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COMMUNITY HOSPITAL-FAIRFAX CEO - Myra Evans, left, receives a check from the hospital from Doug Kline with TransCanada, right. TransCanada donated \$3,000 toward the hospital's "Investing in Our Healthy Future Campaign".

Community Hospital-Fairfax receives donation from TransCanada

Community Hospital-Fairfax in Fairfax, MO, is pleased to announce that TransCanada has made a generous donation toward the hospital's "Investing in Our Healthy Future Campaign". TransCanada is an active participant in the communities where its employees live and work. This grant originated with a request from Doug Kline, a Maitland resident who is a TransCanada employee and Community Hospital-Fairfax board member. He recently presented a check for \$3,000 to Myra Evans, Community Hospital-Fairfax CEO.

The funds will be directed toward Community

Hospital-Fairfax's construction of the new hospital. The grant will specifically be used for the state-of-the-art emergency room in the new facility. "Community Hospital-Fairfax appreciates the support of TransCanada and commends their efforts to support rural healthcare. Doug Kline has put in a lot of hard work in helping us with this grant application," states Evans.

TransCanada's ANR Pipeline owns and operates a Southwest Pipeline that includes the Maitland Compressor Station. This pipeline has many pipeline laterals and several meter stations, which includes the one for the City of Fairfax.

Fall sports' practices begin Monday

Fall sports' practice will begin on Monday, August 9, for Fairfax-Craig Athletes. All athletes must have a current physical before they are allowed to practice.

The first day of volleyball practice for the high school team will be Monday, August 9, at 10 a.m. at Fairfax. This is for all girls in grades 9-12 going out for volleyball at Fairfax and Craig. Football practice will be held in Craig at 8 a.m. on Monday for all Fairfax and Craig high school football players.

Register for school next week

It is time to start thinking about getting ready to head back to school for the 2010-2011 school year. The first day of school is set for Wednesday, August 18. The Fairfax R-3 School District will be holding a registration day on Wednesday, August 11, from 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the school library and Thursday, August 12, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the school offices. This is for elementary, junior high and high school students attending Fairfax R-3 this fall.

Parents and guardians must come into the school in order to register their children. Paperwork will not be sent home with students. All students must have proper immunizations prior to the first day of school. New students need to bring a copy of their birth certificates as well as prior schooling information.

A seventh grade orientation night will be held on Wednesday, August 11, at 6 p.m. in the school library. This is for students entering seventh grade this fall and their parents or guardians.

Twenty-seven girls to compete in queen contests during Fairfax Fair

This year's Fairfax Fair will be held Friday, August 20, Saturday, August 21, and Sunday, August 22, in the Fairfax City Park. This year's theme is "Legacy of Yesterday, Promise of Tomorrow". The Fairfax Optimist Club is the sponsor of the annual Fairfax Fair.

The Xi Lambda Sorority will be hosting the opening ceremony, baby show and Little Mr. and Miss Fairfax contest beginning at 6:30 p.m. followed by the queen contests. To be eligible for the Little Mr. and Miss Fairfax contest, children must be between four and six years of age and live in the Fairfax R-3 School District. Forms for the baby show and Little Miss and Mr. contest can be picked up at the Dairy Diner and KG Buds. Participants in the baby show and Little Mr. and Miss Fairfax contest are asked to be in the park by 6:15 p.m.

The Xi Lambda Sorority is looking for Fairfax youth from second to eighth grade to help with the opening ceremony on Friday evening. Those wanting to take part are to be by the park stage by 6:15 p.m. on that evening.

Volunteers will be sponsoring the Junior Miss and Miss Fairfax contests. Girls competing in the Miss Fairfax contest and their sponsors are: Baylee Lewis, Xi Lambda Sorority; Aleesha Ball, AG Choice, Fairfax; Alicia Clark, Ultimate Image, Craig, MO; Annie Miller, Fairfax Fire Department; Brooklynn Morris, American

Fairfax Board of Education votes to raise teacher base pay

The Fairfax Board of Education met in regular session on Thursday, July 15, 2010. Those present were: Phil Yocum, Donnie Brandt, Angela Garrison, Tony Mitchell, Jamie Lewis and Gregg Smith, board members; Ed Defenbaugh, superintendent; Dustin Barnes, K-12 principal; and Karen Burke, secretary.

The board reviewed the minutes of the June 17, 2010, regular board meeting. They reviewed the financial report and the monthly reconciliation report indicating a liquid balance of \$741,442.36 as of June 30, 2010. Mr. Defenbaugh reviewed the fund balance with the board indicating a total balance of all institutions at \$990,562.03 as of July 12, 2010. The July monthly bills in the amount of \$33,634.74 were reviewed and approved for payment.

Upcoming dates: Football Camp, July 19-22 at Craig from 8-11 a.m.; Dead Week, July 30 - August 8, the gym and facilities will be closed; August 6, coaches meeting at Craig; August 9, high school fall practices begin, Football at Craig/Volleyball at Fairfax 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.; August 10, new teacher training at Fairfax R-3; August 11, registration 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.; August 11, 7th Grade Orientation and Registration from 6-7 p.m.; August 12, K-3 teachers and title teachers to DIBBLES Training at NWMSU; August 16-17, Teacher in-service days; and August 18, school starts with August 18, 19, and 20 being half days.

The weather has been a factor in getting the playground done. Jeff Gray will be here to start with the basketball court project and the fencing has been started. The summer work projects are going well. The custodians

and Nathan Stark are doing a great job. The buses are being taken in one at a time for general maintenance. The roofing projects have been done. There is a minor leak and the contractor has been notified. The roof has a 10-year renewable warranty on materials and labor for the portions of the roof which had a new system installed.

Mr. Defenbaugh gave a salary schedule handout to the board showing what the additional cost to the district would be to raise the teacher base pay \$250, and to raise non-certified staff pay an addition .8%. Mr. Defenbaugh told the board that compared to base salaries in the surrounding schools, our base pay is second to the lowest and may be the lowest next year. Lengthy discussion was held on this topic. Jamie Lewis made a motion to raise the teacher base pay to \$26,250 and to give non-certified staff a raise of 2% over last years salaries. Gregg Smith seconded the motion and the vote was 6 (yes) and 0 (no).

Gregg Smith made a motion to set the tax rate hearing for Thursday, August 19, 2010, at 6:30 p.m. Donnie Brandt seconded the motion and the vote was 6 (yes) and 0 (no). Mr. Defenbaugh gave the board members a hand-

out of recommended changes to the 2010-11 budget. Gregg Smith made a motion to approve the budget changes as recommended. Jamie Lewis seconded the motion and the vote was 6 (yes) and 0 (no). Gregg Smith made a motion to amend the budget as necessary to reflect the additional expenditures resulting from the approval of the increase in salaries under old business. Jamie Lewis seconded the motion and the vote was 6 (yes) and 0 (no).

There were five different company's that put in bids for a new dishwasher. Gregg Smith made a motion to purchase the Hobart Model No. Am 15-1 from Buller Fixtures. Donnie Brandt seconded the motion and the vote was 6 (yes) and 0 (no). Mr. Defenbaugh went over the board policies, regulations, and form updates with the board members. Mr. Barnes read the recommended changes to the faculty handbook to the board members. Gregg Smith made a motion to approve the recommended changes to the faculty handbook. Jamie Lewis seconded the motion and the vote was 6 (yes) and 0 (no). Next regular board meeting will be Thursday, August 19, 2010, following the tax rate hearing.



Water balloon toss

Summer reading program ends - Pictured above is McKenzie Frohn as she catches a water balloon during the last day of the summer reading program held on Thursday, July 29. The youth enjoyed a puppet play, treasure hunt and much more during the finale day of the program. This was a record year for attendance at the summer reading program.

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ACDC makes pledge - Making good use of their dedication to the needs of Atchison County infrastructure and progress, the Atchison County Development Corporation wrote out a \$10,000 check to the Atchison County Library for their matching pledge to Fairfax Kiwanis Club as the fundraisers for the Fairfax north side business sidewalk renovation. Shown following the ACDC meeting for the presentation were: Lori Seymour, Eileen Irvine, Bob Alldredge, W.C. Farmer, Roger Martin and Curt Livengood.

Kiwanis' Project, Are We There Yet?

The Fairfax Kiwanis Club has been traveling the road to their goal of raising \$25,500 for the Fairfax north side sidewalk project for nearly two months and have picked up many generous donors along the their sweet journey. And the question is, are we there yet?

