



# Kansas Forest Service names new state leader



Current State Forester, Larry Biles, shakes the hand of the future State Forester, Jason Hartman in front of the Kansas Forest Service sign.

Jason Hartman, the assistant fire management officer for the Kansas Forest Service for the past 15 years, has been named the new state forester for the agency, effective Dec. 29.

He succeeds Larry Biles, who served as leader since 2008. Biles' recent retirement marked the end of a distinguished career in forestry that spanned four decades.

The Kansas Forest Service serves Kansas citizens with such programs as conservation tree and shrub

planting, fire management, community forestry, rural forestry, marketing and utilization and forest health.

Hartman will lead a staff of 30 employees located in the agency's headquarters on the Kansas State University campus in Manhattan, as well as several local and district offices across the state.

In his previous role, Hartman led an effort to assist local fire departments, schools and other organizations to educate the public about wildfire hazards

through such programs as Smokey Bear and Firewise USA, which is sponsored by the National Fire Protection Association.

Among other duties, he was coordinator of the Kansas Prescribed Fire Council, and has supervised 30 part-time fire protection specialists in Kansas who are available at a moment's notice to respond to fire emergencies in Kansas or nationally. He has helped train fire departments in Kansas to conduct wildfire hazard assessments,

and assisted landowners to reduce wildfire hazards while maintaining a natural setting.

"Larry Biles leaves behind a legacy of service that will be a challenge to live up to," said Hartman, adding that he feels confident in "the talented staff at KFS who will continue to expand our legacy of service to the people of Kansas."

For more information about the Kansas Forest Service, visit <https://www.kansasforests.org>.

## Kansas Corn Corps Class 4 members announced, hold first session

Kansas Corn kicked off the first session of Kansas Corn Corps Class 4 recently at Rock Springs Ranch near Junction City. Ten young farmers have been chosen for Class 4 of the professional development program.

Kansas Corn created the program in 2016 as a way for young farmers to network, learn more about the corn industry, build networks with other farmers and industry professionals and develop new business skills that can benefit their own operations. In total, 32 young farmers have completed the Kansas Corn Corps program and continue to be active with Kansas Corn.

"Kansas Corn invests in our young farmers' personal and business development through this program," said Stacy

Mayo-Martinez, Kansas Corn industry relations director. "The Corn Corps participants will walk away from all three sessions with skills they can put back into their operations and are introduced to opportunities to get engaged in various ways to move the corn industry forward."

The focus of the three-day session was welcoming the new participants, building an understanding of their strengths, understanding their roles as young farmers and learning more about the state, national and international corn industries. The program consists of four sessions that take place over a 16-month period.

Corn Corps member Madison Mackley, Oakley said she gained a lot of knowledge in the first Kansas Corn Corps session.



The ten members of Kansas Corn Corps Class 4 gathered for their inaugural session recently at Rock Springs Ranch near Junction City.

"It was an insightful weekend info more of what Kansas Corn can do for me as a consumer, a grower and as an association member," she said. "I learned a

lot about myself and how to navigate difficult situations that can occur in a

family operation."

This program is funded by the Kansas Corn Growers Association and the Kansas Corn Commission. It is offered at no cost to KCCGA members under the age of 45 who play active roles on their farming operations. Learn more at [ksccorn.com/corncorps](http://ksccorn.com/corncorps).

The Kansas Corn Corps Class 4 participants are listed below with their names, farming operations and hometowns.

Amy and Mathew Elliott, Hiawatha  
Cate Galligan, Ingalls  
Jenny Goering, Galva  
Brett Grauerholz, Republic  
Madison Mackley, Oakley

Evan Porter, Fredonia  
Zach Vincent, Long Island

Alex and Karlee Vosburgh, Macksville

## Kansas Commodity Classic to be held on January 24 in Manhattan

All Kansas farmers are invited to the Kansas Commodity Classic on Friday, January 24, 2020.

The Kansas Commodity Classic is the annual convention of Kansas' top crops - corn, wheat, grain sorghum and soybeans, and will take place at the K-State Alumni Center, Manhattan, with registration and breakfast beginning at 7:30 a.m. Thanks to the generous support of the Kansas corn, wheat, grain sorghum and soybean associations and our sponsors, registration is free for farmers and friends.

The Kansas Commodity Classic will be emceed by Greg Akagi, farm director for WIBW. The morning session will open at 8:30 a.m. with welcome remarks.

Lt. Governor Lynn Rogers will kick off the event with an update from the Kansas Governor's office.

John Feldt, Founder and President of Blue Water Outlook, will provide a weather outlook. Blue Water Outlook provides a wide variety of information to help provide informed decisions for farm management. Blue Water Outlook is focused along two primary areas of emphasis:

## 2020 Topeka Farm Show kicks off January 7,8,9

A strong commitment to creating a marketplace for the latest agricultural innovation for the farmers and ranchers of Kansas has yielded success for the Topeka Farm Show. Going

strong for 31 years, the Topeka Farm Show will be January 7th, 8th, and 9th, 2020 at the Stormont Vail Events Center.

The 2020 Topeka Farm Show has over 600 booths manned by over 260 vendors, and plans to grow even bigger in 2021! Renovations to the Stormont Vail Events Center (formerly the Kansas Expocentre) are under way, and the new expansion will add almost 100 new booths! During the construction about 30 booths have been moved from Expo Hall to Domer Arena, so make sure to visit all three areas.

There's a lot happening at the 2020 Topeka Farm Show. Scott Daily will return with his Horse Training Clinics. Come attend his twice daily seminars and watch him train unbroken horses and discuss his techniques. This year's grand prize is sponsored

by Midland Genetics. The winner will take home 16 units of Midland Genetics Seed Corn. There is a drawing in Domer Arena, hosted by Hoyt's Truck center for a MAXXD G4X Gravity Tilt Single Axle Trailer. You can register by finding the Hoyt's Truck Center booth in Domer Arena.

Shawnee County Farm Bureau and Osage County Farm Bureau have organized wellness information and tests for attendees of the farm show to take advantage of: biometric screenings with Hy-vee Mobile Clinic; information on sleep apnea provided by Apria Healthcare; and well water nitrate testing at the Shawnee and Osage County Farm Bureau booth in the Atrium.

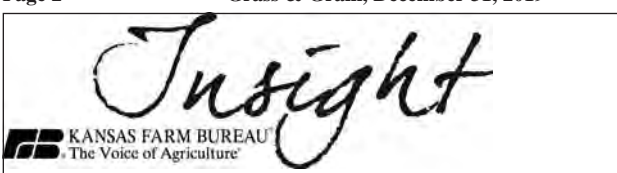
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Now in its 31st year, the Topeka Farm Show will feature more than 260 vendors in over 600 booths. It will be held January 7,8, and 9 at the Stormont Vail Events Center.

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## Safe Journeys

By Greg Doering,  
Kansas Farm Bureau

While I'm still on the south side of 40, I recently took one of my final steps toward the mile marker of middle age. Yes, my midsection is a little flabbier and my hair is a little grayer – what's left of it anyway. But the biggest wound to my pride happened over the summer in a used bookstore.

I was pleased to find one of Lee Child's Jack Reacher novels until I made my way to the checkout. The young man behind the counter spied the title and said, "My grandpa loves these books." His tone didn't imply his grandfather and I shared years of wisdom and refined taste.

As sad as it is to admit, I probably have more in common with the grandfather than I do with the young man in his early 20s at best. This is especially true when it comes to safety.

With the encouragement of an older brother and access to the great outdoors, my childhood was full of risk taking. We'd also splash through creeks and scramble over the banks. There were trees to climb, crawdads to trap and other creepy, crawly critters to catch.

While not quite feral children, we were largely oblivious to the risks posed in running wild through the countryside. We received explicit and repeated safety lessons for guns, fireworks and, eventually, our first four-wheeler. Now is the time of year when ATVs and UTVs might show up under a Christmas tree or you see something at a farm show that would fit right into your operation.

I couldn't have been much

older than 7 when I took my first ride. I'm pretty sure I grumbled at having to put on a helmet. I know I bristled at having to stay in the yard when there were acres of space to zoom through. But those early restrictions gave way as I got older.

When I lost the helmet, it wasn't replaced. There was no intermediate four-wheeler. I went from a child-sized one to the adult version in a few years' time. I clearly remember seeing a sticker on one ATV cautioning against operators younger than 16 – I was probably 11 or 12.

I'm sure all sorts of reasoning was involved in allowing me to operate the larger machine. I had proven myself responsible by not maiming myself on the smaller one. I was using it to work cattle, not recreation.

In many ways this reasoning was correct. It wasn't until I was older, with the full arrogance of my youth on display, that I had my first accident. Zipping across a pasture on the four-wheeler, the front two tires sank into a washed-out cattle path sending me over the handlebars. Luckily I escaped with just a few bumps and bruised pride.

