

# Eichman resigns from Rock Creek Watershed Board after 33 years



Pictured is Jim (right) with a certificate of appreciation presented to him by the current chairperson of the board, Dennis Schwant.

James "Jim" Eichman, rural Westmoreland, was recently honored at the Annual Meeting of the Rock Creek Watershed District #45 for his 33 years of dedicated service to the District. Jim has stepped down from his position as a board member.

Mr. Eichman replaced a past member, Al Umscheid, in 1984. He was secretary for the board for many years. Jim also served on the State Association of Kansas Watersheds (SAKW) as a director from January 2003 to January 2013. It was a passion of his to contribute as a representative of the District and Kansas Watersheds.

# Grain industry awards \$25,500 in college scholarships

The Kansas Grain and Feed Association (KGFA) has chosen the following 19 Kansas high school seniors to receive college scholarships for the 2017-2018 school year:

- Jarod Deweese, Pratt - to study computer science at Kansas State University
- Monica Jirak, Kensington - to study biology at Pittsburg State University
- John Kennedy, Soldier - to study agricultural education at Kansas State University
- Bernadette Shaughnessy, Cimarron - to study mechanical engineering at Benedictine College
- Jayden Meyer, Athol - to study agricultural business at Kansas State University
- Ashley Devore, Ulysses - to study English/pre-law at Kansas State University
- Corey Heiman, Baileyville - to study accounting and finance at Kansas State University

- Payton Mauler, Great Bend - to study agronomy/agriculture at Fort Hays State University
- Oliver Schmitz, Axtell - to study agricultural technology management and animal science at Kansas State University
- Sidney Odle, Beloit - to study grain science and industry at Kansas State University
- Evan Tustin, Gove - to study mechanical engineering at Kansas State University
- Rachel Lavery, Shawnee - to study exercise science at University of Kansas
- Michaela Musselman, Clifton - to study animal science at Kansas State University
- Jenna Hennerberg, Hollenberg - to study accounting at Kansas State University
- Trevor Holthaus, Seneca - to study computer science/business at Kansas State University

- Anna Behrens, Norwich - to study animal science at Kansas State University
  - Chad Allender, Spivey - to study engineering technology management at Wichita State University
  - Sydney Gotlob, Girard - to study animal science at Kansas State University
  - Cameron Birney, Bucklin - to study sports broadcast at Dodge City Community College
- KGFA received 172 applications that were considered by an independent Scholarship Selection Committee made up of association members.
- This year, KGFA awarded one \$500 Dub & Inez Johnson Memorial scholarship, four \$1,000 KGFA scholarships and 14 \$1,500 KGFA scholarships.