At the time of the paper deadline, the organization is just shy of \$1,000 of reaching their entire goal. Although the sidewalk renovation project will start within a few weeks, the hope that the complete fundraising goal has been reached in a matter of just a few more days will complete this portion of the trip.

Atchison County Development Corporation fulfilled their promise of matching a \$10,000 goal with their check at their regular monthly meeting last week. Other "pavers" coming aboard included: Phillip and Mary Weedon; James and Georgia Ann Gilley; Josh and Tracy Oswald family; Jack and Ginny Vernon and family including

Neil and Donna Million, Jeff and Nancy Hummel, Scott and Jennifer Schoonover, and John and Angie Vernon; David and Betsy Chapin; Fairfax Comfort Air, Bob and Barbara Jones; Nancy Gaines; Michael and Karen Cowan; Jon and Beth Graves family; Mary Graves; Ann and Keith Wensel; Fairfax Sorosis Club; Two Men and A Truck, Mike and Eileen Marrison; and Jim and Judy Holtz.

The Atchison County Library board, with their portion of \$25,500 of the necessary \$51,000, has been pleased with the Kiwanis Club's dedication toward this necessary renovation project and look forward to the completion of the sidewalk project. A complete list of the generous donors for this project will appear again once the entire goal has been reached. Donations may be directed to the Fairfax Sidewalk Project, c/o of Exchange Bank of Fairfax, PO Box 80, Fairfax, MO 64446.

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This Week in Fairfax

Thursday, August 5

Hob Nob Club
Community Bible School, 5-8 p.m.

Friday, August 6

Community Bible School, 5-8 p.m.

Monday, August 9

Fall Sports' Practices Begin
Band Camp - Color Guard, 4 p.m., Band, 5 p.m.

Tuesday, August 10

Kiwanis Club
Optimist Club
TEC

Band Camp - Color Guard, 4 p.m., Band, 5 p.m.

Wednesday, August 11

49'ers Hobby Club
Pinochle Club
Band Camp - Color Guard, 4 p.m., Band, 5 p.m.
School Registration @ School Library, 7:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Seventh Grade Orientation @ School Library, 6 p.m.

Thursday, August 12

School Registration @ School Offices, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Band Camp - Color Guard, 4 p.m., Band, 5 p.m.
Masonic Lodge

AUGUST - Character Ed. Word of the Month
RESPONSIBILITY - Taking ownership of what you say and do.



Last time meeting at "old" hospital - Pictured above is the Fairfax Kiwanis Club as they meet for the last time at the old hospital in Fairfax. The club will start meeting at the new hospital in October.

Kiwanis Club holds last meeting at "old" hospital

The Fairfax Kiwanis Club met on Tuesday, July 27, at Community Hospital-Fairfax with 14 members present. This is the last time the Fairfax Kiwanis will be meeting at the "old" Community Hospital-Fairfax building. They will be meeting at the community room during August and September and will be at the "new" Community Hospital-Fair-

fax in October. Guests were George Carter, Oceanside, CA; and Josh Heintz, Rock Port, MO.

Josh Heintz, who is Ed Defenbaugh's son-in-law, is with the Missouri Conservation Department. He talked about the different divisions of the department which include: protection, resource science, forestry, fishing and wildlife.

American Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary met on Monday, July 26, at 1:30 p.m. at the Fairfax United Methodist Church basement. The auxiliary will be having a pot-luck supper on Saturday, August 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the United Methodist Church basement. They will hear reports from the girls that attended Girls' State. All legion and auxiliary members are invited to attend. The parents and

grandparents of the girls are also welcome.

Members also discussed installation of officers to be held on Monday, August 23, at 6:30 p.m. in Oregon, MO. The auxiliary voted to have a raffle for a \$100 bill during the Fairfax Fair. Present at the meeting were: Mary Graves, Jerry Whittington, Deane Gomel, Norma Bradfield, Donna Roop and Ann Wensel.



- Millie Hurst

The farmer and I do not know what happened to all the swallow nests that were plastered under the eaves of our house. We watched as they packed the mud and grass to form the nests and began the process of sitting on the nests waiting for the eggs to hatch. All at once after all of the rains, the nests were partly gone and so were the swallows. I don't know if the damp weather caused the nests to deteriorate or if another species of bird destroyed the nests. At least three nests and eggs were destroyed, but birds don't give up easily. Eventually, the nests were rebuilt and the swallows were proud parents of their new broods.

We have a flower bed in front of the picture window with "shepherd crooks" that we hang the humming bird feeders on. After the fledgelings were hatched and they began to learn to fly, the babies would land on the "shepherd crooks" and sit in a row while the parents brought their "catch" of bugs for hours at a time and fed the babies. The babies have all now "flown the nest", have learned to fly, and catch their own meals. They all swoop all over the yard as I mow, trying to catch any bugs that I might stir up as I pass over the grass.

Meanwhile, in the back of the house, the really neat planter (that I bought from Mr. McKinnon's "serve yourself honor system" in his front yard) sits on the rail of my deck. It has a planter in the middle and a wren house on each end. Early on, as I watched from the kitchen sink, I saw the wrens move into the bird condo and begin the process of sitting on their eggs. After a while, the eggs must have hatched as the pair of wrens began their duty of delivering bugs to their new babies. When I went to the back flower gardens to work, the wrens would sit in a tree nearby and scold me until I went back inside. Eventually, they all moved out, but the wren still sings its beautiful song to me as I work in the flowers.

Last week, I watched as another wren family began the process of moving into the other end of the condo. Between the wrens and the hummingbirds doing their things, the process of washing dishes and cooking goes very fast.



DONALD SKOOG, M.D. - Thanked Marcy (Pennel) Sanuik, APCU nurse and hospital staff member at The Nebraska Medical Center, at the employee forum on July 14, 2010, for the great care Sanuik and other medical personnel had provided for his wife, Mary Ann.

Sanuik honored for extraordinary efforts

Glenn Fosdick, president and CEO of The Nebraska Medical Center, opened his employee forum July 14, 2010, by surprising an employee with a special recognition. He honored Marcy (Pennel) Sanuik, formerly of Fairfax, MO, nurse in the Adult Progressive Care Unit (APCU), for her extraordinary efforts in treating one of her patients, Mary Ann Skoog.

Sanuik thought her patient would enjoy some fresh air after being hospitalized for 80 straight days. She received permission from Skoog's physician and coordinated with respiratory therapist Frank Freihaut

to schedule a time to go outside. Sanuik, who works the night shift, came in on her day off to take her patient to the rooftop garden in Hixson-Lied. "We stayed outside for an hour and Mary Ann could not stop smiling," Sanuik said. "It's easy to take the little things for granted."

Mary Ann's husband, Donald Skoog, MD, attended the forum and had a chance to share his appreciation of Marcy and her team. "I am glad Glenn honored Marcy. I appreciate each one of you for what you do to make The Nebraska Medical Center the best hospital in the area."

CFK open house

Community For Kids' Preschool in Fairfax, is having a Back to School Night on Tuesday, August 17, from 5:30-7p.m.

At this time children, ages 3 to 5, can be enrolled for preschool. The child must be three by August 1 to be eligible for preschool. There is a waiting list starting so en-

rolled now. If one has already enrolled their child they may bring their child's school supplies that night. Come meet the teachers and see the preschool! Any questions about enrollment call Mrs. Wallace (still Nichole Daugherty just married now) on her cell at 660-787- 0240 or the preschool at 660-686-2489.

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Twenty-seven girls to compete in queen contests during Fairfax Fair

Legion Auxiliary will have a raffle for a \$100 bill. The sophomore class will be having cotton candy, snow cones and a gas raffle. The Fairfax Music Boosters will be having a cake walk on the park slab on Friday and Saturday. The Fairfax color guard will be having a fried oreos stand at the fair as well as a dinosaur dig for kids. Proceeds will go towards flags and accessories for the marching season. The Fairfax band will be selling sandals that will come in three styles, green paws, basketball, or football. Proceeds from the sales will go towards the repair of the 3rd and final Tuba.

The Fairfax junior class is needing cups and glasses for the ping pong toss game. Cups and glasses can be dropped off at the Fairfax Forum office on Main Street in Fairfax.

The Old Time Tractor Reunion will be held on Saturday morning, August 21, at 9:30 a.m. at the high school football field. Old time tractors and equipment will be on display for all to see and then they will take part in the fair parade. This event is sponsored by Harry Combs. For further information, contact Harry at 660-686-2767.