Looking back though, it reinforces just how quickly accidents happen. They're unintentional, and usually avoidable. I had driven through that pasture countless times and had developed a false sense of confidence. That often happens when something seems routine.

We have to stop and remind ourselves that nothing in agriculture is routine. Over the past decade, Serita Blan-

kenship, Kansas Farm Bureau's safety and ag education manager, has recorded 14 fatalities on ATVs, UTVs and dirt bikes for people engaged in agricultural activities. That number doesn't include recreational riders, and injuries are vastly underreported.

The chances of a fatal accident are remote but very real. "It's a lottery you don't want to win," Blankenship says.

Rollovers are the most common cause of crashes on ATVs, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). That's also the theme connecting the youngest and oldest victims in Kansas since 2010.

A 10-year-old girl was riding on an ATV when it slipped at the edge of a pond, rolled and pinned her underwater. The oldest fatality, an 86-year-old man, was helping burn pasture when his ATV rolled off a dam. He succumbed to his injuries days later.

Life is full of risks, and while there's no way to neutralize every danger, there are lots of ways to mitigate the probability of injury or death while using ATVs and UTVs on your operation. Helmets, eye-protection, long pants and boots help ensure safe operating, in addition to added protection in case of an accident. Use caution when navigating hazards such as trees, rocks, ruts and washouts. Terrain and weather can change quickly. Also, vehicles can only carry one person per seat.

While I've already admitted that I haven't always followed these precautions, one of the few perks of getting older is telling people to do as I say, not as I do.

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I don't know about the rest of you, but I have never been so happy to see a year end in all my life. 2019 is kind of like the cow that is a man-eater when she calves, is hard to catch and constantly out. It is almost a relief the day you take her to the sale barn. Yes, 2019 was that way for me, and I know it was that way for most of you reading this column.

It seemed like I went into January last year way behind and out of sorts. Then we had the stretch of wet, nasty, cold weather like I have never experienced before. Lambing and calving were like no other year I have ever had and hopefully we don't see the likes of it again, ever. I lost more calves and lambs in a month than I had in the last four years prior and that was about the toughest time I have ever gone through. Physically I still have aches and pains from slogging through the mud and slipping on the ice. My feet still protest when I try to put them in Muck Boots.

Just when it looked like we had made it to spring and the worst was behind us, it started to rain. The last of my hay disappeared as quick as the tops of my boots. The small window of dry weather demanded that we choose between getting the cows out to pasture and planting corn. The lack of hay made the decision easy. That pushed corn planting to the time we should have been planting soybeans and soybean planting into haying season.

This summer was the haying season from... well, it was bad. The conditions were tough, and the hay was even tougher. The only good thing I have to say about my haying season is that it is over, and I have plenty of hay. Not a lot of good hay, but if I run out this year, we are all in trouble. The best thing to come out of haying season was my new baler. I can't tell you what kind or where I got it because I am working out an endorsement deal. I don't think an endorsement in exchange for my repair bill is a bad deal.

This fall the weather and my life finally straightened out and I would guess that many of you would say the same thing. For the first time in two years I

feel like I am not very far behind and almost caught up. Now if we would just get the markets to straighten out and prices up, life would be good again and farming and ranching would be a lot more fun.

That all gives me much more optimism for 2020. We don't know what the weather will be like, a friend of mine said he would be happy with an average year. I reminded Joe that the average is just the middle in between the two extremes and the weather in Kansas is never average. Aside from that I feel like I am much more prepared for the upcoming year and I can better handle what Mother Nature throws my way.

I enter 2020 with the hope that we have hit rock bottom in our markets and that the coming year will bring trade agreements and higher prices. I know that is optimistic, but often that is all we have in agriculture and it is what keeps us going. I am not sure what the upcoming year will bring us, but I look forward to the challenges that come my way.

Yes, 2019 was a rough year and one that we will look back on for a long time to come. My guess is I will tell my grandkids about the winter of nineteen with more fondness than I describe it right now. They say what doesn't kill you makes you stronger and if you are reading this, 2019 didn't kill you, so ultimately you are better for it. I know personally we learned and made changes based on some of the problems we had in the past year.

I am excited about the new year and the new decade. I think we are on the verge of good times in agriculture again and the best is yet to come. I look forward to 2020 being the start of those good years and I wish all of you the best in the upcoming year. My wish for all of you is this. May the rain come at the right time, your livestock give birth in the daylight, the temperatures be seasonal and your decisions the right ones. Most of all I hope the upcoming year finds you with family and friends and you are at peace. Let's make 2020 a year to remember for all the right reasons.



Well friends, another year is drawing to a close. Most would probably says it's been a year of highs and lows, blessings and challenges – pretty much like every other year. For some the highs have been higher and for others, the lows lower. That seems to be the way with this crazy thing we call life.

God willing, we will bring my husband home from rehab this Saturday. That we weren't injured worse or even killed in our accident will rate high on our list of things to be thankful for from 2019.

As I look ahead to the next year, it's time to come up with my year-

ly motto. From "Say less and pray more in 2004" to "On God I will lean in 2019," I've had sixteen years worth of mottos to try to live each year by. Most I can remember, but a few have slipped through the cracks of my middle-aged memory. Honestly, I'm looking forward to not trying to rhyme anything with "teen" ever again.

So 2020, here we go. This one is easy – "With God I have plenty in 2020." While it may sound trite, there are many ways it can be applied. When it comes to the "stuff" we humans seem to love to accumulate, I'll stop and take a deep breath before pull-

ing out my wallet for yet another purchase. God has provided everything I need and more, I just need to take time to slow down and enjoy what I already have. In the realm of human relationships and interactions, while I am richly blessed by my wonderful family and amazing friends, I want to deepen my relationship with my Creator. In Him I have plenty.

In the coming year, I hope you, my dear readers, have peace and joy, strength for the trials that will inevitably come for each of us, and a deep, abiding faith that with God, we truly have plenty in 2020.

## River Valley Extension District plans Lease Survey Meeting

Please join River Valley Extension District on Monday, January 6, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. in the 4-H Building on the NCK Free Fair Fairgrounds (901 O Street, Belleville) for the 2019 River Valley District Lease Survey Meeting.

K-State Research and Extension will be presenting the results of the 2019 River Valley District producer and landowner survey conducted in November of 2019. This is the eighth year of the survey where the District asks both ag producers and landown-

ers from across the District to tell them about their pasture leases, crop ground leases, and employee pay rates. They invite two survey participants from every township in the District to get a good cross-section of results. A number of other groups, such as the River Valley Extension Ag Program Development Committee and the NC Kansas Extension Farm Management Associations members, were invited to participate as well. This is the first year the survey could be completed

on-line, so all local producers and landowners had the opportunity to complete the survey by that means.

The January program will consist of a number of presentations relating to lease arrangements. Brett Melton, Livestock Production Agent for the River Valley District, will present on pasture rental rates, grazing density, fencing responsibilities, and problem weed species. John Forshee, District Director, Farm Management, and Community Vitality Agent for the River Valley District, will present on employee pay rates and other benefits they receive. Forshee and Melton will also discuss the latest rental rates on crop ground, custom operation rates (i.e. fertilizer application, planting, bailing), and grazing cropland. The featured speaker will be Dr. Mykel Taylor, Farm Management Specialist at K-State University. Dr. Taylor will give updates and insights on land values and rental rates of the State.

The meeting will be about an hour and a half. Refreshments and cookies will be served. There is no fee to attend and no pre-registration is needed. For more information on the lease survey meeting or any lease issues contact Brett Melton at 785-243-8185, bmelton@ksu.edu; or John Forshee at 785-632-5335, jforshee@ksu.edu.



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# Corn Production Schools scheduled around the state

K-State Research and Extension, in partnership with Kansas Corn, is hosting six one-day Corn Production Schools at locations across Kansas this winter.

Three Corn Management Schools will be offered in early January 2020 in Montezuma, Parsons and Wichita. Three will be held in February in Oakley, Salina and Olathe. Each school is free to attend and will provide in-depth training targeted for corn producers in those regions.

The overall theme of this year's schools is "Maximizing Advancements in Your Operation."

"The schools will cover a number of issues facing corn

producers in each region including Farm Bill options, weed control, insect resistance, fertility management, disease management and late-planting seasons. These events have a long-standing tradition and reputation in offering a solid set of topics of great relevancy to our corn growers across the state of Kansas," said Ignacio Ciampitti, associate professor and corn specialist in the K-State Department of Agronomy.

Kansas Corn Director of Industry Relations Stacy Mayo-Martinez said the theme across the schools is about helping participants move forward into the new decade and discuss key issues

with a variety of speakers, including other farmers.