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<p><b>With all contracts of live and feeder cattle going down the limit Friday, May 5 all classes of steers and heifers were selling on a weaker trend. Cull cows and bulls sold at fully steady prices.</b></p> <p><b>STEER CALVES— 375-550 LBS.</b></p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr><td>Tonganoxie 4 blk</td><td>446@180.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Waterville 4 Hereford</td><td>410@178.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Hoyt 5 blk</td><td>535@178.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Corning 10 blk</td><td>521@178.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Tonganoxie 6 blk</td><td>425@176.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Linwood 6 blk</td><td>481@170.00</td></tr> </table> <p><b>STEERS — 550-925 LBS.</b></p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr><td>Seneca 5 blk</td><td>582@164.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Enterprise 17 blk</td><td>598@163.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Oskaloosa 7 blk</td><td>567@160.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Hoyt 11 blk</td><td>633@158.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Manhattan 8 blk</td><td>658@155.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Corning 6 blk</td><td>645@154.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Onaga 10 Cross</td><td>566@153.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Enterprise 14 blk</td><td>688@150.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Manhattan 20 blk</td><td>742@147.75</td></tr> <tr><td>Junction City 5 blk</td><td>684@145.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Riley 9 blk</td><td>901@137.50</td></tr> </table> <p><b>HEIFER CALVES — 275-550 LBS.</b></p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr><td>Junction City 7 bwf</td><td>297@177.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Desoto 11 blk</td><td>423@163.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Tonganoxie 5 blk</td><td>399@154.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Alma 8 blk</td><td>480@153.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Oskaloosa 4 Cross</td><td>535@152.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Linwood 4 blk</td><td>482@151.50</td></tr> </table> <p><b>HEIFERS — 550-850 LBS.</b></p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr><td>Riley 12 Cross</td><td>567@147.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Seneca 7 blk</td><td>615@147.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Hoyt 10 blk</td><td>614@146.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Corning 9 blk</td><td>579@146.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Manhattan 7 blk</td><td>631@144.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Centralia 12 blk</td><td>660@140.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Reading 11 blk</td><td>613@140.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Enterprise 11 blk</td><td>592@140.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Havensville 6 blk</td><td>710@139.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Manhattan 12 blk</td><td>738@138.60</td></tr> <tr><td>Riley 40 Cross</td><td>687@138.25</td></tr> <tr><td>Riley 38 Cross</td><td>778@138.25</td></tr> <tr><td>Enterprise 10 blk</td><td>633@137.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Onaga 4 blk</td><td>788@136.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Blaine 5 blk</td><td>604@135.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Onaga 19</td><td>847@134.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Blaine 5 blk</td><td>809@134.00</td></tr> </table> <p><b>BULLS — 1,100-2,225</b></p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr><td>Tampa 1 Cross</td><td>1115@112.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Clay Center 1 blk</td><td>1135@98.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Manhattan 1 blk</td><td>1410@95.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Clay Center 1 blk</td><td>1590@94.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Clay Center 1 blk</td><td>1325@90.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Dunlap 1 blk</td><td>1940@89.50</td></tr> <tr><td>Wamego 1 blk</td><td>1465@89.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Dwight 1 Herf</td><td>2205@89.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Waterville 1 Herf</td><td>1995@89.00</td></tr> <tr><td>Wamego 1 blk</td><td>1710@88.50</td></tr> </table>				Tonganoxie 4 blk	446@180.00	Waterville 4 Hereford	410@178.00	Hoyt 5 blk	535@178.00	Corning 10 blk	521@178.00	Tonganoxie 6 blk	425@176.00	Linwood 6 blk	481@170.00	Seneca 5 blk	582@164.00	Enterprise 17 blk	598@163.00	Oskaloosa 7 blk	567@160.50	Hoyt 11 blk	633@158.50	Manhattan 8 blk	658@155.00	Corning 6 blk	645@154.50	Onaga 10 Cross	566@153.00	Enterprise 14 blk	688@150.50	Manhattan 20 blk	742@147.75	Junction City 5 blk	684@145.50	Riley 9 blk	901@137.50	Junction City 7 bwf	297@177.00	Desoto 11 blk	423@163.00	Tonganoxie 5 blk	399@154.00	Alma 8 blk	480@153.00	Oskaloosa 4 Cross	535@152.50	Linwood 4 blk	482@151.50	Riley 12 Cross	567@147.50	Seneca 7 blk	615@147.50	Hoyt 10 blk	614@146.50	Corning 9 blk	579@146.50	Manhattan 7 blk	631@144.00	Centralia 12 blk	660@140.50	Reading 11 blk	613@140.00	Enterprise 11 blk	592@140.00	Havensville 6 blk	710@139.50	Manhattan 12 blk	738@138.60	Riley 40 Cross	687@138.25	Riley 38 Cross	778@138.25	Enterprise 10 blk	633@137.50	Onaga 4 blk	788@136.00	Blaine 5 blk	604@135.00	Onaga 19	847@134.50	Blaine 5 blk	809@134.00	Tampa 1 Cross	1115@112.00	Clay Center 1 blk	1135@98.00	Manhattan 1 blk	1410@95.00	Clay Center 1 blk	1590@94.50	Clay Center 1 blk	1325@90.00	Dunlap 1 blk	1940@89.50	Wamego 1 blk	1465@89.00	Dwight 1 Herf	2205@89.00	Waterville 1 Herf	1995@89.00	Wamego 1 blk	1710@88.50	<p><b>Linwood 1 blk</b> 2085@88.00</p> <p><b>Leavenworth 1 blk</b> 1815@87.00</p> <p><b>Frankfort 1 Herf</b> 1655@67.00</p> <p><b>COWS &amp; 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**EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR MAY 12th**