The annual Fairfax Fair Parade will take place on Saturday morning, August 21. Registration will be at the high school football field at 9:30 a.m. and participants must be in line by 10:30 a.m. for judging. Categories are: oldest and youngest person participating; pets; horses; antique vehicles; tractors; floats; bicycles; and business floats.

The Optimist Club is making plans to provide the audience with entertainment on Saturday evening beginning at 6 p.m. There will be dances on the park slab on Friday evening, August 20, and Saturday evening, August 21.

There will be a church service in the city park on Sunday morning, August 22,

beginning at 10:30 a.m. All churches in town are invited and worship God as the larger body of Christ. There will be a community dinner following the church service. (More information will be available next week.) It will be hosted by FCCLA members that will be going to the National FCCLA meeting in St. Louis, MO, this fall.

The annual garden tractor pull will take place on Sunday, August 22, at 1 p.m. across from the Fairfax One Stop Convenience Store on Highway 59. The Fairfax Boy Scouts will be serving hotdogs, hamburgers and drinks at the tractor pull.

Marriage licenses

The following marriage licenses were recorded in the office of Lorrie K. Hall, Atchison County Circuit Clerk and Recorder, at the Atchison County Courthouse in Rock Port, Missouri:

Demian Dean Ellis, 28, and Tawni Diane Gebhards, 28, both of Maryville, Missouri, were married July 17, 2010, by Pastor Pat Curry, Rock Port.

Randy Reed Paris, 51, and Michelle Kay Barbee, 44, both of Rock Port, were married July 19, 2010, by Judge J. Patrick McLaughlin, Rock Port.

Mark Alan Jenkins, 47, and Susan Marie Keane, 56, both of Sioux City, Iowa, were married July 10, 2010, by Reverend Dick Holdren, Platte County.

Bradley Eugene Caudill, 33, and Audra Jo Kerns, 27, both of Tarkio, were married July 29, 2010, by Judge Corey K. Herron, Rock Port.

James Len Navin, Jr., 19 and Brianna Mae Nelson, 17, both of Tarkio, were married July 29, 2010, by Judge Corey K. Herron, Rock Port.

Girl Scout of the Week



Emmy Lu Feek, daughter of Keith and Ginger

Feek, is the Girl Scout of the Week. Emmy Lu was born on April 8, 2004, in Lincoln, NE. Her siblings are Kody, Krynn, Laney, Reece and Ray.

Emmy Lu's favorite color is pink and her favorite thing to do is swing. Emmy Lu, who has been a Girl Scout for one year, likes being a Girl Scout because her mom helps. Her favorite Girl Scout cookie is Peanut Butter Patties.

Atchison County land transfers

Warranty Deed: Friendly Boys Lumber to Oswald Investments, LLC, lots 4-15, block 11, and lots 7-10, block 12, both of the Original Plat of the City of Tarkio.

General Warranty Deed: Jerry Kirkpatrick and Carol Kirkpatrick to Thomas C. and Jane L. Plantz, lots 5, block 3, of the Original Plat of the Town of Westboro, Missouri.

Warranty Deed: Max H. and Roberta Peeler to the ACWWC, section 17, township 64, range 41, of Atchison County, Missouri.

General Warranty Deed: Janice Fern Geib and Max Geib to Trent and Stephanie Shineman, lots 7-10,

block 21, of the Nuckolls and White's Addition to the City of Rock Port, Missouri.

General Warranty Deed: Janet Sue Brown Watkins and James W. Watkins and James Leslie Watkins with Tashia Elyse Wake, section 1, township 66, range 41, in Atchison County, Missouri.

General Warranty Deed: Dennis Eugene Graham to Judy VanLeuven, lots 1, 9 and 10, block 20, of the Meek's Addition to the City of Rock Port.

Warranty Deed: Jeff A. and Kelly Petteprier to the City of Rock Port, lots 7 and 8, block 24, of the Nuckolls and White's Addition to the City of Rock Port.



New basketball court for playground

New addition to playground - Pictured above is the new basketball court that was added to the playground at the Fairfax R-3 School. The court will be finished and ready to go when the students head back to school on Wednesday, August 18.

Formerly Forum

August 3, 2000

This year's Fairfax Fair theme is "Fairfax Under the Big Top".

Community Hospital sold the Tarkio Family Practice Center in Tarkio, MO, to Dr. Wallace Carpenter.

Rose special at KG Buds includes a dozen roses for \$19.95.

August 8, 1985

"Best in the West" will be the Fairfax Fair theme this year.

Kody Kemerling celebrated his first birthday at the home of his parents and sister, Rick and Dona Kemerling and Jenea.

Chris Schooler is working in Haiti this summer with a church group.

August 4, 1960

Mr. and Mrs. Ruffner Dunlap will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house at the Presbyterian Church.

Specials at the Hunter's Hy-Klas include: half-gallon of ice cream, 59¢; Maxwell coffee, 49¢ per pound; and Hy-Klas jumbo loaf bread, two for 29¢.

Mrs. Gary Cooper will present her summer students in a piano recital at the Christian Church.



Summer Games - Pictured above, left to right, are Nick Simmons, Ryan Hopkins, Baylee Lewis, Keifer Nemyer and Grant Hopkins, who recently attended church camp in Georgia.

Youth attend church camp in Georgia

Five Fairfax youth, Nick Simmons, Ryan Hopkins, Baylee Lewis, Keifer Nemyer and Grant Hopkins, attended the 5th annual Summer Games Church Camp in Covington, Georgia, from July 6th-10th, 2009. This was the second year for these youth to make the trip to Georgia.

The Summer Games, a multi-denominational Christian camping experience for kids in 5th thru 12th grades, is a camping model that began in Iowa 30 years ago, through a vision given to Rev. Stan Wiererson, a Methodist pastor, at a time when camping ministries were struggling. The Summer Games model revitalized and singlehandedly saved Christian Camping in Iowa. Since that time, it has been brought to several other states, taken from the Midwest to the rest of America.

Summer Games focuses largely in preparation of Thursday evenings Crucifixion pageant. Campers begin by hearing the Good News of the birth of Jesus, walk through His life and teaching, and then experience a portrayal of His crucifixion. Campers are led to the scene of the crosses by counselors dressed in full Roman Centurion uniform. After viewing the crosses, the camp gathers for worship and to experience the wonders of the resurrection.

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School supplies and services provided at Back-To-School Fair

Attending the Back-To-School Fair - On Monday, August 2, 2010, at the Community Building in Tarkio are, from left to right, Matthew Hendrix, Jamie Hendrix, and Dixie Hendrix of Fairfax. The Back-To-School Fair provided school supplies and services to Atchison County students who will be going to school this coming school year.

Wet weather and hot temperatures stress area crops

The wet weather has caused many of the area crops to be shallow rooted and with hot temperatures, crops are stressed. The rain has been abundant and water is seeping out of the hillsides; and in river bottoms, crops are yellow because of saturated soils.

The wet weather has resulted in the shallow crop roots. Roots do not grow deep into soils saturated with water. Saturated soils cause a lack of oxygen in the soil as all the voids are filled with water. Roots need oxygen to grow and take up nutrients and water.

Roots will move deeper as water percolates deeper into the soil. This allows for oxygen to move into the soil filling the voids left from downward moving water. Roots of crops that remain in saturated soils will grow very poorly and exhibit nutrient deficiencies. Plants are not able to take up adequate amounts of nutrients.

Combine the shallow crop roots with hot weather. Hot temperature conditions increase plant respiration. The plant respiration rate doubles for every 13 degrees Fahrenheit, according to Dr. Thomison, Ohio State Extension. This rapid respiration requires increased nutrient and water uptake which shallow roots can adequately supply, however plants may wilt under these conditions even though there is plenty of water.

Also, hot nights cause the plants to use sugars from photosynthesis made during daylight to be used for respiration at night. This means there is less sugar available for developing kernels. This energy is used by the plant for respiration. Dr. Wiebold, University of Missouri Extension, indicates ideal night temperatures to

maximize yields of both corn and soybeans are in the mid-60s.

The highest yields in north-west Missouri are during times of adequate, timely rains and cool night-time temperatures. However, this year, there has been a lot of variability of crop conditions which will impact harvest yields. Crops planted early this year and that have good water drainage have outstanding crops; whereas in other fields, where water has injured crops, harvest yields will be severely reduced. For more information, contact Wayne Flanary at 660-446-3724 or Heather Benedict at 660-425-6434, Regional Agronomists, University of Missouri Extension.