"At the corn schools, we will feature farmers from each area who will talk about how they are maximizing advancements in their operations and looking toward finding success in tomorrow's production agriculture," Mayo-Martinez said. "At each school, we will also give an update from Kansas Corn on our 2020 priorities and our market development goals going forward into this new decade."

A complimentary lunch will be served at each school. CCA credits and commercial pesticide credits will be available where applicable. Participants are asked

to pre-register before Jan. 3 for the January schools and before Feb. 4 for February schools. Online registration is available at [kscom.com/corn-school](http://kscom.com/corn-school). Participants can also register by phone by calling Kansas Corn at 785-410-5009 or by contacting their local K-State Research and Extension office.

Registration for each school is at 8:30 a.m. with welcome remarks to begin at 9:00 a.m. and adjourn at approximately 2:00 p.m. More information about each school, including agendas, is available online at [kscom.com/corn-school](http://kscom.com/corn-school). The dates and locations are:

Jan. 7: Montezuma, Hy-

Plains Feedyard (optional Corn-Fed Beef Seminar to follow), 7505 U.S. Hwy 56

Jan. 8: Parsons, K-State Southeast Research and Extension Center, 25092 Ness Rd.

Jan. 11: Wichita, Sedgwick County Extension Office, 7001 W 21st St.

Feb. 3: Oakley, Buffalo Bill Cultural Center, 3083

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Feb. 5: Salina, Hilton Garden Inn, 3320 S. 9th St.

Feb. 15: Olathe, John Deere Ag Marketing Center, 10789 S Ridgeview Rd.

For more information, contact Ciampitti at [ciampitti@ksu.edu](mailto:ciampitti@ksu.edu) or 785-532-6940; or Mayo-Martinez at [smayo@ksgrains.com](mailto:smayo@ksgrains.com).

## Sen. Moran applauds increased international food aid funding in FY2020 ag appropriations bill

U.S. Senator Jerry Moran, co-chair of the Senate Hunger Caucus and member of Senate Appropriations Committee – released the following statement applauding the funding levels of the FY2020 Appropriations package for international food aid:

"As a member of the Appropriations Committee, I work to prioritize funding for our international food aid programs and I was pleased to see that both the McGovern-Dole International Food for Education and Child Nutrition Pro-

gram and the Food for Peace Title II Grants received increases in funding to further their missions and assist in reducing global food security.

"This is an issue in which the morally correct thing to do is also what's in the best interest of our country. By continuing to invest in Food for Peace, McGovern-Dole and other international food aid



programs, food grown by U.S. and Kansas farmers will save lives around the world and

reduce conflict by promoting greater social and economic stability."

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**By Sonia Cooper, Extension Agent: Nutrition, Food Safety and Health, River Valley Extension District**

The New Year is approaching, and I encourage you to have a fun, healthy, and active event. Consider the following tips:

- Add activities to get people moving and interacting.
- Festive foods are eye-catching. Fun shapes or a garnish made a dish pop!
- Make ice cubes with 100% juice or added fruit for flavor.
- Savor each bite. Add some flavor with a cultural favorite.

- Alongside party food favorites, have fruit kabobs, vegetable trays arranged for the party theme, and simple swaps like offering whole-grain crackers.
- Let's dance! Get people up and moving with party games or dancing.
- Sneak in healthier options with simple ingredient swaps or try a new recipe.
- Keep it simple – that can save a lot of stress! Ask guests to bring a favorite food or have them plan party games. Don't forget to get the kids involved!
- Shop smart to fit your budget. Make a list and shop grocery sale

ads for savings. Don't forget coupons or the store ap for extra savings.

- Be an example for healthy habits. The kids are watching.

Have a safe, healthy, fun and active celebration! Happy New Year to all from, Sonia Cooper, Nutrition, Food Safety and Health Agent in the River Valley Extension District. If you have any questions, please contact Sonia, by emailing srcooper@ksu.edu or by calling 785-632-5335.

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## OLD-FASHIONED SUGAR COOKIES

Sugar cookies, peanut blossoms, orange cookies, peanut butter balls... All of these are favorites that line Grandma's kitchen counter every Christmas season. After all of the festivities, they go back in their containers to sit in the back closet for whenever grandkids come up to visit in the next few days and want a sweet snack! While this isn't her exact recipe, it's still oh, so good! It came from a 1958 "Complete Christmas book," but has been changed somewhat. Now, instead of 3 to 4 hours of chill time, it's been reduced to 35 minutes!

Cookies:

- 1 cup (2 sticks) butter, softened
- 1 1/2 cups sugar
- 3 eggs
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 3 1/2 cups flour
- 2 teaspoons cream of tartar
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon salt

Icing:

- 1/2 cup (1 stick) butter, softened
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2-3 cups powdered sugar
- Water



To start, cream together the butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Add the eggs, one at a time. Stir in the vanilla and then add the dry ingredients.



Once you have everything mixed together well, wrap the dough in plastic wrap and place in the freezer for 30 minutes.



On a lightly floured surface, roll the dough out to 1/4-inch thick. Cut with cookie cutters and then

place on a greased cookie sheet. Stick the cookie sheet in the freezer for 5 minutes. Bake at 375 degrees for 6 to 8 minutes.



After cookies have cooled, mix together the butter and vanilla for the frosting. Gradually add in the powdered sugar and water. The amount of water you'll need will vary based on how thin you like your frosting. Separate the frosting into thirds and add in some red and green food coloring.

Frost the cookies and sprinkle. Let the frosting set up and enjoy!

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## Laundry Basics – True or False About Treating Tough Stains

**By Nancy Nelson, Meadowlark Extension District, Family Life**

While it's always recommended to treat clothing stains as quickly as possible, some stains are just so tough (grass, ink, blood, grease, etc.) that it's even more important to pre-treat them right away advises the American Cleaning Institute®. It's always best to test a hidden area of the fabric first, in case the fabric is too delicate. Also, if you haven't al-

ready tried enzyme detergents, get one. They are specially formulated to break down the proteins that are in most stubborn stains.

True or False? You should wait for mud to dry before you try and clean it. TRUE: After it dries, brush off as much as you can, use gentle detergent and water to rub the fabric, and wash in an enzyme detergent.

True or False? A dull knife can be useful in stain removal. TRUE:

Before working on a stain for things like wax or syrup, first use a blunt knife to remove any excess.

It's also not a bad idea to keep a to-go stain remover stick in your purse, car or bag in case you aren't near a washer.

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# ASI students participate in undergraduate research symposium

A total of 36 undergraduate students presented posters during the Kansas State University Animal Sciences and Industry Undergraduate Research Symposium on

Tuesday, December 17. The symposium, hosted in Weber Hall on the K-State campus, highlighted ASI undergraduate research for the fall 2019 semester.

This year's symposium and the Undergraduate Research Awards distributed following the event were sponsored by the Dr. Mark and Kim Young Undergraduate Research Fund in Animal Sciences and Industry.

Four students were awarded \$1,000 scholarships based on a combination of their scientific abstract, poster and presentation of data. Winning the scholarships were Nicole Stafford, Sunnyvale, Texas; Jenna Kibler, Edinburg, Virginia; Macie Reeb, Lawrence; and Kylie Perez, Norton.

Undergraduate research is an opportunity to perform in-depth study, gain transferable skills, develop critical thinking and problem-solving abilities, define academic and professional interests, and form relationships with mentors, professors, and other students. The



Shown are the Kansas State University Department of Animal Sciences and Industry 2019 Fall Undergraduate Research Symposium participants.

program gives students the opportunity to work with ASI faculty and graduate student mentors on a project that is rewarding and helps them prepare for their next goals.

Undergraduate research helps students understand the value and constraints of data. Whether they go on to graduate school, return to the ranch

or venture into industry, these students will use data every day to make decisions. An undergraduate research experience helps them understand how to value that data during the decision-making process and will help make them more successful animal scientists.

Summary of the students' projects and mentors:

Kendra Christman – Alpha-1-Acid Glycoprotein as a Biomarker of Feed Intake in Transition Dairy Cows – Dr. Barry Bradford

Paige Cote – Study of Eukleena Anti-Tumor Factor-Dependent Granulopoiesis – Dr. Masaaki Tamura

Jay Henry – Effect of Fumonisin Contaminated Corn on Growth Performance and Sa:So Ratio in 20- to 60-lb Nursery Pigs – Applied Swine Nutrition Team

Emily Hudson – Effect of Forage Type on Cecal and Fecal Microbiome in the Horse – Dr. James Lattimer

Madelyn Mushrush – Effects of Production Systems on Pork Eating Quality – Dr. Travis O'Quinn

Jaymi Peterson – Impact of Lesser Grain Borer (LGB) on Sorghum Phenolics, Bioactivity, and Other Grain Quality Aspects – Scott Bean

Darian Springfield – Investigation of Serum Copeptin in Diabetic Dogs – Dr. Thomas Schermerhorn

Sam Whitten – Artificial Intelligence Can Identify Bees in Images Using Machine Learning – Dr. Brian McCornack

The undergraduate research meat science course focused on the effects of hide-on vs. hide-off fabrication

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This photo by Robin Dicks of Marion captured first place in the Landscapes category of the Wild About Kansas photo contest, sponsored by Kansas Wildlife and Parks magazine.