2 Purebred LBW Angus bulls, 14 months old

3 Pure bred blk Angus bulls, 13 months old, all shots

25 blk, bwf & mix cows 4-6 yrs old. Several w/Angus sired calves by side, balance heavy Springers

20 choice Angus str & hfrs, 60 days weaned, 2 rds shots, 400-500 lbs

10 blk & bwf cows, SS. Several w/ Angus sired calves by side, balance heavy Springers

VISIT US ON THE WEB FOR DAILY CONSIGNMENT UPDATES AT [WWW.MCCLIVESTOCK.COM](http://WWW.MCCLIVESTOCK.COM)

FIELD REPRESENTATIVES									
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# Kansas Hay Market Report

Hay market activity moderate to slow; demand moderate to lighter for all classes of hay; prices steady. The U.S. Drought Monitor affirms that the abnormally dry (D0) category decreased to 11.61 pct, while moderate drought (D1) was eliminated. According to the NASS Kansas Crop Progress and Condition Report, top soil moisture rated 0 pct very short, 4 pct short, 70 pct adequate and 26 pct surplus. Subsoil moisture rated 1 pct very short, 10 pct short, 75 pct adequate and 14 pct surplus. Hay and roughage supplies rated 1 pct very short, 5 pct short, 86 pct adequate, and 8 pct surplus and alfalfa hay first cutting is 3 pct complete. If you have hay for sale, and/or need hay, use the services of the Internet Hay Exchange: [www.hayexchange.com/ks.php](http://www.hayexchange.com/ks.php).

## Southwest Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, ground/delivered steady, movement slow to moderate. Alfalfa: horse, small squares 240.00-250.00. Dairy, .75-.85/point RFV, Supreme 140.00-160.00, Premium 130.00-150.00, Good 115.00-145.00. Stock or Dry Cow alfalfa, 75.00-95.00, with an instance at 110.00. Fair/Good grinding alfalfa, 85.00-100.00. New crop grinding alfalfa 95.00-100.00. Ground and delivered locally to feedlots and dairies, 110.00-120.00, with an instance at 130.00. New crop ground and delivered 120.00-130.00. The week of 4/23-4/29, 10,401T of grinding alfalfa and 1,813T of dairy alfalfa were delivered. Grass hay: bluestem, large rounds 65.00-75.00. Brome: large rounds 55.00-65.00. Sudan: large rounds 40.00-45.00. Corn stalks, ground and delivered 70.00-80.00.

## South Central Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, ground/delivered and alfalfa pellets steady, movement slow to moderate. Alfalfa: horse, small squares 230.00-240.00, Dairy, .70-.80/point RFV, Supreme 140.00-150.00, Premium 130.00-140.00, Good 110.00-130.00. Stock cow alfalfa, 90.00-95.00. Fair/Good grinding alfalfa, 80.00-90.00. Ground and delivered locally to feedlots 100.00-110.00, an instance of 115.00-120.00. New crop ground and delivered 110.00-120.00. The week of 4/23-4/29, 3,887T of grinding alfalfa and 1,300T of dairy alfalfa were delivered. Alfalfa pellets: Sun Cured 15 pct protein 140.00-145.00, 17 pct protein 145.00-155.00, Dehydrated 17 pct 200.00-205.00. Grass hay: bluestem, mid and large squares 65.00-75.00, large rounds 60.00-70.00. Brome, mid and large squares, none reported, large rounds 75.00-80.00. Oat hay, large rounds 55.00-65.00. Sudan 60.00-70.00. Cane hay, large rounds 45.00-55.00. Corn stalks, ground and delivered 80.00-85.00. Straw large rounds 40.00-50.00, Straw, mid squares 50.00-55.00.