Editorial

After last week's Farmer and Johnson history lesson, I thought that I would keep this short.

To the readers of the Tarkio Avalanche HELLO. As the publisher I hope to bring you the news you want and encourage feed back, please. I hope to become more involved with community projects and goals.

W.C. and I are looking forward to working with all three communities. One of our goals is to encourage Atchison County to grow as a whole. We have a lot to offer as a county community and need to continue to work together.

To Will, Joy, Adam & Haley THANK YOU! You all have been a tremendous help. I have enjoyed spending time and learning from all of you. Again, thank you!

Mike and W.C.

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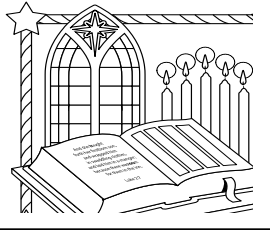
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Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.
Wednesdays - Promise Keepers, 6 a.m.,
Bible study, 6:30-8 p.m.

Mondays - Prayer Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
August 11 - UMW E.E., 7 p.m.

Fairfax Christian Church

www.fairfaxchristianchurch.com

Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
Taped worship service, Thursdays, 2 p.m. on Channel 61
Bible Study, Wednesdays, 6-7 p.m.

Fairfax Presbyterian Church

Rev. John Welch
500 N. Broadway

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Taped worship service, Mondays, 6 p.m. on Channel 61
Session meets second Monday of the month, 7 p.m.
Nite Owls meet first Monday of the month, 7 p.m.

Fairfax Baptist Church

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.

Family Fellowship dinner, Wednesdays, 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Adult Bible Study, Youth Group,
& G-Force (Children's group), Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m.

Sharp's Grove Methodist Church

Pastor Crystal Karr
Coffee and rolls fellowship, 8:30 a.m.

Worship Service, 8:45 a.m.

St. Oswald's In-The-Fields

Second Sunday, 11 a.m. Morning Prayer Service
by Lay Reader

Fourth Sunday, 11 a.m. Eucharist Service

Church of God

Craig, Missouri

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

St. John's Lutheran Church LCMS

Corning, Missouri

Pastor Carl Droegemueller

Sunday School @ Craig - Adult Bible Study, 9:15 a.m.

Sunday Worship @ Craig, 10:30 a.m.

River of Hope Fellowship

304 East Fourth, Mound City

Pastor David Showalter

Donuts and fellowship, 9:15 a.m.

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. (including nursery)

Worship, 10:30 a.m. (nursery provided)

St. Paul's Catholic Church

908 Elm, Tarkio

Father Reginald Sander, OSB

Sundays - Sunday Eucharist, 10:30 a.m.

Saturdays - Sunday Eucharist, 5 p.m.



Matthew Walker

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, July 31, 2010, at Sharp's Grove United Methodist Church, Craig, Missouri, for Matthew L. Walker, Fairfax. Burial was made in Tharp Cemetery, Craig. Rev. Crystal Karr officiated. Services were under the direction of Schooler Funeral Home, Fairfax.

Matthew Lee Walker was born on July 27, 1974, at Community Hospital-Fairfax, the son of Larry and Beverly (Graham) Walker. He passed away on July 28, 2010, at his home in Fairfax, at the age of 36 years and one day.

All of his life, Matthew has lived in the Fairfax community where he graduated from Fairfax High School in 1992. Matthew worked for Larry Flanagan for many years in the firework business. At home you would usually find Matthew restoring old wagons, building something made of wood, like Lincoln logs or shelves for his mom's kitchen.

Matthew enjoyed fixing old trains, putting together puzzles, collecting Coca-Cola memorabilia, playing with his nieces and nephews and scaring everyone with a surprise firework or two. If you saw Matthew running with a smile on his face, you knew a loud bang would soon follow. Matthew was always there to lend a

helping hand to anyone who needed it. He was loved by so many and will be deeply missed by all his family and friends, especially those who knew him best.

Survivors include his parents, Larry and Beverly Walker; two brothers, Kevin Walker, St. Joseph, Missouri, and Chuck Walker, and wife, Natalie, Wilcox, Missouri; two sisters, Beth Bendig, and husband, Kenny, Atkinson, Nebraska, and Alisha Laumann, and husband, Luke, Farragut, Iowa; three nephews, Kylie Bendig, Logan Walker and Grant Laumann; and two nieces, Miranda Bendig and Alexis Laumann.

Matthew was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Eddie and Frances Walker and his maternal grandparents, Rev. Cleo and Pearl Graham. Memorials may be directed to the Fairfax Volunteer Fire Department or to the Fairfax R-3 School Playground Fund.



Mitchell and Burghardt to wed Sept. 11

Chris and Lorie Hall, along with Randy and Janet Mitchell, all of Tarkio, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Melissa Mitchell, to Brian Burghardt, son of Derek and Sandi Burghardt of Brookfield, WI. Melissa is the granddaughter of Robert and Orma Meier, the late Eugene and Dorothy Mitchell of Tarkio, and Dean and Diane Hall of Westboro, MO.

Melissa is a 2002 graduate of Tarkio High School and a 2006 graduate of the University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO. She is a pediatric registered nurse at Children's Mercy Hospital in downtown Kansas City, MO. Brian is a 1997 graduate of Brookfield Central High School in Brookfield, a 2002 graduate of Marquette University in Milwaukee, WI, and a 2006 graduate of the Medical School of Wisconsin in Milwaukee. Brian is a pediatrician at Children's Mercy Hospital in Kansas City.

The wedding ceremony and reception will be held Saturday, September 11, 2010, at 6 p.m. at the Town Pavilion in Kansas City, MO.

Announce birth of son

Tessa Lightner of Burlington Junction, MO, and Donny Sipes of Oregon, MO, are pleased to announce the birth of their baby boy, Brayden Ray Sipes. Brayden was born at Community Hospital-Fairfax in Fairfax, MO, at 3:16 p.m. on Wednesday, July 28, 2010. He weighed eight pounds and seven ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Pam Mather and Michael Lightner, both of Burlington Junction. Paternal grandparents are Mary and Jeff Uzzle of Savannah, MO, and the late Lanny Sipes. Maternal great-grandparents are Linda Lekey of Maryville, MO, and David Lekey, Gloria Martz, and Bill Martz, all of Burlington Junction.

Baby girl for Garsts

Michelle and Jason Garst of Watson, MO, are pleased to announce the birth of their baby girl, Ellie Jayne Garst. Ellie was born at Community Hospital-Fairfax in Fairfax, MO, at 11:07 p.m. on Monday, July 26, 2010. She weighed eight pounds and one ounce. Besides by her parents, Ellie is welcomed by sibling, Ryland, age three.

Maternal grandparents are Gary and Jayne Ann Bennington of Rock Port, MO. Paternal grandparents are Charles and Connie Garst of Watson. Maternal great-grandparent is Lois Bennington of Rock Port.

Send cards to Duane Rosenbohm

Duane Rosenbohm is currently a patient at the St. Joseph Medical Center, in Kansas City, MO. Those wishing to send cards may do so to the Rosenbohm's home address: Duane and Kay Rosenbohm, 21992 State Highway Z, Fairfax, MO 64446. Kay will be picking up the mail and delivering it to Duane.

Pinochle Club news

The Pinochle Club met on Wednesday afternoon, July 28, 2010. At double pinochle, Mary Graves, won high score; Phyllis Ball, second high; Margaret Graves, traveling; and Nancy VanGundy, low.

Others present were: Norma Bradfield, Nancy Gaines, Georgia Gilley, Georgia Houghton and Jerry Whittington. Refreshments were served by Georgia Gilley and Jerry Whittington. The next meeting will be held at the Daybreak Cafe, Fairfax, on Wednesday, August 11, at 1 p.m.

Announce birth of daughter

Rachel and Travis Jenkins of Fairfax, MO, are pleased to announce the birth of their baby girl, Raylynn Bobbie-Jo Jenkins. Raylynn was born at 8:10 a.m. on Friday, July 23, 2010, at Community Hospital-Fairfax in Fairfax. She weighed eight pounds and eight ounces. Besides by her parents, Raylynn is welcomed by sibling, Rylee Irene Jenkins, age four.