## 2019 Wild About Kansas photo contest winners announced

The newest issue of Kansas Wildlife And Parks Magazine will be dedicated to photos illustrating Kansas, including those taken by winners of the seventh annual Wild About Kansas photo contest. Photographers of all skill levels and ages submitted photos to compete for top spots in one of five categories and were judged on creativity, composition, subject matter, lighting, and sharpness. A total of 27 images made the final cut and will be featured in Kansas Wildlife And Parks Magazine's 2020 photo issue set to be mailed in January.

Submission categories included wildlife, outdoor recreation (not hunting or fishing), landscapes, other species (typically subjects that aren't mammals or birds), and hunting and fishing. Results from

the 2019 photo contest are as follows:

### ADULT

**Wildlife** – 1st: David Birmingham, Derby; 2nd: David Kiger, Pratt; 3rd: Marilyn Friesen, Inman

**Outdoor Recreation** – 1st: Mark Alexander, Newton; 2nd: Mary Mejia, Olathe; 3rd: Kelly Nachtigal, Newton

**Landscapes** – 1st: Robin Dicks, Marion (pictured); 2nd: AJ Thomas, Shawnee; 3rd: Sheryll Marks, Wellington

**Other Species** – 1st: Jennifer Wagner, Spring Hill; 2nd: Mary Mejia, Olathe; 3rd: Chris Koster, Valley Center

**Hunting and Fishing** – 1st: AJ Thomas, Shawnee; 2nd: Donna Fletcher, Kingman; 3rd: Joe Lucas, Littleton, Colo.

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**Wildlife** – 1st: Johanna

Walker, Franklin; 2nd: Josie Parsons, Leavenworth; 3rd: Kylie Rankin, Oxford

**Outdoor Recreation** – 1st: Nathan Knapp, Seneca; 2nd: Adria Nelson, Garden Plain; 3rd: Lucas Dedonder, Abilene

**Landscapes** – 1st: Cayley Lindsey, Abilene; 2nd: Kylie Rankin, Oxford; 3rd: Max Callahan, Abilene

**Other Species** – 1st: Brea Carroll, Alma; 2nd: Stephen Knapp, Seneca; 3rd: Dan Jones, Abilene

To purchase a copy of the 2020 photo issue or to subscribe to *Kansas Wildlife And Parks* Magazine, call (620) 672-5911 or visit /ksoutdoors.com/Services/Publications/Magazine.

Details on the 2020 contest will be made available on ksoutdoors.com this spring.

## ASI students participate in undergrad research symposium

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of goat carcasses on collagen content of primal and Asian consumer acceptability. Students developed abstracts and posters as part of the course requirement. Researchers were Connor Callahan, Colin Chun, Joshua Dugan, Helen Giefer, Ana Loret, Brooke McNickle, Scotney Reichenberger and Haelea Sharp.

The beef cattle undergraduate research class focused their research on time of rest after receiving and prior to processing on dry matter intake, growth and vaccine response in feedlot heifers during the receiving period. Researchers were Catherine Boudreaux, Zachary Buessing, Alexandra Crawl, Hayley DesCoteaux, Sarah DeVader, Kimmi Doran, Michael Dowd, Jessie Hobbs, Jenna Kibler, Halle Kloefkorn,



Elaine LaRoche, Rowdy Murray, Kyndall Norris, Shelby Ohlde, Kylie Perez, Macie Reeb, Madelynne Roney, Makayla Russell, Taylor Siburt and Nicole Stafford.

In March, 10 K-State undergraduates will go on to present their research at the Midwest American Society of

Animal Science Meeting in Omaha.

Undergraduates interested in learning more about the ASI research program, or those interested in sponsoring the program, can contact Dr. Cassie Jones, Coordinator of Undergraduate Research, at 785-532-5289 or jonesc@ksu.edu.

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## Nutrient Management & Soil Health Workshop

Thursday, January 23, 2020 from 9:45 am - 2:15 pm

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Time: Doors open @ 9:00 am - Workshop begins @ 9:45 am FREE Lunch Served @ Noon

→ Dr. Dorivar Ruiz-Diaz, KSU Professor - Soil Fertility and Nutrient Management

- Soil sampling and what nutrients to test for.
- Manure Management

→ Dr. Nathan Nelson, KSU Professor - Soil Fertility and Nutrient Management

- Cover Crops and 4R Management to conserve soil and water quality.

→ Tyler Warner, District Wildlife Biologist with Ks Dept. of Wildlife, Parks & Tourism

- Precision analysis - identifying "red acres" and a look at programs to put them in the "black" increasing profitability and habitat.

→ Programs & Funding sources - discussion on funding options available to Producers

- NRCS (EQIP), FSA (CRP), State Cost-Share, Delaware & Middle Kansas WRAPS and Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks & Tourism

RSVP required for lunch, call Brian Boeckman at the Jackson County Conservation District at: (785) 364-3329 ext.136 or email [brian.boeckman@ks.nacdnet.net](mailto:brian.boeckman@ks.nacdnet.net) by **January 14th, 2020**.  
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<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Registration &amp; exhibits</b>
<b>9 a.m.</b>	<b>Welcome</b>
<b>9:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Kansas Soybean Commission partner updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>USA Poultry &amp; Egg Export Council</li> <li>Animal Agriculture Alliance</li> </ul>
<b>10:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Keynote address – Comedienne Leslie Norris Townsend</b>
<b>11:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Luncheon</b> (limited seating in Heritage Hall) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Master of ceremonies – <b>Steve Scott</b>, KKOW-AM 860</li> <li>Featured speaker – Kansas Secretary of Ag <b>Mike Beam</b></li> <li><b>Awards &amp; recognitions</b>, including 2020 Young Leaders</li> <li>Kansas Soybean Association Annual Meeting</li> </ul>
<b>1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Kansas Soybean Yield &amp; Value Contests results</b>
<b>2 p.m.</b>	<b>K-State Research &amp; Extension updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>"Getting to the Root of the Problem: Managing Sudden Death Syndrome in Kansas" – <b>Chris Little, Ph.D.</b>, associate professor of plant pathology</li> <li>"Cover Crops for Integrated Weed Management" – <b>Sarah Lancaster, Ph.D.</b>, weed-science specialist</li> <li>"Kansas Farm Finance" – <b>Allen Featherstone, Ph.D.</b>, head of agricultural economics</li> </ul>
<b>3:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Special update – David Schemm</b> , state executive director, USDA Farm Service Agency
<b>4 p.m.</b>	<b>Reception</b> Meet Kansas Soybean Association & Kansas Soybean Commission leaders <a href="https://KansasSoybeans.org/expo">https://KansasSoybeans.org/expo</a> • 877-KS-SOYBEAN (877-577-6923)

**Preregister by Dec. 31, 2019, to guarantee your seats at lunch & be eligible for the early-bird prize drawing.**

The Kansas Soybean Expo is a project of the Kansas Soybean Association, the voice & advocate for Kansas' 16,000 soybean farms, with checkoff funding from the Kansas Soybean Commission.



Kansas corn producers are invited to the third annual Kansas Corn Symposium to celebrate the accomplishments of Kansas Corn and look to the future on topics including ethanol, trade and research. The Symposium will be held on Jan. 23 at the K-State Alumni Center in Manhattan. All corn producers are welcome to attend the symposium which is hosted by the Kansas Corn Commission and Kansas Corn Growers Association.

The event will begin at 1:30

p.m. with the Kansas Corn Growers Association (KCGA) Annual Meeting where association members will weigh in on policy priorities, elect board members for northwest, north central and northeast districts, and receive timely state and national policy updates.

The Symposium will focus on Kansas Corn's efforts to build markets for corn in all forms including efforts to build relationships and markets with Mexico, a key trading partner. A panel will feature Mexican Consul Alfonso Navarro-Bernachi as well as representatives from the U.S. Grains Council and the U.S. Meat Export Federation Mexico offices.

Attendees will hear about

efforts being made to expand ethanol availability across the state as well as efforts to support science education in Kansas schools through the Kansas Corn STEM program. Kansas Corn will celebrate the completion of Class 3 of the Kansas Corn Corps young grower program and Class 2 of the Collegiate Academy. The winners of the second annual Kansas Corn Yield Contest will be honored, followed by a networking social with research partners.

