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Briefly

Final day to sign up for the Show Choir

Show Choir Camp will be July 8-12, for ages 4 to 18. Registration deadline is June 14. Call Cindy Mordecai at 877-5475 for more information.

Lenora Jubilee to start tonight

The Lenora Jubilee will be taking place this Friday and Saturday. Advanced tickets can be picked up at Kellie's or the Finish Line in Hill City, the Norton Area Chamber of Commerce, Norton Auto Supply or at the Country Corner in Lenora. There will be a concert at 8 p.m. Friday night and on Saturday there will be garage sales, a parade, the pedal power pull, bingo, a trap shoot and creature races before the 8 p.m. concert.

Saturday's car races have been cancelled

The Norton Elmwood Park Racing Association had to cancel the races set for this Saturday night due to a severe illness of the track promoter. The next races are set for fair time on July 27 and

Carp shoot to be held on Saturday

The Norton Archery Club Carp Shoot will be held on Saturday, June 15. For information call 877-3253 or 877-

Fun at library for the little ones

"Mother Goose Moments," a special interactive story-time for babies to age 2, this will be held Tuesday, June 18, at 10:30 a.m. at the Norton Public



Soybeans.....\$14.53 Markets Courtesy of Norton Ag Valley Co-Op

Weather

Friday Night: Partly cloudy with 50% chance of rain. Low of 68 and wind from South 5-15. **Saturday:** Partly cloudy with 40% chance of morning rain. High 95 and SE wind 5-10. **Saturday Night:** Partly cloudy 40% chance of rain. Low 64 and SSE winds 5-10. **Sunday:** Clear with 40% chance of rain. High of 90 and wind SSE 5-10. Sunday Night: Mostly cloudy with 40& chance of rain. Low of 63 with winds NE 5-10. **Monday:** Clear with early fog. High of 86 and winds NE 10-15. **Monday Night:** Partly cloudy with 40& chance of rain. Fog overnight with a low of 59 and wind from the east 5-15. **Tuesday:** Clear with a high of 86 and winds ESE 10-15.

Prayer

Dear Lord, Thank you for your grace and mercy. Teach us to seek righteousness and to repent when we fall short. Amen





Ten Andbe Home residents enjoyed a day of fishing at Norton's Sebelius Reservoir last week. Pictured from the left are Esther Tweed petting Mandy and next to them is Dean Jamison. Warren Byrum is behind Dean and then there is Nora Washburn, Alvin Smith with his back to the camera talking to activity director Darlene McEwen and then Doris Fletcher holds her line waiting to feel any change of tension on her line.

- Telegram photo by Dana Paxton

Andbe home residents enjoy a day fishing

eleven residents happy when it swam past a hook and got caught on the recent fishing trip to the lake. It had been called to the attention of staff by those "real" fishermen from the Norton Lake that in order to catch a fish, people need to be there before June 12. Alas, Andbe Home Fishing Trip happened on June 7! Thanks to Warren Byrum, CNA, who

One seventeen inch wiper made chummed the water just to the north of who visited, noticed the pretty boats mison didn't bother to drown any bait the boat dock and provided shade, bait, poles and the know-how! Charles Eberle was the lucky fisherman who reeled in the big wiper! Doris Fletcher proved her expertise of long time fishing by the way she held her line even though the pole was in a holder! Esther Tweed, Bert Benham and Nora Washburn were the typical "lady" fishing participants

coming and going from the dock and added the cheering when the fish was caught! Alvin Smith, Anita Wyatt and Leta Donovan tried so hard to catch one but came up short again. "I am not sure, but those fish must know it is my line out there!" Anita said. Don Hays was the first to get a pole in the water and worked at catching one. Dean Ja-

but was one who enjoyed the nature of the day. Hamburgers were cooked by Duane McEwen over a wood fire and the taste was mighty fine! Staff accompanying the group were Raquel Nairn, Tasha Gordon and Darlene McEwen. There were dietary staff, nursing staff and administration that all helped make it possible!

School board increases lunch prices for next year

By Mike Stephens

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Board members unanimously agreed at the Board of Education, U.S.D. 211 regular meeting on Monday to increase the cost of student lunches for the upcoming school year. Student lunch prices will go up 10 cents per meal for kindergarten through grade 12.