Maternal grandparents are Robert and Shirley Craig of Ottumwa, IA. Paternal grandparents are Robert and Wanda Jenkins of Troy, KS. Paternal great-grandparent is Mary Hooper of Hiawatha, KS.

Baby girl for Caudills



MaKenna Avery Caudill

Casondra and Bryan Caudill of Tarkio are pleased to announce the birth of their baby girl, MaKenna Avery Caudill. MaKenna was born at Community Hospital-Fairfax in Fairfax, MO, at 8:17 p.m. on Monday, July 19, 2010. She weighed seven pounds and 14 ounces. Besides by her parents, MaKenna is welcomed by her sisters, Emilee Kaye Caudill, age five, and Cynthia Grace Caudill, age 15 months.

Maternal grandparents are Mark and Lori Carlson of Bellevue, NE. Paternal grandparents are Rob and Cindy Stevens of Tarkio and Dennis and Kari Caudill of Coin, IA. Maternal great-grandparent is Betty Carlson of Omaha, NE. Paternal great-grandparents are James Postlewait of Tarkio and the late Marge Postlewait and Doris Caudill of Quitman, MO, and Virgil Caudill of south Missouri.

Living Proof Live Simulcast with Beth Moore

Women from all over the world will gather together on Saturday, September 18, 2010, to hear from author and Bible teacher, Beth Moore, at LifeWay women's Living Proof Live Simulcast event. The Women's Ministry at the Fairfax United Methodist Church in Fairfax, Missouri, is hosting this dynamic event and is inviting all women in the area to attend.

Call the church office at 660-686-3314 Monday through Thursday mornings for tickets. Leave a message and someone will get back to you. You can email the church office at umc@fairfaxmo.net. Seating is limited, so call ahead and purchase your tickets for \$20. This price includes lunch. After September 1, tickets will be \$30.

Mark down September 18, 2010, on your calendar. Doors will open at 8 a.m. for registration. Opening is from 9 to 9:30 a.m. and the live broadcast begins at 9:30 a.m. and concludes at 4 p.m. Call a friend and ask them to join you for this special event for women.



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Fairfax Youth Activities

Monday, August 9 - 4 p.m., Fairfax High School (FHS) Color Guard Camp at FHS; and 5 p.m., Fairfax High School Marching Pride Band Camp at FHS.

Tuesday, August 10 - 4 p.m., Fairfax High School (FHS) Color Guard Camp at FHS; and 5 p.m., Fairfax High School Marching Pride Band Camp at FHS.

Wednesday, August 11 - 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Fairfax R-3 School Registration for Elementary, Jr. High, and High School Students in the School Library; 4 p.m., Fairfax High School (FHS) Color Guard Camp at FHS; 5 p.m., Fairfax High School Marching Pride Band Camp at FHS; and Fairfax R-3 Seventh Grade Orientation in the School Library, 6 p.m.

Thursday, August 12 - 4 p.m., Fairfax High School (FHS) Color Guard Camp at FHS; and 5 p.m., Fairfax High School Marching Pride Band Camp at FHS.

Friday, August 13 - 4 p.m., Fairfax High School (FHS) Color Guard Camp at FHS; and 5 p.m., Fairfax High School Marching Pride Band Camp at FHS.

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FAIRFAX R-3 SCHOOLS

Start At 8:15 A.M.



Home Of The Bulldogs

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2010
And Will Dismiss At 12:15 p.m.



Home Of The Bulldogs

Breakfast & Lunch Will Be Served

Fairfax R-3 Faculty

Ed Defenbaugh.....Superintendent
 Dustin Barnes.....K-12 Principal
 Suzanne Fentiman.....Kindergarten
 Twilla Clark.....First Grade
 * Julie Eschenbach.....Second Grade
 Pam Simanek.....Third Grade
 Nicole Covey.....Fourth Grade
 * Donald Parsons.....Fifth Grade
 Kathy Defenbaugh.....Sixth Grade
 Sheridan Mires.....K-6 Remedial Math/Reading
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 Aimee Seymour.....Speech Therapy
 * Michael Hollingsworth.....Business Education
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 Marisa Hedlund.....Guidance
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(7:40 a.m. - 8:05 a.m. Daily Breakfast)

Textbooks & Workbooks
 The school will furnish all textbooks and workbooks FREE of charge.

School Lunch Personnel
 Trudy Solwold, Shilah Baker

Bus Drivers
 Jim Davis, Melissa Last, Chris Easley (Sub.)
 Roger Martin (Sub.),
 Karen Ray (Sub./Activity bus driver)

New Students In District
 Please contact principal's office immediately.
 K-12 Principal, Dustin Barnes.....686-2851

Anyone interested in K-12 substitute teaching may contact the district for an application

School Registration

Elementary, Jr. High &
 High School Registration
 Wednesday, August 11th -
 7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. In the Library
 Thursday, August 12th 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
 Wednesday, August 11th - 7th Grade Registration
 & Orientation
 6:00 p.m. In the Library

Hot Lunches

Hot lunch & breakfast meals will be available every school day. Free and reduced application forms are available from the high school principal's office.

Breakfast:
 Regular.....\$1.50
 Reduced Breakfast.....30¢
Lunch:
 K-6.....\$1.60
 7-12.....\$1.85
 Adult.....\$2.50
 Reduced Lunch.....40¢
 Extra Milk.....35¢

PUBLIC RELEASE

August 1, 2010

The Fairfax R-3 School District announced its revised free and reduced price policy for school children unable to pay the full price of meals served in schools under the National School Lunch Program and the School Breakfast Program.

Local education officials have adopted the following family-size income criteria for determining eligibility:

Household Size	Maximum Household Income Eligible for Free Meals			Maximum Household Income Eligible for Reduced Price Meals		
	Annually	Monthly	Weekly	Annually	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$14,079	\$1,174	\$271	\$20,036	\$1,670	\$386
2	18,941	1,579	365	26,955	2,247	519
3	23,803	1,984	458	33,874	2,823	652
4	28,665	2,389	552	40,793	3,400	785
5	33,527	2,794	645	47,712	3,976	918
6	38,389	3,200	739	54,631	4,553	1,051
7	43,251	3,605	832	61,550	5,130	1,184
8	48,113	4,010	926	68,469	5,706	1,317
Each add'l member	+ 4,862	+ 406	+ 94	+ 6,919	+ 577	+ 134



Children from families whose current income is at or below those shown are eligible for free or reduced price meals. Applications are available at the principal's office in each school. To apply, fill out a Free and Reduced Price School Meals Family Application and return it to the school. The information provided on the application is confidential and will be used only for the purpose of determining eligibility. Applications may be submitted any time during the school year. A complete application is required as a condition of eligibility. A complete application includes: (1) household income from all sources or Food Stamp/Temporary Assistance case number, (2) names of all household members, and (3) the signature and social security number of adult household member signing the application. School officials may verify current income at any time during the school year.

Foster children may be eligible regardless of the income of the household with whom they reside. A foster child is considered a family of one and only personal use income is counted to determine eligibility.

If a family member becomes unemployed or if family size changes, the family should contact the school to file a new application. Such changes may make the children of the family eligible for these benefits.

Under the provisions of the policy, the K-12 Principal will review the applications and determine eligibility. If a parent is dissatisfied with the ruling of the official, he may wish to discuss the decision with the determining official on an informal basis or he may make a request either orally or in writing to the Superintendent, whose address is Fairfax R-3 School, 500 Main Street, Fairfax, MO 64446, for a hearing to appeal the decision.

Hearing procedures are outlined in the policy. A complete copy of the policy is on file in each school and in the central office where any interested party may review it.

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Tech talk from Midwest Data

Outlook tips and tricks

By Teresa Giddinge

Have you ever tried to access webmail only to find that none of your emails are there? Most people don't realize that once email is downloaded to the home computer, you can't access it from webmail when you're away from home. The good news is, you can change a few settings and be able to access emails on webmail even if they've been downloaded on the home computer.

The following are steps you need to follow to fix this email access problem:

If you're using Outlook 2007, follow these 7 steps:

- Go to the Tools menu and click on Account Settings.
- Select the Email account and click on the Change button.
- Click on the More Settings button.
- Click on the Advanced tab in the lower section and then check the box beside "Leave a copy of messages on the server."

- Click the More Settings button.
- Click on the Advanced tab in the lower section and then check the box beside "Leave a copy of messages on the server."
- Check the box beside your choice of amount of days or when you delete the email from your deleted items (this is your preference).

- Click the OK button.
- Click Next and then click the Finish button.