## Southeast Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, ground/delivered, grass hay steady, movement slow to moderate. Alfalfa: horse or goat, 210.00-220.00. Dairy .70-.85/point RFV. Stock cow alfalfa 90.00-100.00. Fair/Good grinding alfalfa 70.00-80.00. Ground and delivered, 80.00-90.00. Grass hay: bluestem, small squares 100.00-110.00. Good, mid and large squares 75.00-85.00, large rounds 50.00-60.00. Brome: small squares 130.00-135.00. Good, mid and large squares 90.00-110.00, large rounds 55.00-65.00. Straw, mid squares 50.00-60.00. CWF grass mulch 30.00-40.00.

## Northwest Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa and ground/delivered

steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: horse/goat, 180.00-190.00. Dairy, Premium/Supreme .80-.95/point RFV. Stock cow, fair/good 100.00-110.00. Fair/good grinding alfalfa, 65.00-75.00. Ground and delivered locally to feedlots and dairies, 90.00-95.00.

## North Central-Northeast Kansas

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\*\*\*Prices are dollars per ton and FOB unless otherwise noted. Dairy alfalfa prices are for mid and large squares unless otherwise noted. Horse hay is in small squares unless otherwise noted. Prices are from the most recent sales.

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After being named champion Maintainer at the Wabaunsee County Spring Livestock Show, Mia Hastings' entry went on to be named overall champion market beef. Hastings is from Wabaunsee County.

## Pork's six-year growth is the fastest in foodservice

Pork has been the fastest-growing protein in foodservice since 2011, according to Technomic, Inc.'s 2017 Volumetric Assessment of Pork in Foodservice. Over the past six years, pork use has grown on a pound basis by more than double chicken, which is the next fastest growing protein. Pork use increased by 1.145 billion pounds, while chicken use grew by 515 million pounds.

On a percentage basis, pork grew three times the rate of turkey, which is the next fastest-growing protein,

at 3.6 percent versus 1.2 percent. During this same time period, pork represents 61 percent of all protein growth in the foodservice industry (1.145 billion pounds of a total growth of 1.867 billion pounds).

The pork category continues to increase in foodservice, with a growth rate of 0.8 percent from 2015 to 2017. Totalling 5.9 billion pounds, the growth reflects a volume increase of 114 million pounds over the 2013 to 2015 period.

Processed pork continues to be a strong performer in foodservice, making up the majority of total volume. The five largest categories driving pork category growth are bacon, processed ham, breakfast sausage, ribs and pepperoni. Collectively, the categories represent 66 percent of the total volume. The love of bacon shows no signs of slowing and represents the largest share of volume, at 20 percent, or 1.2 billion pounds, growing 4 percent since 2015.

"We are pleased to see continued growth of pork use in foodservice," said National Pork Board President Jan Archer, Goldsboro, North Carolina. "The volumetric study shows that pork continues to be a strong performer in the foodservice industry, underscoring pork's popularity specifically in val-

ue-added pork products such as ham, bacon and sausage."

As consumers demand more interesting flavor profiles and global cuisine, there has been an increase in authentic fresh pork applications. Since 2015, carnitas showed a compound annual growth rate of 5 percent and porchetta had a 15 percent increase. Notable growth in fresh pork also was seen in belly, chops and ground pork.

"Fresh pork presents a huge opportunity in foodservice by offering a range of cuts and applications to deliver a variety of authentic and innovative dishes. Also, fresh pork's value has never been better," Archer said. "Fresh pork allows the foodservice industry to deliver what consumers want while turning strong profits.

"Over the past two years, limited-service and full-service restaurants represented the largest user groups of pork in foodservice, accounting for 67 percent of all pork volume. The growth in limited-service restaurants has been mainly driven by the all-day breakfast additions by major chains.

In categories where both uncooked and pre-cooked forms exist, pre-cooked pork has grown at a faster rate over the past two years, respectively growing at 4.7 percent and 0.9 percent. This growth can be attributed to

packer/processor innovation and an ability to deliver quality pre-cooked products that address the labor challenges many operators face.

