beginning. Logan Mize started the concert and Jason Jones and his band followed.

Saturday started early with city wide garage sales and the three and or five-mile Walk/Run at 7 a.m. People enjoyed finding treasures that morning at the local garage sales.

At the Walk/Run 5-mile race Ryan Thraikill won, 41:33; second, Doug Thraikill, 41:45 and third, Susan Engelbert, 59:34. In the 3-mile race, first was David Otter, 25:39; second, Jill Heskett, 31:36 and Donna Foley, 31:56.

At 9 a.m. the Family and Community Education Club opened their Trash to Treasure display. This included displays of creative recycled material. There were two age groups to compete in, children up to age 12 and teens to adults. When entering the senior center, attendees were handed two pieces of paper to vote for their favorite piece of treasure for the children age group and adult age group.

The people's choice winner for the children's age group was Jonathan Gassmann with a rag afghan and for the adults' age group was Bob Day with his wooden vehicles. Judge's choice winner for the children's age group was Abby Gassmann with the jean pocket picture frames and the adults' age group winner was Lucy Stoltzing with the wool rag rug.

The club also had a raffle for a necktie quilt and necktie pillow. The winner of the necktie quilt was Carol Otter of Norton and the necktie pillow winner was Jean Johnson of Norton.

Next was the parade, which upheld the tradition of being outstanding. This included old antique cars, floats, horses, tractors, fire trucks and more. The kids enjoyed sitting on the edge of the street and racing to get handfuls of candy.

The winners for the parade are as follows with the category they won in: Tractor, Lazy Day Farms, Bob Day of Lenora; Car, 1968 Camaro, Vic's Equipment, Vic and Joan Winter of Ellis; Horse, Chuck

and Kelsie Griffith of Clayton; Youth, Grandma Bonny's Little Lady Bugs, Bonny Jordan and granddaughters of Lenora; Overall, Boots and Roots, memorial float to D.B. and Helen Schoen-Schoen Family of Lenora.

The prince and princess of the parade were Wade David and Helen Veazey-Heying, great granddaughter of D.B. and Helen Shoen. This year, the Lenora Jubilee was dedicated to D.B. and Helen Shoen.

The inflatable carnival, wobble trap shoot, vendors and lots of good food and snacks kept everyone very occupied throughout the afternoon until the intense creature races and Eagle Radio Kids Pedal Power Pull started that evening.

The creature races consisted of hoppers (frogs) and turtles. The first heat of hopper winners included: first, Lora Troutner; second, Tyler Koerperich; third, Alexis David; second heat: first, David Mannel; second, Austin Koerperich; third, Gentry Sproul; third heat: first, Rayleigh Shellito, Lily David, Devin Shearer; super heat (winners from each heat): first, Devin Mannel; second, Tyler Koerperich; third, Lily and Alexis David; fourth, Lora Troutner.

The turtle races followed the hoppers with five heats. First heat: first, Nicole Rumbak; second, James Keith; third Zoie Beckman; second heat: first, Alexis David; second, Jordan Troutner; third, Abby Porter; third heat: first, Adson Day; second, Keldon Day; third, Lora Troutner; fourth heat: first, James Troutner; second, Lily David; third, Austin Koerperich; fifth heat: first, Rachel Koerperich, second, Carson and Wallace Troutner; third, Harper and Jentry Jo Heath; super heat: first went to the Troutner kids who shared the turtle, James, Lora, Jordan, Carson, and Wallace; second, Nicole Rumbak; third, Harper and Jentry Jo Heath.

The Eagle Radio Kids Pedal Power Pull was sponsored by Norton Auto Supply of Norton, Almena State Bank, American Family Insurance / Curt Wahlmeier, Kowpoke Supply, Larry and Lorena Taylor, Main Street IGA, S & R Concrete Ready Mix, Norton Field Service, Russ' Jewelry & Repair, Engel's Sales & Service, Don's Floor Covering, Moffet Drug Store, Rhea's Tree Service, New Almelo, Otter's Inc. of Clayton and Lenora Chamber of Commerce. The Eagle Radio Kids Pedal Pulls are sanctioned with the Kansas Pedal Pullers Association.

The first and second place winners of the power pedal pull qualify to compete at the Kansas State Pedal Pull Championship to be held at the Kansas State Fair in Hutchinson. State Fair winners go on to compete in a regional contest. Lenora Jubilee



Jon and Eve Wyatt of Norton, in the middle, get the thrill of meeting the Bellamy Brothers Saturday night at the Lenora Jubilee during a meet and great prior to the concert.