Now you can access your emails from anywhere.

Here's another quick tip.

If you want to send a message to someone without the other email recipients knowing, use the Bcc line (Bcc stands for blind carbon copy). If you add someone's name to the Bcc line a copy of the message will be sent to that person, but his or her name is not visible to the other email recipients. If you don't see the Bcc line when you open a new email, go to the Options tab and select Show Bcc (or just Bcc, depending on which Outlook version you are using), then it should appear.

For information on Midwest Data Center services in Rock Port, MO, please visit www.mwdata.net.

Traffic violation

The following traffic violation that occurred in Atchison County was paid through the Missouri Judiciary Fine Collection Center:

William Jerome Smith, Jr. - Of Rock Port, MO, Driver/Front Seat Passenger 16 Years Of Age Or Over Failed To Wear Properly Adjusted/Fastened Safety Belt. Case disposed on July 30, 2010. Fined \$10.

Atchison-Holt Electric Cooperative employees attend lineman school

Brock Davis and Reid Hunter, employees of Atchison-Holt Electric Cooperative in Rock Port, attended the Advanced Lineman School at the AMEC Training Center from July 12-15, 2010, in Jefferson City, MO. The course's objective is to improve the lineworker's professional skills and increase awareness of safety procedures.

The lineworkers received field instruction on the safety procedures associated with performing improvements to an electrical system through powerline conversion and conductor replacement. Participants also received classroom instruction on protective grounding, transformer connections, and power outage troubleshooting and restoration. AMEC is the service organization for the state's 47 electric cooperatives which serves more than 560,000 rural Missourians.

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Marching Pride Band Camp

Preparing for upcoming year - Pictured above are members of the Fairfax Marching Pride as they attend band camp on Thursday, July 29, 2010. The Marching Pride will make their first appearance of the 2010 season during the Fairfax Fair Parade on Saturday, August 21.



Reduction sale

Preparing for the move - The Community Hospital-Fairfax Auxiliary held a gift shop reduction sale on Friday, July 30 and Saturday, July 31, at the hospital. In September the gift shop will move to the new hospital location.

Commissioners hear compliments from county's audit manager

The Atchison County Commission met on Thursday, July 22, 2010, in the Atchison County Commission Room at the Atchison County Courthouse in Rock Port, MO. Present were: Presiding Commissioner Marlin L. Logan; North District Commissioner David P. Chapin; South District Commissioner Kent Fisher; and Clerk of the Commission Susette Taylor.

Road and Bridge Supervisor Adam Meyer was present to discuss road matters. Greg W. Razer, Field Representative with Claire McCaskill's office, was in to visit with the commissioners. They all traveled to Hazel Avenue so the commissioners could make him aware of the need for assistance to get this road repaired.

Clerk Taylor presented a Notice of Interest Form that was completed by Tye Parsons at the Northwest Regional Council of Governments for the county. This form is in connection with the Hamilton Bridge Roadway Reconstruction grant application.

Bill Riddle, Audit Manager with McBride, Lock and Associates, was present to

visit with the commissioners and issue his audit findings to the commissioners. Mr. Riddle complimented the county and said this was the best county he has had the opportunity to audit. He stated that there were excellent controls in place to oversee, both the day-to-day operations of the offices and great financial checks and balances. He commented that the office holders were great to work with and they were able to provide any information requested. He noted that the only finding he would be noting in his report was the lack of a written investment policy. He stated that everything is being done according to an investment policy, but it just needs to be adopted by the commissioners. Clerk Taylor stated that she had requested this policy from several sources following the prior audit, including Missouri Association of Counties legal counsel and no one was ever able to provide the needed documentation. Mr. Riddle has furnished Clerk Taylor with language to adopt the policy and it will be adopted at the next meeting of the commission.

Atchison County incarcerations

The following incarcerations were made at the Atchison County Jail in Rock Port, MO, July 25-31, 2010:

Elias D. Carder, age 20 - Of Tarkio, was arrested by the Tarkio Police Department at the intersection of Fifth and Broad streets in Tarkio at 10:28 p.m. on Sunday, July 25, for Peace Disturbance.

Brian Hess, age 36 - Of Mound City, MO, was arrested by the Tarkio Police Department at the intersection of Hwy. 136 and Route O at 1:14 p.m. on Saturday,

July 31, for Driving While Suspended.

Randy Scott, age 51 - Of Rock Port, MO, was arrested by the Rock Port Police Department at 301 South Water Street in Rock Port at 1:55 p.m. on Saturday, July 31, for investigation of assault.



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CLASSIFIEDS

ACDC holds board meeting

The Atchison County Development Corporation (ACDC) held a board meeting on Wednesday, May 26, 2010, at 5:30 p.m. at the Black Iron Grill in Rock Port, MO. Present were Eileen Irvine, Steve Showalter, Curtis Livengood, Craig Corken, W.C. Farmer, Ron Hunter, Bob Alldredge; and guests, Tim Taylor, Marilyn Alldredge, and Roger Livengood. Lydia Hurst, Roger Martin, and Lori Seymour were absent.

Marilyn Alldredge and Roger Livengood were at the meeting to discuss the merits of Northwest Missouri Enterprise Facilitation (NWMEF) and how it can benefit Atchison County. It serves small business start-ups and help with business retention. The board members agreed to contract with NWMEF with a \$5,000 donation that will be reviewed annually. An ACDC staff person will serve on the NWMEF board of directors.

Tim Taylor said the GIS mapping for Tarkio and Rock Port is nearly complete. A few manholes are blocked and the cities have to either uncover them or make the decision to let them be unmapped. The cities are now reviewing the work to date to make sure everyone is up-to-date on the work. The two towns should be online in about a month. GIS mapping for Fairfax will be done when the city water project is complete this fall. Overlays of gas, electric, and phone are possible and will be looked into. They will be added if the programs are compatible. Midland GIS will check with Ron Erickson about mapping Westboro, MO, and will get back to the board with the cost. Also, Tarkio and Fairfax, MO, have auto read meters (and Rock Port plans to get them), so Taylor is looking into whether they can be added to the maps at no additional cost to ACDC.

Minutes and financials were approved. Board members discussed a golf tournament on June 11. Steve Showalter was to put in a team. Goody bags will no longer be given to the

players. Monica Bailey has put together a newsletter. The board members want cost estimates to have enough copies printed to go out in all of the local papers and to distribute to local businesses. Board members will be polled at a later date on whether they want to move forward with distributing them in the papers instead of the original plan of emailing them to members and businesses.

The Atchison County Wholesale Water Commission was discussed. Land acquisition is underway as well as easement planning. Take or pay contracts have been signed. Ground-breaking should be held in the fall. DeBruce construction is on track and will be completed on time to open for business this fall.

The Iberdrola open house, scheduled for June 18, was discussed. Project RISE is an opportunity to send our information to a company looking for a location for a factory. The information has been compiled and sent.

The Fairfax branch of the Atchison County Library will have to close if something isn't done about the condition of the unsafe sidewalk in front of it. The library board has agreed to pay for \$25,500 of the \$51,000 needed to replace it. The Fairfax Kiwanis Club is the sponsoring organization for the fundraising. The two property owners by the affected area will put in \$500 each. ACDC board members agreed to match community fundraising dollars up to \$10,000.

Board members approved to have a VISA card be acquired for Bailey and discussed a donation request from the Rock Port High School FCCLA Chapter.

The present computer program in the ACDC front office is not the same as the director's computer and it causes problems. The computer is old and has had memory added, but remains slow. The board members agreed to purchase a new laptop and docking port for

the front office from Midwest Data in Rock Port. ACDC board meetings will now be held at 12 noon on the third Wednesday of the month.

Irvine and Farmer spent the morning visiting with Brent Miles with Wyandotte EDC about how his business works. Most of the programs and ideas discussed were already in place or in the planning stages at ACDC. Miles suggested changing the term "members" to "investors". They also move meetings to different businesses around the area and do a feature article after each meeting. They visit businesses and try to help them solve existing problems where possible. They also put up signs near businesses they have helped, announcing, "You asked for it; we did it!" with their logo on the sign. He also stressed the need for future community leader mentorship for younger folks. He strongly believes in using surveys as tools to find out what the folks in the county want.