On an overall basis, the usage of pork is evenly split among the three main dayparts, with snacking representing a small share of volume, which is consistent with the 2013 and 2015 Volumetric Study findings. However, lunch has taken one share point away from dinner overall since 2015. This can be attributed to the extension of breakfast menu items to other dayparts, with lunch being the key beneficiary of all-day breakfast. In addition, slowing traffic in the dinner daypart, especially among Full Service Restaurants, is a factor.

"Pork continues to deliver on key criteria for both foodservice and consumers," Archer said. "And menuing pork presents a unique opportunity for the different foodservice segments to grow their businesses and be profitable." For more information on the 2017 Volumetric Assessment of Pork in Foodservice, or to find out how pork delivers across the menu, please contact the National Pork Board at (800) 456-7675 or at [foodservice@pork.org](mailto:foodservice@pork.org). Valuable information also can be found at [porkfoodservice.org](http://porkfoodservice.org).

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## REAL ESTATE AUCTION

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# Wheat Tour releases assessment of 2017 crop

By Marsha Boswell,  
Director of  
Communications

"It's too early to tell," was the theme of day 1 of the 2017 Wheat Quality Council's Hard Winter Wheat Tour across Kansas.

About 70 scouts left Manhattan early Tuesday morning, May 2, and made their way east to west across the state, ending up in Colby by evening. The average yield for the day between 18 cars and 222 stops was 43 bushels per acre. This was down from 47.1 bushels per acre over the same area last year.

Wheat looked good early in the day, with adequate moisture and very little disease pressure or damage.

But as the cars made their way into central Kansas, participants started seeing some of the effects of the April 22-23 and April 27 freezes that affected a big portion of the middle of the state.

These freeze events have been overshadowed in the news by a blizzard that affected the western third of the state over the weekend of April 29 through May 1.

However, the freezes may cause significant damage in many areas because the crop was in boot and early heading stages at the time. The extent of that damage doesn't fully show until a week to ten days following the event. Scouts reported that more than half of the wheat they saw on day 1 was in the boot stage and 39% was headed. According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service, as of April 30, 44% of the wheat was headed statewide.

Wheat tour scouts also noted some disease pressure in central parts of the state, including stripe rust, which is a devastating fungal disease.

Kansas Wheat CEO Justin Gilpin recommends that farmers invest in fungicides to control the rust issues. "Some wheat across the state, especially later maturity and wheat after soybeans, has good yield potential. I'd encourage farmers to work with their crop consultants and consider applying a fungicide," he said.

Throughout the state, tour participants noted a lot of mud, but as the groups headed farther west, they ran into fields with snow cover, beginning around Norton and Graham counties. They noted additional disease pressure - most significantly Wheat Streak Mosaic Virus, barley yellow dwarf virus, leaf rust and stripe rust - and also noticed some nitrogen deficiency, and some aphids, as evidenced by beneficial

ladybugs.

The weight of the weekend's heavy snow laid the wheat over on its side, which is something the wheat can likely recover from - if the stems aren't broken. With snow still covering many of the fields, it's too early to estimate what percentage of the plants have irreparable damage.

This loss of a portion of the crop comes at a tough time for wheat farmers. The ag economy is not faring well, and bushels are a necessity to offset low prices. A weather-related crop disaster forces these Kansas food producers to rely on the strong farm safety net that is provided by crop insurance in the farm bill.

Farmers should note that if their wheat crop was affected by any of the freeze or snow events, it's critical to notify their crop insurance agent as soon as possible, even if you aren't able to fully evaluate its true damage or recovery potential.

## Day 2: Western Kansas hit with one-two punch, WSMV and snow

"The world has a deluge of wheat," said Walter VM Filho, of Serra Moreira Corretora, an import/export company in São Paulo, Brazil. "Everyone has it, but America has the best baking wheat. That's something that people need to realize."

The wheat tour is not only about evaluating the wheat throughout the state, but also about developing relationships with other participants. Mr. VM Filho has been on the tour many times and continues to come back, not only to learn about the quality of the current crop, but also to strengthen business relationships with friends and colleagues.

Day two of the 2017 Wheat Quality Council's Hard Winter Wheat Tour across Kansas started off slowly, as scouts weren't able to evaluate many of the fields in the western third of the state.