The keynote speaker at dinner will be Naomi Blohm, Senior Market Advisor at Total Farm Marketing by Stewart-Peterson, Inc. The recipients of 2019 Next Generation Scholarship and winners of the Kansas Corn Challenge will be recognized. The evening will conclude with recognition of the Kansas Corn Impact Award winners.

Registration is free, thanks to support from our sponsors. Growers are asked to register for accurate meal counts at [kscorn.com/symposium](http://kscorn.com/symposium) or by calling 785-410-5009.

#### Risk Management Workshop Prior to Symposium on Jan. 23

Kansas Corn is offering the Kansas Corn Risk Management Workshop beginning at 8:30 a.m. and wrap up at 1 p.m. before the beginning of the Corn Symposium. The goal of the workshop is to provide resources and guidance for growers to establish their risk management plans or evolve the plans they already have in place. Growers interested in building their risk management skills will hear from Senior Market Advisor Naomi Blohm with Total Farm Marketing by Stewart-Peterson Inc. in the opening session. They will participate in two

breakout sessions focusing on topics including building and advancing risk management plans, how to use crop insurance and marketing tools in risk management planning and more. An expert panel will discuss risk management topics over lunch. Those wishing to attend the workshop are asked to register by Jan. 16, 2020 at [kscorn.com](http://kscorn.com).

#### Kansas Commodity Classic Is Jan. 24

Farmers who participate in the Kansas Corn Symposium on Jan. 23 are encouraged to stay to attend the Kansas Commodity Classic which takes place at the K-State Alumni Center the next day. The Kansas Classic is the annual convention of Kansas corn, grain sorghum, soybean and wheat associations. Learn more about this event and register at [kansascommodityclassic.com](http://kansascommodityclassic.com).

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# Women in Agriculture meetings to be held around Kansas

On farms large and small across the United States, the number of women making the decisions is growing. Against

that backdrop and especially in view of the current struggling farm economy, Kansas State University will host a

four-part series of workshops focused on helping women sharpen their farm financial management skills.

Across the Wildcat Extension District, there will be three meeting locations: Sycamore Township Hall, Southeast Research & Extension Center in Parsons, and the Community Building in Hepler. Hopefully, one of these locations will be suitable for anyone wishing to take part in the program. There are a couple of scholarships available at each of these locations, sponsored by Community National Bank and Trust. If you or someone you know is interested in participating and would like to discuss the option of the scholarship, please give Wendie Powell a call at 620-784-5337.

More than 25,500 women are decision makers on Kansas farms. They farm more than 14 million acres, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Census of Agriculture. Overall, in 2017, 36% of all agricultural producers across the country were women, up from 31.5% in 2012. Fifty-six percent of farms had at least one female decision maker.

"Women in agriculture will be specifically targeted for these workshops," said Robin Reid, a farm economist with K-State Research and Extension. "They tend to be an underserved demographic, but many times are doing the books or recordkeeping for the operation. By teaching them skills necessary to turn farm records into financial statements, and then using those statements to make assessments and management decisions, farm women can increase the profitability and sustainability of their operations."

The K-State Research and Extension program will run as a series, so each evening

session builds on material from the previous sessions. Participants register at a cost of \$40 for the entire four-session series. The fee covers all meals and program materials. The sessions, all on Wednesdays, are Jan. 15, Jan. 22, Jan. 29 and Feb. 5, 5:30 to 8:30 pm and offered in 31 locations around the state through a combination of broadcasted keynote and local speakers.

Local K-State Research and Extension agents will serve as hosts for the program and also facilitate the hands-on activities and discussions. Dinner will be served at each location to start each of the four sessions.

For more information, including a list and contact information for all participating sites, visit [www.AgManager.info](http://www.AgManager.info) under the Events page. Registration is available online or by contacting the local host site location. For questions, contact Wendie Powell

at 620-784-5337.

"The downturn in the farm economy in recent years has highlighted a need for more education in farm financial management, specifically focusing on debt/asset relationships, cash flow management, financial analysis and benchmarking," said Winsor, a farm analyst for K-State Research and Extension and farm wife.

There are many Women in Agriculture programs across the state, she said, but none that combine a state-level program with the convenience of 31 locations where networking and small group learning can occur. As many as 500 are expected to participate.

"The model of having webinar components mixed with local activities to reach a wider range of farm women was a wonderful idea for farm financial risk management education here in Kansas," Reid said.

## conference

MU Extension, K-State Research and Extension, University of Nebraska Extension and USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service. Speakers include faculty from MU, University of Nebraska, and Kansas State University, as well as cattle producers and representatives from NRCS and cattle companies. Sessions include:

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## AUCTION

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 2020 — 10:00 AM

Auction will be held in Kenwood Hall at the Saline Co. Expo 900 Greeley in SALINA, KS

**CROCKS, ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES**

CROCKS inc.: (Red Wing 5 gal self drain jar w/lid big wing; 3, 4 & 5 RW jugs; 3, 4, 5 beehive jugs w/wings; 2, 6, 10, 12 crocks big wing; 3 & 5 Elephant ear crocks w/oval; 3 gal birch leaf churn; 5 & 6 birch leaf ski oval; 2 & 3 Birch leaf churn ski oval; 5 & 6 blue leaf salt glaze; dark brown top jug bottom mark; 4 Hires crock mugs; 3 bailed crock big wing; sponge bowls w/adv; Mason mini jar; stacking jar; RW drinking fount; KO Rec feeder; Western brown top 5 jug; Yale Mustard jar; Fulper bottom mark Mercury jug; 2 salt glaze Malcomb Pottery; bottom mark frown handle jug; 2 elephant ear crock bottom mark; assortment of other good crocks; Coca Cola door push; house door w/etched elk glass; 3 stain glass windows; assortment door hardware; short drop regulator clock; Seth Thomas clock; Miller painted lamp; amber hobnail

Parker Box fount lamp; Toys (Tinker Toys; paper dolls; Daniel Boone rifle; cap gun; tin doll head; Krazy-lkes; tin train; Jolly Jack in Box w/box; wicker doll buggy; wood blocks; comic books; board games); wicker doll buggy; dress form; copper coal hod; wash boards; wood egg case; cast iron level; Hunting Club whiskey bottle; wooden duck; Nourse & Dr Hess tins; kitchen utensils; 1933 & 36 Kansas tags; typewriters; Remington ammo box.

**Note: This is a very quality collection of crocks. We have added other very nice collectibles. Check our web site for pictures at [www.thummelauction.com](http://www.thummelauction.com).**

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## AUCTION

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12, 2020 — 10:00 AM

Auction will be held in Kenwood Hall at the Saline Co. Expo 900 Greeley in SALINA, KS

**FURNITURE**

Oak 4 stack bookcase w/desk; oak hall seat; lions head photographer chair; oak curved glass china cabinet; Limbert signed rocker; 42" oak 5 leg table w/6 leaves & 5 chairs; fancy 1860's rosewood jewelry table w/inlay; wicker tea cart; 1890 burl mahogany game table; burl mahogany drop leaf parlor table; Victorian marble top parlor table; 3 oak ice boxes; oak highboy; mahogany highboy; oak 2 door wardrobe; oak pulpit from Enterprise church; mahogany 20's bed; wicker tea cart; handmade pine 4 door 5 drawer cabinet; pine 2 door cabinet; pine parlor table; walnut handmade cradle; oak drop leaf table; cedar chest; camel back trunk; dining table & buffet; marble double sink; wood radio; high chairs; iron bed; treadle sewing machine; 20's sofa table; school desk; Melrose Oak 215 parlor stove; Estate Active 206 stove; 3 floor lamps; other furniture; Modern furniture: Henedon couch; Thomasville dining table w/leaves; cane couch; other

household furniture most like new.

**COLLECTIBLES**

Singer featherweight sewing machine; oak fret work; bronze Deco lady; Brunswick table phonograph; Crock inc: (Western water cooler; 40 gal birch leaf; 12 gal Red Wing; 15 gal birch leaf); signs: (S-kelly; Texaco; Pepsi; Coke; BPS; other); rooster windmill weight; Hires root beer wooden dispenser; assortment good pictures; Army saddle; oak wall telephone; Briggs tobacco keg; Art glass vase; Roseville vase; cake stand; leaded glass light fixture; oil lamps; dolls inc: Pollyanna; child wicker rocker; 50's rocking horse; Dazey 60 churn; Aladdin lamp; Crate amp; linens; carriage cast iron door stop; Mission French doors; leaded & stain glass windows; lion & elephant cast iron banks; vintage towel racks; architectural salvage; door knobs; barb wire collection; granite pieces; cast iron 219 & 718 skillets; Purple Power bottle; 78 records; sheet

music; sewing machine drawers; water cans; wash tubs; buckets; laundry/shopping cart; McPherson county atlas; mannequin; ephemera; assortment pictures inc: litho's; deer; girl & dog; camp stool; wooden ladders; linens; lace; doilies; Tonka truck; wooden blocks; pickle jar; Bissell sweeper; pickle jar; chain bucket; branding irons; small anvil; anvil vise; Railroad inc: (UP bell; 3 UP lanterns; Pullman caboose lamp; UP flair holder; UP oil can; 1944 UP map; 4 stop lights; signal light; spike drivers; picks); buffalo skull; twin cylinder Maytag engine; hames; wrenches; 1 ton chain hoist; Hoosier cast iron seat; 3 buzz saw blades; porcelain yard lights; 2 man & ice saws; forge w/Lancaster blower; assortment other collectibles.