An ETC Institute representative made a presentation for a survey of what the company would like to do in Atchison County. The cost for the seven page analysis and survey would cost \$13,000 and should be redone about every two years. The representative stressed that if ACDC would budget an amount, the company would build a survey for that cost. The ACDC board members want to build their own survey and use an online company such as "Survey Monkey" to send it. The idea of hiring a professional company will be revisited in two and a half years if needed. The meeting was adjourned.

GARAGE SALE

LAVONA REID ESTATE TAG SALE - Along with Gebhards Family Sale, Thursday, August 12, 6 to 8 p.m.; Friday, August 13, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Saturday, August 14, 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Furniture, antiques, home decor, dishes, angels, books, tools, televisions, bar stools, table, chairs, and more! Priced to sell! Everything must go! 105 Skyline Drive, Rock Port, MO. 33/3tc

GARAGE SALE - Saturday, August 7, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m., 711 E. Main, Fairfax. Weight bench with weights, couch, chair, recliner, and lots of clothes and misc. Ray/Copper 2 34/1tc

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LOST - Siberian Husky that goes by the name of "Zombie Baby". Last seen on Route J walking toward Fairfax. Very friendly. If seen call 660-744-2924. 34/1tp

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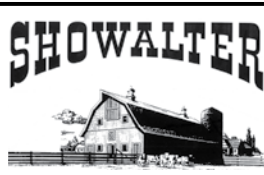
DON'T FORGET - Midwest Data Center, located at 214 S. Main Street in Rock Port, MO, is participating in Missouri state TAX FREE DAYS. Purchase a new computer and/or accessories on August 6, 2010, and pay no sales tax! For more information, call Rochelle at 877-202-1764 or Glen Hockemeier at 660-442-5156. 34/1tc

NOTICE

NOTICE - City of Fairfax Tax Rate Hearing will be held on Monday, August 9, at 6 p.m. at city hall in Fairfax. 34/1tc

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NOTICE OF HEARING

A hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. on THURSDAY, AUGUST 19TH, 2010 in the ATCHISON COUNTY COURTHOUSE at which time citizens may be heard on the property tax rates proposed to be set for the ATCHISON COUNTY SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

a political sub-division of Atchison County, Missouri. The tax rate shall be set to produce the revenue which the budget for the fiscal year beginning January 1 shows to be required from property tax. Each tax rate is determined by dividing the amount of revenue required by the current assessed valuation. The result is multiplied by (100), so the tax rate will be expressed in cents per one hundred dollars (\$100) Valuation.

ASSESSED VALUATION	CURRENT TAX YEAR	PRIOR TAX YEAR	NEW CONSTRUCTION
REAL ESTATE-ATCHISON	\$ 54,818,262.00	\$ 50,388,350.00	\$ 4,302,283.00
RR & UTILITY PROPERTY REAL	\$ 5,237,788.00	\$ 4,088,108.00	\$ -
PERSONAL-ATCHISON	\$ 17,005,322.00	\$ 17,188,434.00	\$ 548,187.00
RR & UTILITY PROPERTY PERS.	\$ 1,791,912.00	\$ 1,880,813.00	\$ -
Total New Construction			\$ 4,850,470.00
LESS TIF	\$ (80,882.00)	\$ -	
TOTAL VALUATION	\$ 79,253,980.00	\$ 73,905,586.00	

FUND	AMOUNT OF PROPERTY TAX REVENUES BUDGETED	PROPOSED TAX RATES (per \$100)	TAX REVENUE DUE TO NEW CONSTRUCTION
General Fund	\$ 273,983.07	0.3478	\$ 16,889.93
	\$ -	-	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 273,983.07	0.3478	\$ 16,889.93

TOTAL TAX REVENUE as a RESULT of REASSESSMENT	AMOUNT	PERCENTAGE
General Fund	\$ -	0%

ATCHISON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
ATCHISON COUNTY SPECIAL ROAD & BRIDGE

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARING

A hearing will be held at 5:00 p.m. on AUGUST 18, 2010 at the FAIRFAX COMMUNITY BUILDING at which time citizens may be heard on the property tax rates proposed to be set for the FAIRFAX RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENT

a political sub-division of Atchison County, Missouri. The tax rate shall be set to produce the revenue which the budget for the fiscal year beginning January 1 shows to be required from property tax. Each tax rate is determined by dividing the amount of revenue required by the current assessed valuation. The result is multiplied by (100), so the tax rate will be expressed in cents per one hundred dollars (\$100) Valuation.

ASSESSED VALUATION	CURRENT TAX YEAR	PRIOR TAX YEAR	NEW CONSTRUCTION
REAL ESTATE-ATCHISON	\$ 7,211,534.00	\$ 7,141,600.00	\$ 58,283.00
RR & UTILITY PROPERTY REAL	\$ 1,343,833.00	\$ 1,021,662.00	\$ -
PERSONAL-ATCHISON	\$ 3,653,653.00	\$ 3,754,472.00	\$ -
RR & UTILITY PROPERTY PERS.	\$ 98,995.00	\$ 489,927.00	\$ -
TOTAL VALUATION	\$ 12,308,015.00	\$ 12,407,661.00	\$ 58,283.00

FUND	AMOUNT OF PROPERTY TAX REVENUES BUDGETED	PROPOSED TAX RATES (per \$100)	TAX REVENUE DUE TO NEW CONSTRUCTION
General Fund	\$ 49,232.06	0.4000	\$ 233.13
	\$ -	-	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 49,232.06	0.4000	\$ 233.13

TOTAL TAX REVENUE as a RESULT of REASSESSMENT	AMOUNT	PERCENTAGE
General Fund	\$ -	0%

BOARD OF DIRECTORS
FAIRFAX RURAL FIRE DISTRICT

NOTICE OF HEARING

A hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. on THURSDAY, AUGUST 19TH, 2010 in the ATCHISON COUNTY COMMISSION ROOM at which time citizens may be heard on the property tax rates proposed to be set for the:

Atchison County General Revenue Fund; Atchison County Road & Bridge Fund; Atchison County Landfill; Senior Citizen Services Fund and SB-40.

The tax rate shall be set to produce the revenue which the budget for the fiscal year beginning January 1 shows to be required from property tax. Each tax rate is determined by dividing the amount of revenue required by the current assessed valuation. The result is multiplied by (100), so the tax rate will be expressed in cents per one hundred dollars (\$100) valuation.

ASSESSED VALUATION	CURRENT TAX YEAR	PRIOR TAX YEAR	NEW CONSTRUCTION
REAL ESTATE-ATCHISON	\$ 75,037,391.00	\$ 70,518,980.00	\$ 4,412,134.00
RR & UTILITY PROPERTY REAL	\$ 2,148,882.00	\$ 7,488,080.00	\$ -
PERSONAL-ATCHISON	\$ 25,488,806.00	\$ 24,801,815.00	\$ 880,541.00
RR & UTILITY PROPERTY PERS.	\$ 3,214,987.00	\$ 2,808,937.00	\$ -
TOTAL NEW CONSTRUCTION			\$ 5,302,675.00
LESS TIF	\$ (508,708.00)	\$ (410,020.00)	
TOTAL VALUATION	\$ 112,377,778.00	\$ 105,488,782.00	

FUND	AMOUNT OF PROPERTY TAX REVENUES BUDGETED	PROPOSED TAX RATES (per \$100)	TAX REVENUE DUE TO NEW CONSTRUCTION
General Fund	\$ 558,079.45	0.4975	\$ 26,388.81
Road & Bridge Fund	\$ 558,079.45	0.4975	\$ 26,388.81
Landfill Fund	\$ 112,377.78	0.1088	\$ 5,382.68
	\$ -	-	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 1,228,536.67	1.0958	\$ -

TOTAL TAX REVENUE AS A RESULT of REASSESSMENT	AMOUNT	PERCENTAGE	
SB-40 Fund	\$ 111,815.89	0.0995	\$ 5,276.16
SENIOR CITIZEN'S SERVICE FUND	\$ 55,851.76	0.0497	\$ 2,635.43
General Fund	\$ -	-	0%
Road & Bridge Fund	\$ -	-	0%
Landfill Fund	\$ -	-	0%
SB-40 Fund	\$ -	-	0%
Senior Citizen Service Fund	\$ -	-	0%

ATCHISON COUNTY COMMISSION
SB-40 BOARD
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NOTICE

Residents may be without water for up to an hour Wednesday, August 11 through Friday, August 13, 2010, while old mains are tied into the new ones.