About 70 scouts left Colby early Wednesday morning, May 3, and made their way south and east across the state, ending up in Wichita by evening. The average yield for the day between 18 cars and 205 stops was 46.9 bushels per acre. This was down from 49.3 bushels per acre over the same area last year.

Even before winter storm Ursa crippled the western third of the state over this past weekend, the wheat was struggling. Wheat Streak Mosaic Virus (WSMV) had already moved into the area, spread by the wheat curl mite, which uses volunteer wheat as a green

bridge to move into newly emerging wheat. Because of the economy, there wasn't as much money for controlling volunteer wheat last fall.

According to K-State agronomy specialist Jeanne Falk-Jones, "We had plenty of green bridges, and that's because there wasn't a lot of money in wheat budgets last year, so when it comes to paying to control volunteer wheat, there wasn't as much of that."

Weather conditions started off with adequate moisture in the fall, but went downhill after the beginning of October, so there were poor stands in many fields.

"WSMV was really bad in the western two tiers of counties," said Kansas Wheat's Aaron Harries, VP of Research and Operations. "That's a big problem this year, and it's probably going to have a lot more impact on yield than the snow damage even would, so that's a serious concern there."

At this point in the year, there's nothing producers can do for WSMV.

"They're just at the mercy of the disease, and we'll have to wait and see how much it cuts back on yield," said Harries. "In some cases we've heard of some fields being destroyed because the insurance has already zeroed out those fields."

It's about controlling the volunteer wheat in the fall.

"From a research standpoint, the Kansas Wheat Commission is putting some big funding into projects with Kansas State University to develop genetic resistance, and there is some good new genetic resistance out there. It's just going to take a couple more years to get that crossed into the varieties that exist in the marketplace. But there is some help coming from the genetic standpoint," said Harries.

But that isn't completely accounted for in the day two's yield estimates.

"The tour provides a formula for us to use and a component of that formula is row space and height of wheat plant and being able to count the number of stalks or heads in one foot," said Harries. "In the area where snow had flattened the wheat, we're just not able to do that. So, it was our decision not to try to estimate yields on those fields. Rather, we'll just look at them and take notes. There's no way we can possibly accurately determine a yield. We'd only be guessing, so we just aren't including those fields in the average we're doing for western Kansas. We're able to find some fields where we can determine those things, and we're using those fields as part of our average. It may be skewed a little bit toward central Kansas, but most of our participants will take that into consideration when they submit their estimates."

It wasn't until cars reached Hodgeman County to the east and Meade County to the south that the snow disappeared and scouts were able to start making yield assessments.

Harries said, "Wheat in south central Kansas really looks good. There's obviously plenty of moisture. Most of the fields we stopped in today were pretty clean. Yields might not be quite as high just because some of the stands are a little thinner. We did stop at some fields that are projected to be above 70 bushels an acre, so there's pretty good potential here. The one thing we're having trouble determining is freeze damage. It seems that we're still a little bit early to see the impact of that freeze about a week ago."

He says the biggest disease issue in south central Kansas was barley yellow dwarf and some reports of rust.

"I've heard some reports of some rust, but it looks like folks have been pretty

active in spraying, and I'm sure if the weather dries out and warms up, we'll see a lot more of that."

Until then, it's important to start a conversation with your crop adjuster if you think you might have any damage in your fields.

"You certainly need to get on the book with your insurance agent. Get on the phone and put them on alert. Schedule a time for them to come out and look and assess things. Don't wait for two weeks to see what happens. The insurance agent may take some time to get out there, but give them a call and at least get on their calendars, so you don't get moved to the back of the line. Because there's going to be a backlog of work that those insurance adjusters have to do," Harries concluded.

## Day 3: Wheat Tour releases final projection

The 2017 Wheat Quality Council's Hard Winter Wheat Tour across Kansas wrapped up on May 4, as scouts traveled from Wichita to Manhattan.

The three-day average over the fields that were calculated was 46.1 bushels an acre. While an estimated 7.4 million acres of wheat were planted in the fall, tour participants saw many areas where disease, damage from snow and freeze damage may eliminate those fields. This was accounted for in the final estimates.