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Online only auction (bidding opens Dec. 27; soft closes Jan. 2) — Selling lots from closed Gt. Bend Store including commercial glass cutter, ornate fencing, windmill decor, outdoor fireplace, hose reels, garden supplies, elec. trimmers, planters, bathroom fixtures & supplies, sports chairs, glassware, kitchen-ware, Sentry fire safe file & more held at <https://hollinger-auction.hibid.com/auctions/current> for Ag Pride Resources Auction #2. Auctioneers: Hollinger Auction, Jim & Mary Hollinger.

Sealed Bid Real Estate (deadline for bids is January 10) — Farm real estate including 160 acres m/l Wolf River Township, Doniphan County, KS from the Barbara L. Craft Revocable Trust by Barbara L. Craft.

January 4, 2020 — Tractors, cars, trucks, trailers, sprayer, ATVs, lift, skid steers & attachments, equipment, generator, livestock equip., show equip., hay & misc. held at Effingham for consignments. Auctioneers: Hoffman Auction Service.

January 4, 2020 — 5 hit & miss engines on trucks, Maytag engines, pitcher pumps, wash tubs, tools, collectible & 200 coins held at McPherson. Auctioneers: Kevin Krehbiel.

January 4, 2020 — Signs, dolls & collectibles, rare Weller 18" sunflower console w/Kingfisher frog, toys, Christmas items, pictures &

more held at Salina for Bob Thorup & Marjorie Thorup Estate. Auctioneers: Thummel Real Estate & Auction, LLC.

January 5, 2020 — Furniture, showcases, signs, crocks, tins, toys & collectibles held at Salina. Auctioneers: Thummel Real Estate & Auction, LLC.

January 11, 2020 — Truck, trailer, carpenters tools, coins, stamps, sports cards, 100s advertising memorabilia, collectibles, embossed, porcelain, tin, aluminum, plastic signs, petroleum pint, quart, gallon, 2 1/2 & 5 gallon cans, 100+ toys, Longaberger baskets & more held at Lawrence for Steve Meyer Estate (Eudora) and Waneta D. Turner Estate (Baldwin City). Auctioneers: Elston Auctions.

January 11, 2020 — Crocks, antiques & collectibles held at Salina. Auctioneers: Thummel Real Estate & Auction, LLC.

January 12, 2020 — Furniture, collectibles, baseball collection held at Salina. Auctioneers: Thummel Real Estate & Auction, LLC.

January 15, 2020 — 470 acres m/l of Pratt County, KS farmland selling in 3 tracts held at Pratt for Jerome & Diane House. Auctioneers: Hamm Auction & Real Estate, LLC.

January 18, 2020 — Selling four farms, 660 acres m/l in Washington & Marshall Counties held at Hanover for The Heirs of Emil & Lila Krause. Auctioneers: Ray-

mond Bott Realty & Auction.

January 18, 2020 — 178.5 acres m/l of Marshall County farmland & cropland acres held at Frankfort for Richard & Leslie Laws. Auctioneers: Midwest Land and Home, Jeff Dankenbring, listing broker; Mark Uhlik, broker/auctioneer.

January 19, 2020 — Selling guns, tools, household & much more at Osage City. Auctioneers: Wischropp Auctions.

January 20 (Monday), 2020 — Selling 100 acres m/l in 4 tracts located North of Osage City held at Osage City for Elizabeth Schiller. Auctioneers: Miller & Midyett Real Estate, Wischropp Auctions.

January 25, 2020 — Signs & advertising including thermometers, clocks, globes & more; tools, 1958 Ford child's electric car made in Kansas

City 3 years; go cart race car, Speedwagon derby car, '20s pedal car; Ford 100 lawn tractor with blade & more held at Salina for Nelson Brougher Estate. Auctioneers: Thummel Real Estate & Auction, LLC. January 25, 2020 — Selling tractors, truck, trailers, hay & farm equipment, sprayer & much more held North of Overbrook for Erik & Amanda Finch. Auctioneers: Wischropp Auctions.

January 25, 2020 — 466.72 acres m/l in Logan, Walnut & Marysville Townships, Marshall County land: Tract 1: cropland, CRP, pasture, meadow, yard, creeks, waterways, machine sheds & 1 1/2 story house; Tract 2: farmland, native grass pasture held at Marysville for Paul Holle Trust. Auctioneers: Donald Prell Realty & Auction, LLC.

January 25, 2020 — 237.40 acres m/l of Washington County cropland held at Linn for Dianne Brooks. Auctioneers: Midwest Land & Home, Mark Uhlik, Jeff Dankenbring.

January 25, 2020 — 157.2 acres m/l of Washington County prime farmland held at Barnes for Taylor/Pistorius

**NOTICE: LAND AUCTION**  
**MONDAY Evening , JANUARY 20, 2020 — 7:00 PM**  
**Auction Location: WISCHROPP AUCTION FACILITY, 930 LAING ST., OSAGE CITY, KS (just east of Sonic Drive-In on HWY 31)**  
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**LAND AUCTION**  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 2020 — 2:00 PM**  
**Barnes Fire House — BARNES, KANSAS**  
**157.2± ACRES WASHINGTON COUNTY LAND**  
**Legal Description:** NE 1/4 Sec. 27 Twp. 04S Rng. 05E 6th P.M.  
**Tract Description:** This gently rolling farm is approximately 80% in production with primarily Crete and Mayberry soils, considered prime farmland. There is approximately 37 acres of wheat planted this fall which the buyer will receive the landlords (40%) share. All other ground is open to spring crops.  
**CRP:** 13.73 acres \$1,139 annual payment. Expires: 10/1/2023. Sellers approx. 80% share to transfer to new owner.  
**DCP Cropland:** 126.25 acres  
**Base Acres:** Wheat 42 Acres Yield 35 Bu.  
Grain Sorghum 70.50 Acres Yield 90 Bu.  
**2019 Tax Information:** \$2,699.00  
**Property Location:** From the corner of Hwy 9 & Hwy 148 (approx. 1/2 mile East of Barnes KS) go South on All American Rd. 1 1/2 miles to 8th Rd. then East 1 mile. This is the Northeast corner of the property.  
**Listing Broker's Notes:** *This quarter section of ground offers good soil types with the ability to add more quality acres of farmland. The diversity of the farm (Cropland, CRP, hay meadow) would help diversify the income stream for an operator or investor. This is a good quality property that has been well taken care of. Don't miss this great opportunity to expand your portfolio or land holdings. Contact me direct with any questions you have on this great Washington County Kansas property. Mark Uhlik, Broker - 785.747.8568*  
**Terms & Possession:** 10% down day of the sale, balance due at closing on or before Tuesday, February 25, 2020. Sellers to pay 2019 taxes. Title insurance, escrow and closing costs to be split equally between buyer and seller. Possession subject to tenants rights. Possession of the wheat ground will be after the 2020 wheat harvest. All other ground will be March 1 2020. Property to be sold as-is, where-is. All inspections should be made prior to the day of the sale. This is a cash sale and is not subject to financing, have your financing arrangements made prior to auction. **Midwest Land and Home is acting as a Seller's Agent and represents the seller's interest.** All information has come from reliable sources; however, potential buyers are encouraged to verify all information independently. Statements made the day of sale take precedence over all other printed materials.  
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January 30, 2020 — Antiques collectibles, household held at Concordia for Anna Townsdin & Dean Townsdin Estate. Auctioneers: Thummel Real Estate & Auction, LLC.

February 1, 2020 — Consignment auction held at Axtell for Axtell Knights of Columbus.

February 8, 2020 — Production sale at Leavenworth for J&N Ranch.

February 17 (Monday), 2020 — 2,571 acres m/l of NE Geary County & W. Wabau-see County land consisting of pastureland, hayland, tillable farmland & excellent wildlife habitat held at Manhattan for A. Leroy Fechner Estate. Auctioneers: Cline Realty & Auction, LLC.

March 7, 2020 — Judd Ranch 42nd Gelbvieh, Balancer, & Red Angus Bull sale held at Pomona for Judd Ranch.