Lunches for kindergarteners through third grade will cost \$2, fourth through sixth grade will cost \$2.10, seventh through eighth grade will cost \$2.40, ninth through 12th will cost \$2.45. Breakfast for kindergarten through sixth grade will cost \$1.30, and seventh through 12th grades breakfasts will cost \$1.40. The board decided to raise the price of a half pint of milk by five cents as well.

There will also be an increase in textbook rental fees and enrollment fees of \$5 for the 2013-14 school year. Early childhood developments and kindergarten will cost \$15, first through sixth grade \$25, seventh and eighth grades \$30, and ninth through 12th grade

The board also accepted the resignation of Marlene Sumner as Norton Community High School secretary The board thanked Sumner, who is retiring, for her 25 years of service. Other resignations accepted by the board were Sherri Bell as junior/senior high assistant cook, Joan Bolt as Eisenhower Elementary School girls basketball coach, Jodi Roe as assistant junior high girls basketball coach, Olivia Krehbiel as head junior high girls basketball coach, and Jill Lively as junior high At-Risk Tutor.

The board approved hiring Jill Lively as junior high physical education teacher and assistant junior high volleyball coach, Jodi Roe as Norton Community High School secretary, Cheri Brooks as Eisenhower Elementary School girls basketball coach, Keith Hauser as junior high girls head basketball coach, Olivia Krehbiel as assistant junior high girls basketball coach, Don Burge as assistant high school golf coach, Randy Perales as assistant junior high

boys basketball coach and Christine Thompson as high school head volley-

ball coach. Mileage reimbursement for staff using private vehicles on school business with prior approval for the 2013-14 school year will be set at a rate of \$0.26 per mile. Set the mileage reimbursement at the prevailing state rate for parents who transport their child(ren) to school when the child(ren) have an IEP and transportation is required by

Superintendent Greg Mann reported that administrators will be working on the calendar for next year on Tues-

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County to get leftovers to use locally

By CYNTHIA HAYNES

cvnthia.havnes@nwkansas.com Norton County will get some more road material but will have to stockpile it for a while

At Monday's meeting of the Norton County Commissioners, Road and Bridge Foreman Floyd Richard told the commissioners that Venture Corporation is offering the county 150 tons of chunky asphalt, 400 to 500 tons of sand and rock and 1,500 tons of millings. The asphalt and sand and rock are free to the county for the cost of moving it away, Mr. Richard said. The millings will cost \$8 a ton or \$12,000.

"I think we ought to get the millings," Commissioner Charles Posson said. Mr. Richard said that there was mon-

ey in the road and bridge budget for road materials and the county would get the sand, rock and asphalt for free.

Venture will load the material, he said, and the county has to move it.

"I say go for it," Mr. Posson said. "I agree," said Commissioner R.A. Peterson. "Take it all."

County Clerk Robert Wyatt warned the commissioners that they will have to stockpile the material for now but said that the county has places where

that can be done. The commissioners also discussed Road L, where it was decided that the difference in price between concrete and asphalt was so little that the county will go with the concrete because it has

a better lifespan.

The road will be 22-feet wide, the commissioners observed with curb and gutter only in front of the sale barn to help with drainage.

In other business, the commission-

- Hired Emergency Management Director Justina Smith as the temporary Road and Bridge Department Office Manager to replace Sandy Smith, who is retiring at the end of the month. Miss Smith will take over on Monday.
- Decided to take applications for the job of Road and Bridge office manager. Miss Smith will continue to act as the county's emergency management director but will just be on-call while she is doing the road and bridge job also.

Norton woman criminal case to be held over

The sentencing hearing for Norton resident Samantha Rojas has been waived until Monday at 3 p.m. in District Court. The delay in sentencing is due to a disagreement by both parties as to what restitution should be.

Rojas plead guilty to forgery and five counts of theft on May 13. The forgery conviction is a level eight felony and the five counts of theft are Class A misdemeanors.

Rojas was on supervised probation when these crimes were committed, according to Norton County Attorney Doug Sebelius