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Bryce Walker earns Eagle Scout Award



Seventeen year-old, Bryce Walker, Fremont, NE, recently earned his Eagle Scout Award. The Court of Honor to receive his award was held on May 8, 2010, in Fremont, at the First Congregational Church. Bryce is the son of Tim and Nina Walker, Fremont; and the grandson of Bill and Janice Walker, Fairfax. Bryce belongs to Troop 101 of Fremont.

Bryce's uncle, Todd Walker, who is an Eagle Scout, came from his home in Columbia, MO, to take part in the ceremony. Todd received his Eagle Award in Fairfax, from Troop 73, when Tom Miller and Lewis Vaught were the leaders.

The program for Bryce started with his uncle, Todd, giving the welcome and introduction. The invocation was given by Dean Gerdts, Assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 101. The colors were presented by Stephen Buckridge and flag bearers were Leo Schaffner and Brett Walker. *The National Anthem* was sung by Rebecca Cusick, a friend of the family. *The Pledge of Allegiance*, Scout Law and Oath were led by Stephen Buckridge. He explained the Scout law and meaning.

Todd Walker gave the Eagle Challenge to Bryce, and Scott Tharp, Scoutmaster of Troop 101, gave the Eagle Promise. Scoutmaster Tharp and his assistants, James Watt, and Dean Gerdts, presented Bryce his Eagle Scout Award. The assistant Scoutmaster Dean Gerdts presented a Boy Scout knife, he had received in 1948, to Bryce as a gift.

Bryce gave his response and parents, Tim and Nina,

gave their response, followed by the benediction by Dean Gerdts. It was closed with the retiring of the colors by Stephen Buckridge, Leo Schaffner and Brett Walker. A reception followed at the Isaak Walton Park.

Scouting is a wonderful program for young boys. Out of 100 boys who became Scouts, 30 will drop out in their first year. But later in life all of these will remember that they had been Scouts, and will speak well of the program. Of the 100, only rarely will one ever appear before a juvenile court judge. Twelve of the 100 will be from families who have no religious affiliation. Through Scouting, these 12 and many of their families will be brought into contact with a church and will continue to be active all their lives. Six of the 100 will enter the ministry.

Each one of the 100 will learn something from Scouting. Almost all will develop hobbies that will add interest throughout the rest of their lives. Many will serve in the military. At least one will use it to save another person's life, and many will credit it with saving their own life. Only two of the 100, will reach the rank of Eagle. Many will find their future vocation through merit-badge work or Scouting contests. Seventeen of the 100 will later become Scout leaders and will give leadership to thousands of additional boys. Only one in four boys in America will become a Scout, but it is interesting to know that of the leaders of the nation in business, religion and politics, three out of four were Scouts.

Bryce received many cards and his project was to redo the playground and equipment at Isaak Walton Park. So, everyone saw his eagle project by going to the reception. Those who attended the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker, Fairfax; Bill Draper, Kansas City, MO; Todd Walker, Columbia, MO; and about 50 friends and Scouts of Fremont. Bryce is working this summer at Walmart as a cashier.

Make sure to see the rip-roaring musical, "Thoroughly Modern Millie", in its last weekend at the Liberty Theater



LYNN HUNTER OF ROCK PORT, MO - Portrays Millie Dillmount in the Liberty Theater production of "Thoroughly Modern Millie". The last performances of the rip-roaring musical will take place this weekend, August 6-8, 2010.

Liberty Theater's summer production of "Thoroughly Modern Millie", a 2000 musical by Richard Morris, Dick Scanlan and Jeanine Tesori adapted from the 1967 Universal Pictures film starring Julie Andrews, is coming to an end. The last performances of the show will be held this weekend,

August 6-8, 2010. The Roaring Twenties jazz-filled musical is set in New York City. Millie Dillmount's ambition to find work as an office stenographer for a wealthy man, and then marry him is "thoroughly modern" for the 1920s.

The tap dance-filled show, under the direction of Dono-

van Jones, made its debut last weekend at the Liberty Theater in Rock Port. The show was a hit! The talented Atchison County performers entertain attendees through a few hours of singing, dancing, and acting. The musical also invokes intense laughter from the crowd. The singing talents of Lynn Hunter, Cody Johnson, Erica Taylor, Tim Bolton, and Malisa Linthicum (as well as the rest of the cast); combined with the tap dancing (choreographed by Annie Schmerber; Lynn Hunter, Shannon Boyer, and Katie Stevens); and the comedy (which is apparent throughout the play, but especially when Deb Johnson, Kyle Buhman, and T.J. Gidding take the stage) is a fantastic combination that keeps the audience members on the edge of their seats. The talent doesn't stop at the edge of the stage. Several local musicians provide the music and set the tone of the musical. Director Jones directs the orchestra while also playing the piano. The combined efforts of all, with the help of the costume designers, set designers, lighting and sound personnel, managers, ticket takers, ushers, cooks and servers, make for a show-stopping performance that must not be missed! The performance is so astounding that people will want to see it more than

once. Millie Hurst of Tarkio has seen it five times!

Cast members include: Lynn Hunter as Millie Dillmount; Cody Johnson as Jimmy Smith; Malisa Linthicum as Miss Dorothy Brown; Deb Johnson as Mrs. Meers; Tim Bolton as Mr. Trevor Graydon; Erica Taylor as Muzzy Van Hossmer/Stenographer; T.J. Gidding as Bun Foo; Kyle Buhman as Ching Ho/Police Officer/Dexter; Annie Schmerber as Miss Flannery; Tiana Jones as Ethel Peas/The Pearl Lady/Stenographer; Krystal Brown as Ruth/Dorothy Parker/Stenographer; Katie Stevens as Lucille/Matilde/Stenographer; Shannon Boyer as Rita/Rhonda/Daphne/Stenographer; Molly Carpenter as Gloria/Maid/Stenographer; Tina Rebel as Alice/New Modern; Dawn Lawson as The Letch/George Gershwin/Stenographer; and Millie Hurst as Mama.

Showtimes this weekend are Friday, August 6, at 7:30 p.m. Dinner theater serving time on Saturday, August 7, is at 6 p.m. with showtime at 7:30 p.m. The matinee on Sunday, August 8, is at 2:30 p.m. Call to make your reservations now, 660-744-5599! Tickets are \$15 for each show, with an additional \$10 charge for the dinner on Saturday nights.

Concealed carry endorsement class to be offered September 11 and 12

The Atchison County Sheriff's Office will sponsor a Concealed Carry and Firearms Safety Training Course Saturday, September 11, 2010, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Velma Houts Fair Building, 200 E. Hwy. 136, Rock Port, MO, and Sunday, September 12, 2010, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the shooting range near Rock Port.

Included in the training will be a live-firing exercise, a live-fire test, firearm safety, information about firearms and ammunition, marksmanship, gun-handling techniques, and the presentation of Missouri law related to concealed carry, unlawful use of weapons, and justifiable use of force.

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First place- First place was awarded to this entry with Mason Brandt, seated on the mower, in the Kid's Parade Vehicle division at the Craig Summerfest Parade on Saturday, July 24. Also pictured is Tyler Brandt, left.

Craig Summerfest Parade results

The 2nd Annual Craig Summerfest Parade was held on Saturday, July 24.

Kid's Parade winners

Costumes: First - Kody Browning, son of Ken and Karen Browning.

Pets: First - Emily Stephens, daughter of John and Shelly Stephens; and second - Tori Titus, daughter of Karie and David Allen.

Vehicles: First - Mason Brandt, son of Donnie and Brenda Brandt; second - Turner, Reed and Ashlyn Jackson, children of Rodney and Samantha Jackson; and third - Victoria Peters, daughter of Russel and Doris Peters.

Parade winners

Antique cars: First- Mick Finnel, 1948 Ford; and second - Jerry Zembles, 1954 Mercury.

Classic Vehicles and Tractors: First - Chris Zembles, 88 Oliver Tractor; second - Larry Wright, 1966 Farmall 656 Diesel; and third - Cody Helfers, Farmall H Tractor.

Church Floats: First - Nazarene Church, Kingdom Kids Farm; and second - Sharp Grove, Pioneers for Jesus.

Business and Political: First - Girl Scout Troop 8363, Getting Down on the Farm; and second - Colton Flint, Have Potty, Will Travel.

Horses: First - Horse Creek Ranch Crew, Justin Rother, Clay Bevering, Amy Farmer and Willie Richie; and second - Sarah Hall, Rex Blazer and Zach Kahle.

Grand Prize Float: Girl Scout Troop 8363.

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