March 14, 2020 — Equipment, trucks & salvage held at New Cambria for Don Janssen Estate. Auctioneers: Reynolds Auction Service.

April 11, 2020 — Fink Beef Genetics Spring Angus and Charolais Bull Sale held at Randolph.

**LAND AUCTION**  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 18, 2020 — 10:00 AM**  
**American Legion Cabin — FRANKFORT, KANSAS**  
**178.5± ACRES MARSHALL COUNTY LAND**  
**This Incredible property offers some highly productive bottom ground soil types and CPH reports showing excellent average yields over the past several years.**  
**Property Location:** On the southwest of the intersection of Hwy. 9 & Hwy. 87 just north of Vliets. From Hwy. 99 & Hwy. 9 Intersection North of Frankfort travel East on Hwy. 9 3.5 miles. Property is located on the South side of Hwy. 9 and West of Hwy. 87.  
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**LAND AUCTION**  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 2020 — 10:00 AM**  
**Linn American Legion — LINN, KANSAS**  
**237.40± ACRES WASHINGTON COUNTY LAND**  
**Legal Description:** E2 SW4 & SE4 LESS ROW, S13, T04, R02, East of 6th Principal Meridian.  
**TRACT 1:** Approximately 228.9 acres, with 141.17 DCP cropland acres. This tract has a good mix of High quality farmland, hardwood bottoms and hay meadows. Excellent opportunity to obtain additional cropland acres.  
**Base Acres & PLC Yields:** Wheat: 42.20 acres Yield 56; Grain Sorghum: 59.50 acres Yield 123; Soybeans: 30.00 acres Yield 44.  
**TRACT 2:** Approximately 8.5 acres, includes a 2-bedroom 1-bath home with hardwood floors, wood burning fireplace, rural water, natural gas and many other amenities. There is a 50x96 pole shed, garage and other usable buildings. A survey of this tract will be conducted should tracts 1 and 2 sell separately. Survey cost to be split equally between buyer tract 2 and seller.  
**TRACT 3:** Tract 3 will be a combination of Tracts 1 & 2.  
**2019 Tax Information:** \$4,116.00  
**Property Location:** 1271 9th RD, Linn, KS 66953. From Linn: Corner of Osage & 8th Rd (Norms Service Station) go 3 miles West to Liberty Rd then 1 mile North to 9th Rd this is the Southeast corner of the farm.  
**Listing Broker's Notes:** *Have you always wanted to live in the country? Tract 2 has a good solid home on approximately 8.5 acres with additional outbuildings. Tract 1 offers quality farmland featuring Muir, Crete and Longford soils all top producing soils, all considered prime farmland. Properties that offer all these qualities located this close to town are RARELY, IF EVER AVAILABLE. Contact us direct with any questions you have on this AWESOME Washington County Kansas property. Jeff Dankenbring - 785.562.8386 or Mark Uhlik - 785.325.2740*  
**OPEN HOUSE/PROPERTY TOUR: Wed., Jan. 15, 1-3 PM**  
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**AUCTION**  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 2020 — 10:00 AM**  
**Auction will be held in Kenwood Hall at the Saline Co. Expo 900 Greeley in SALINA, KS**  
**SIGNS, DOLLS & COLLECTIBLES**  
Oak 4 section stack 80 drawer cabinet from court house; **Signs** inc: (Whippet & Willys-Knight parts double sided; Pontiac Authorized Service; Pennzoil on cast iron base; porcelain Gulf; several collectible porcelain Mobil Pegus signs left & right, flanged, neon; Pi-oneer; beer signs); cast aluminum White Eagle; assortment **Texaco** items inc. (sign on cast iron base; cans, many other pieces); Wood River glass gas globe; **advertising** inc: (Shirley Temple Royal Crown ad; Rato Stop Leak; Chevrolet items; Bacardi sign; Phillip Morris ads; many other advertising pieces); Mobil oil jar; Victory items; celluloid tape measures inc: (ship, pig, turtle, teddy bear, many other very good); Champion Spark Plug Service machine; **pedal vehicles** inc: Casey Jones train, fire truck, 60's pedal car; Art Deco bridge lamp; **rare Weller 18" sunflower console w/Kingfisher frog, both bottom marked;** several Carnival glass pieces inc.: table sets; German bowl; Chez vases; Waconda Springs plate; Lawrence Neb sponge advertising bowl; Chez glass; assortment Royal Copley; 1919 Geo Jackson Lebanon plate; Smith Center plates; glass basket; assortment other glass; Budweiser steins; beer advertising; pr. blue dresser lamps; **Dolls** inc: (Shirley Temple doll & paper dolls; Terri Lee; Buster Brown store display; 10" A&M 390 needs restrung; 2 dolls fashioned by Addie Meyer; Buddy Lee; Campbell Kids; Skookum; bisque; china; vinyl; composition; tin head; china; Anne Lee; Santa & Mrs. Claus; bisque open & shut eye; 4' Dance With Me; flapper; Far-rah Faucett; Barbie; small dolls; 20 half dolls; doll brushes); Lennon Sisters comics, sheet music; Lawrence Welk signed picture, trays; Blondie doll stroller; doll buggy; doll dishes; doll trunks; rare John Deere reindeer; **Toys** inc: (Chevrolet Road Rally set; Marx electric train; Prehistoric Playset in box; Hot Wheel speed wheel; Hot Wheels; Coast Defense gun in box; Cootie game; Etch A Sketch, other games; plastic cowboy & Indians; McDonald toys); Hallmark Kiddie cars; large collection **Christmas** inc: (Coke Santa w/bottle; silver deer stocking holders; decorations, many other pieces); Hal-loween items; cookie jars (Little Red Riding Hood; 2 faced bear, cow, bunny, chick); Jaco Black boy alligator bottle opener; **Pic-tures** inc: (Bull signed Murphy; yard long ladies; silhouette; yard long OU Norman Ok; Roy Rogers; several others); Roy Rogers Dale Evans lunch box; Charlie Weaver bartender; Spuds Mackenzie light; collection teddy bears; pattern back sewing rocker; collection chalk string holders; state spoons; Jewel T malted milk; Michael Jackson belt; car banks; cast iron Indian door stop; movie posters; jewelry cabinet; shadow boxes; John Deere items; Walt Disney items; Lone Ranger items; wooden boxes inc banana; unusual wire stretcher; oil cans; horse hitching posts; sad irons; Ford wrench; Keen Kutter & Superior-Deshler pliers; large assortment souvenir items; assortment oil cans; JD planter box; 1888 Signal lights book; Corvette magazines; assortment child's books; comic books; TV Guides; many Chevrolet manuals & many other paper items; 1977 C M Russell calendar; stamp collection; Lodge ribbons Lebanon, Ks; Smith Center items; weather vanes; child's chairs; belt buckles; very large assortment of other good advertising & collectibles.

**AUCTION**  
**SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2020 — 10:00 AM**  
**Auction will be held in Kenwood Hall at the Saline Co. Expo 900 Greeley in SALINA, KS**  
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# BAXTER BLACK

ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE

## Thumbs Up

I confess to not owning a tractor. I have plenty of friends nearby with tractors. But in a lapse of good judgment I borrowed one to brush hog a patch of weeds. Experienced farmers, even an eight-year-old farm kid, know that you always drive a tractor thumbs up. I didn't remember.

As I was farming around I managed to hit a post with the front wheel. The steering wheel spun like a helicopter blade and jammed my protruding thumb! It swelled up so big it wouldn't fit through the neck of a quart jar.

I only mention this humiliating self-inflicted injury because Dr. Willis sent me a scientific report regarding wound response in plants. It said, in effect, that localized injury in

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you're fixin' to stab yourself with the pistol-grip syringe again, or you've just set yer hair on fire with the branding iron like you did last year.

So you would think that through experience, if nothing else, the body would learn to be more careful.

I confess to not owning a roping arena. I have plenty of friends nearby with roping arenas. Four days after I had stove my thumb on the tractor, I was roping at a friend's. Even a novice trail rider with a law degree knows when you dally you always keep yer thumbs up. I didn't remember.

I managed to double hock a speedy little steer, set my horse, go to the horn and catch that same thumb under a coil. It peeled a square foot of skin off the outside and mashed the tip till it looked like the paddle on a butter churn. It turned black, now when I put my hand in my pocket it looks like I'm packin' a roll of silver dollars.

But all is not lost. It has occurred to me that since the injuries were both crop and livestock related, something good could still come from my misfortunes. So I have submitted my swollen digit for consideration as Poster Thumb for the "Diversified Farming Movement."

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# U.S. senator files Real MEAT Act

Legislation to codify the definition of beef and uphold truthful labeling on alternative protein products is now introduced in both chambers of Congress. Recently Sen. Deb Fischer of Nebraska introduced the Real MEAT (Marketing Edible Artificials Truthfully) Act as a companion bill to H.R. 4881, which was introduced in the House of Representatives in October.