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state qualifiers were: Age 4; first, Braydon Scheetz; second Ella Juenemann; Age 5; first, Lily Garrison; second, Wade David; Age 6; first, Colby Menagh; second, Devin Bowen; Age 7; first, Nolan Juene-man; second, Sophia Garrison; Age 8; first, William Gassman; second, Cassidy Winter; Age 9; first, Brady Keith; second, Brandon Vacura; Age 10; first, Kade Peterson; second, Adson Day; Age 11; first, Claudia Nelson; second, James Keith; Age 12; first, Matt Vacura; second, Stephan Harrison.

Visit KKQY.com for a list of upcoming Eagle Radio Kids Pedal Pull and "Dirt Adrenaline" Racing Simulator locations.

Ending the night with a bang was the outstanding

performance from the famous Bellamy Brothers. Fans cheered and waved their hands to the excellent performance. Bryce Lofgreen of Norton won a guitar signed by the entertainers. Making his night, smiling from ear to ear, he clutched on to the guitar as he left the last night of the Lenora Jubilee.

Scott Sproul, Executive Director of the Norton City/County Economic Development, expressed his satisfaction with the success of the Lenora Jubilee. "Even through the weather, we produced fantastic and successful evenings of concerts" Sproul said. "Thank you for all the support. Thanks to everyone this event has turned into a regional event for Norton County."

Special I-70 traffic enforcement set

Law enforcement officers in Kansas and Missouri are joining forces later this month for a special, one-day enhanced enforcement period to make Interstate 70 safer for all. Kansas Department of Transportation officials announced this week.

"Interstate 70 is one of the busiest interstates in the nation, especially when families take to the road on vacation," said Deb Miller, Kansas Secretary of Transportation. "The

Kansas Highway Patrol and county and local law enforcement agencies all along I-70 are taking part in this special effort."

"Kansas troopers, other officers across the state, and the Kansas Department of Transportation all work every day in an effort to secure safety for all of Kansas' travelers. This special enforcement enhances our traffic safety mission, and our goal is to reduce deaths and injuries. With I-70 serving as

a thoroughfare across the U.S., it's important we work diligently to keep the highway both safe and crime-free," Colonel Ernest E. Garcia, Superintendent of the Kansas Highway Patrol said.

Kansas troopers, county sheriffs' deputies and local police officers will be on the lookout for drivers and passengers not wearing seat belts, impaired driving, distracted driving, excessive speed, and aggressive driving during a one-day,

24-hour enforcement period near the end of the month in advance of the busy Independence Day travel weekend, Miller said. Additional details will be released by KDOT's Traffic Safety Section via its Twitter feed, @DriveSafeKansas.

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Post-Prom 2011 a success

The 2011 Post Prom Committee members extend a heart-felt "THANK YOU!" to everyone in our community who helped make the Post Prom "VIVALAS VEGAS" party a huge success!

Over 90 students attended as well as 48 Junior and Senior parents who worked to make the event a really fun night for our youth. The games were a blast, and a Las Vegas style buffet was enjoyed by all. Each student who stayed the whole night received a large NCHS beach towel and a Blue Jay aluminum bottle.

Donations totaling \$6,035.35 were generously given by 121 area business and individuals! Many items were also donated by businesses for raffle drawings or for students to purchase with game "funny money" from the post prom "store."

Several donations were designated for scholarships, resulting in nineteen scholarships drawn or "purchased" during the party by 2011 Seniors who are pursuing further education. The scholarship donors and recipients were: Jim and Linda Sharp - \$1000 divided between Cole Archer, Missy Byler, Justin Griffith, Tanner Morel, and Kaylen Rossi.

Norton County Council on Alcohol and other Drugs - \$600 divided between Jade Braun, David Mizell, Brett Terrell, and Kegan Vanover.

Moffet Drug Store - \$300 divided between Dakota Dreher, Landon Keiswetter, and Bekah Streck.

Booster Club - \$100 to Kaylen Rossi

Credit Union - \$100 to Katie Scott

Chapter AA P.E.O. - \$100 to Rachel Shepard
Midwest Federated Club - \$75 to Dakota Dreher
Norton KAY Chapter - \$75 to Ashley Millan

Dr. Lamont Shirk Dentistry - \$50 to Chance McMullen
Delta Kappa Gamma Beta Alpha - \$50 to Troy Bainter

The committee members also thank everyone in the community who supported the Post Prom fund-raisers. Your support this year raised \$5,502.40! From this money, \$100 scholarship

certificates were issued to every Senior who attended post prom, totaling \$4,900.00! As a result of our community pulling together, the grand total of scholarships was \$7,350!!

At the end of the night, students left with their purchases, raffle prizes, gifts, scholarships and wonderful memories of a fun and safe time together after prom! Many, many thanks again to everyone in our community who helped make this night a success!

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 Monday's EXTRA (7/4) and Tuesday's Norton Telegram (7/5) will be combined and printed and delivered on Wednesday, July 6.

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