The official tour projection for total production numbers of hard red winter wheat to be harvested in Kansas is 281,707,913 bushels. If realized, this would be 185 million bushels less than last year's crop. This number is calculated based on the average of estimated predictions from tour participants who gathered information from 469 fields across the state. The number of stops was down sig-

nificantly from 655 fields during the 2016 tour. This was due primarily to snow cover in the western third of the state, where tour scouts weren't able to take calculations.

"The tour provides a formula for us to use and a component of that formula is row space and height of wheat plant and being able to count the number of stalks or heads in one foot," said Kansas Wheat's Aaron Harries, VP of Research and Operations. "In the area where snow had flattened the wheat, we're just not able to do that. So, it was our decision not to try to estimate yields on those fields. Rather, we would just look at them and take notes. There's no way we can possibly accurately determine a yield. We'd only be guessing, so we just aren't including those fields in the average we're doing for western Kansas. We're able to find some fields where we can determine those things, and we're using those fields as part of our average."

The Hard Winter Wheat tour is sponsored by the Wheat Quality Council. This year's tour hosted 70 participants from five countries and 24 states in 18 vehicles while traveling across the state on six routes. While winter storm Ursa crippled the western third of the state over this past weekend, there was no way to delay the tour. Instead, tour participants made any possible observations as a snapshot in time, but the industry will continue to watch what happens in central parts of the state with potential freeze damage and how the wheat responds once the snow in western Kansas melts.

For more information about what participants saw statewide, follow #wheat-tour17 on Twitter.



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TRAILERS & FRONT LOADER: 7'x16' 2 axle trailer, no floor; 8' 2 wh trailer; Wilderness XT-1, 18', 2 axle travel trailer-damaged; Dearborn Model 19-21 loader.

RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT: SS True dbl dr freezer; Norlake dbl dr refrig; 2-True refrig; Victory freezer; Beverage Air dbl dr freezer; refrigerated display case; 2 glass dr upright coolers; dbl Coke cooler; 30+ lg SS items inc-tables, racks, sinks, on rollers; 3 tier table; steamers; Vulcan gas oven; BKI pressure fryers; many other some SS sinks; deep fryers; gas grills; 2-ice mach; gas burners; wine coolers; ice tea disp; Bunn comm coffee maker; comm meat slicer; tables & chairs; lg amt of SS 1/4, 1/2, & full pans; serving pans; flatware; cutlery; dishes; glasses; food stands; Kitchen aid mixer; El smoke house; many metal patio chairs; restaurant metal chairs; many wood chairs & stools; Lg amt of equipment & supplies not listed.

HOUSEHOLD & MISC: 2 washers; 3 dryers; gas range; sm kitchen appl; Sharp cash register; fax mach; el typewriter; Bose speakers; patio tables. Roll of new 48" woven wire; 4-rolls new barb wire; chain link fencing; 4x4 yellow wood; 2x lumber; many doors; ceiling fans; 6 Rudd UCAB-030 JAS, AC units; 5 gas furnaces; Craftsman 1500 psi gas power washer; DR walk behind string trimmer; 2-push mowers; new LT 265/70 R17 tire; new 2 man tree stand; sm air comp; new cast alum VW wheels; stackable tool box; linoleum roller; Ridgid power drain opener; ext tree saws; alum ext & step ladders; sm propane bottles; many CO2 bottles; lawn fert; el cords; fire ext; dbl barrel stove; foot ball game; wh barrows; new el supplies; yard cart.

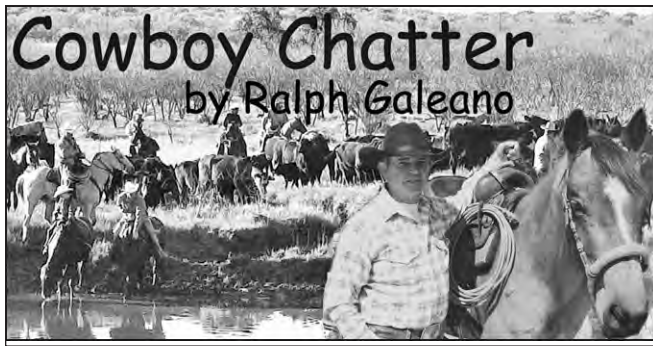
SALVAGE: Several lg appl; some copper, alum & brass; car batteries; iron pile; alum wire pile. MUCH MISC. NOT LISTED!