"Consumers want to know what is in their food, and rightfully so," said Paul Defoor, TCFA chairman. "There are a number of fake products on the market that claim to be meat, when in fact, they are the furthest thing from real meat."

"Americans love beef, so it's not surprising that fake products would try to ride the coat tails of beef's popularity, but consumers deserve more than deceptive labels. They should be confident that, when they buy a product labeled meat, it's actually meat. Furthermore, food labels should be honest and accurate, and these bills will ensure that consumers have the right information to make their own decisions."

The bills would establish a federal definition of beef that applies to food labels. They also preserve the congressional intent of the Beef Promotion and Research Act that was signed into law as part of the 1985 Farm Bill. Section (3) of that bill clearly defined the terms "beef" and "beef products," and although these terms were codified in 1985, they don't apply for labeling purposes. The Real MEAT Act would fix that.

Second, the bills affirm the misbranding provisions that are already on the books. These provisions were put in place over 50 years ago to prevent consumer confusion, and that intent has not changed.

Third, the bills strengthen enforcement of mislabeling laws. Currently FDA, the agency that oversees plant-based proteins, does not enforce mislabeling until a product has already come to market. This is, in part, because FDA does not require the approval of labels on foods under their jurisdiction before they hit the shelves. The Real MEAT Act would change that by requiring FDA to notify USDA, in writing, when they determine a product is mislabeled. If FDA does not take enforcement action within 30 days, the Secretary of Agriculture can step in and take action.

"Beef is derived from cattle — period," Fischer said. "Under USDA, beef undergoes a rigorous inspection and labeling process, but plant-based protein products that mimic beef and are sometimes labeled as beef are overseen by the FDA instead. These products are not held to the same food safety and labeling standards as beef. The NCBA has been a leader on this issue, and I am thankful for their strong support of the Real MEAT Act, which will protect consumers from deceptive marketing practices and bring transparency to the grocery store."

# Farmers & Ranchers AUCTIONS EVERY MONDAY & THURSDAY

**Selling Cattle every Monday**  
**Hog Sales on 2nd & 4th Monday of the month only!**

RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK TOTALED 424 CATTLE & 62 HOGS.

### SOWS

6 wht	Abilene	561@19.00	1 blk	Peabody	1195@49.00
2 mix	Jewell	553@23.00	2 blk	Salina	1325@48.00
2 mix	Hillsboro	540@22.00	1 blk	Durham	1285@47.00
4 wht	Abilene	549@17.00	1 blk	Marquette	1335@45.00
7 wht	Abilene	500@16.00	4 mix	Lorraine	1195@45.00
			1 blk	Bennington	1320@45.00
			2 blk	Marquette	1233@44.00

### COWS

2 blk	Peabody	1405@57.50	1 blk	Marquette	1235@44.00
3 blk	Bennington	1408@57.00	1 blk	Ellsworth	1175@43.00
1 blk	Salina	1335@52.00	3 mix	Lorraine	1278@43.00

## EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR THURSDAY, JANUARY 2

- 120 strs & hfrs, black, homeraised, off wheat, longtime weaned, 650-850 lbs.
- 9 steers & heifers, homeraised, longtime weaned, 2 rds vacc, 550-800 lbs.
- 40 black steers & heifers, longtime weaned, 650-850 lbs.
- 90 blk strs & hfrs, 2 rnd vacc, poured, implant, weaned Oct 22, 550-700 lbs.
- 30 Red Angus steers, 60 days weaned, 400-500 lbs.
- 150 blk steers & heifers, longtime weaned, Irvine sired, 750-850 lbs.
- 50 blk strs & hfrs, homeraised, 2 rnd Fall vacc, 60 days weaned, 600-800 lbs.
- 220 blk strs & hfrs, weaned 45+ days, Fall vacc, sired Gardiner & Mosier
- 160 black steers, longtime weaned, 2 rds vacc, 575-650 lbs.
- 100 black heifers, longtime weaned, 2 rds, off wheat, 525-600 lbs.
- 30 steers & heifers, weaned, 2 rds vacc, 500 lbs.
- 28 steers & heifers, weaned 105 days, 2 rds, 650 lbs.
- 120 black steers, 800-900 lbs.
- 82 mix steers & heifers, homeraised, weaned 90+ days, 2 rds vacc, 750 lbs.
- 35 steers, red & black Angus, 45 days weaned, 600-700 lbs.
- 105 steers & heifers, 650-750 lbs., 60+ days weaned, 2 rnd fall vacc.
- 150 Angus steers, 550-700 lbs., long weaned, vacc.
- 25 Angus heifers, 500-700 lbs., long weaned, vacc, open
- 12 red & blk bulls, 500-600 lbs., weaned 75 days
- 83 steers & heifers, mostly steers, blk, 650-850 lbs., weaned, vacc.
- 65 steers & heifers, mostly steers, 650-750 lbs., weaned, vacc.
- 65 blk steers & heifers, 650-700 lbs., homeraised, weaned 45 days, vacc.

PLUS MORE BY SALE TIME.

## UPCOMING SALES:

**SPECIAL COW SALES: SALE STARTS at 11 AM**

- Tuesday, Jan. 21 • Tuesday, Feb. 18 • Tuesday, March 17
- Tuesday, April 21 • Tuesday, May 5

**WEANED/VACC. SALE: SALE STARTS at 11 AM**

- Tuesday, Jan. 7 • Tuesday, Feb. 4

## IN STOCK TODAY:

- Heavy Duty Round Bale Feeders

- 6'8" x 24' GOOSENECK STOCK TRAILER METAL TOP

- 6'8" x 24' GOOSENECK STOCK TRAILER

- 42' ROUND BALE DUMP TRAILERS

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## EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR TUESDAY, JANUARY 7 WEAN/VACC SALE:

60 blk steers & heifers, 500 lbs.; 35 steers & heifers, 400-700 lbs.; 40 steers, off cover crop, 700-800 lbs.; 6 blk steers, weaned 80 days, AI sired; 6 steers & heifers, 400-500 lbs.; 100 blk steers & heifers, home raised, 2 rd vacc, 60+ weaned, 550-700 lbs.; 35 CharX steers & heifers, 550-700 lbs.; 35 blk & CharX, 550-650 lbs.; 60 steers & heifers, wean Oct 1st, bunk broke, 750-850 lbs.; 40 blk steers & heifers, 600-800 lbs.; 50 mostly blk steers & heifers, 45 days & vacc, 450-650 lbs.; 75 blk steers & heifers, home raised, 2 rds, 60+ weaned, 450-650 lbs.; 14 blk steers & heifers, weaned 2 months, Spring & Fall vacc.; 35 blk & bwf steers & heifers, 550-750 lbs.; 45 steers & heifers, 700-800 lbs.; 50 blk steers & heifers, home raised, 500-700 lbs.; 100 blk steers & heifers; 70 steers & heifers, home raised, Simm/AngusX, 500-800 lbs.; 65 steers, 650-800 lbs.; 150 steers & heifers, home raised, mostly Green Garden sired, 650-800 lbs.; 150 steers & heifers, 550-700 lbs., home raised; 300 steers & heifers, 550-700 lbs.; 120 mostly steers, 45+ days, 550-750 lbs.; 184 steers, Dalebanks sired, off wheat; 220 steers & heifers, light end off grass, big steers off rye, 500-750 lbs.; 83 steers & heifers, 500-700 lbs.; 285 blk steers & heifers, 600-850 lbs.; 240 blk steers & heifers, 600-850 lbs.; 30 steers & heifers, 600-700 lbs.; 100 blk steers & heifers, 600-800 lbs.; 100 blk steers & heifers, 600-800 lbs.; 65 blk Sim/Ang, 800-900 lbs.; 110 mostly blk, 600-750 lbs.; 11 steers, 600-750 lbs., homeraised; 100 blk steers & heifers, 500-700 lbs.; 61 steers & heifers, home raised, Angus gtd open sired by Don Johnson bulls, 700 lbs.; 135 blk steers & heifers, home raised, 45 days weaned, 2 rds Fall, 550-700 lbs.; 225 blk steers & heifers, 550-800 lbs.; 140 steers & heifers, 500-650 lbs.; 85 steers & heifers, 700 lbs.; 40 blk/bwf steers & heifers, long time weaned, 500-700 lbs.; 90 Angus/CharX, 550-750 lbs.; 40 steers & heifers, 500-650 lbs.; 65 blk steers, 650-850 lbs.; 40 heifers, home raised, 700-800 lbs.; 44 steers & heifers, home raised, Angus & AngusXChar, running out, 550-600 lbs., a very nice run of home raised calves all weaned and ready to go!

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