THIS WILL BE THE FIRST OF 2 AUCTIONS FOR MRS. NGUYEN. THE SECOND WILL BE MAY 27 @ 10 AM AT THE SAME ADDRESS. PERSONAL PROPERTY, TOOLS & MORE MISC.

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## Cowboy Chatter

by Ralph Galeano

### De-sensitize your foal

It's that time of year for the new crop of foals to start arriving. It's always a joy to watch the new babies come into the world and begin checking out their new surroundings. The fun always starts when we watch them try to get those long legs under control and attempt

to stand for the first time.

It's a struggle for them but they know that those long legs are for standing and they do their best to master that skill. More enjoyment comes when they find the source of milk and manage to slobber it all over their face while they learn

to nurse and receive their first nourishment in the new world.

Once they get their belly full, a new problem arises. How do they get back down on the ground to take a snooze? They try lots of different ways to make their legs bend but nothing seems to work except simply flopping over and making a hard landing. But that's good enough to get down and sleep. That's okay for now but they'll soon master bending their front legs and lowering themselves gracefully to the ground.

It is generally accepted that a newborn foal can absorb more information shortly after birth than at any other time of its life. So right after birth is the ideal time to get started imprinting the foal. Imprinting is most effective if started within 24 hours of birth but start the process as soon as you are able. If a foal is born in a pasture or on the range,

you may not be able to start within 24 hours so begin when you first find the foal. Later is better than never.

Imprinting is considered the most common method of de-sensitizing a foal to the various stimuli it will encounter as a result of the training imposed upon it by its human handlers.

You should first reassure the mother that you mean no harm. Do this by approaching slowly and talking in a soft voice. Rub the mare a few times before lowering yourself to the foal. Do not let the foal scramble away. It's important to not allow the foal to leave. Restrain it if you have to. You don't want it to learn it can escape. Be gentle but hold it in place to show that you are the boss and that you will not harm it. Gentle rubs will assure the foal and, hopefully, it will relax.

Desensitize means just that. Get it used to your presence by starting to slow-

ly rubbing one small area. When the baby accepts that begin to move the rubs around its body. Rub all parts of the body including the ears, inside the mouth and other orifices such as the anus and nostrils. Tap on the soles of the hooves and even make a few small, soft pinches near the muscles of the neck and rump where you may have to insert a needle sometime in the future.

It would help to have someone else stand by the mother to keep her assured that you mean no harm. Spend some time working in the girth area to simulate tightening a girth. Try putting a baby halter over its head a few times without buckling the halter.

It's a good idea to repeat the imprinting process on a daily basis for the first few days. The entire process doesn't need to be repeated each time. Just handling the foal and picking up its feet can be a very important lesson.

Remember, a new foal has a short attention span and lessons should be kept brief and non-stressful. Make the entire process pleasant for you and the foal. Keep it soft and easy and be sure before you end the session that the foal is relaxed and has no fear of your presence. When

you leave the foal it must be as friends so it will not fear you during the next session.

Dr. Robert Miller, DVM has a reputation for proper imprinting and has over 40 years experience imprinting foals. Miller emphasizes that what a foal learns during the imprinting period will stay with it for life. This means if a strong-willed flighty horse is taught to react negatively rather than positively during imprinting, it often will react that way for the rest of its life.

An example is if you are working on a foal's ear to desensitize it and the process is stopped when the animal jerks its head away, the foal will learn to jerk its head away whenever that ear is handled.

So it is imperative that while desensitizing you maintain positive control in order to not cause negative reactions. Should a negative reaction occur you must resolve it the way you would like the foal to react in order to not cause any negative lifelong reactions.

Remember to make imprint sessions short and positive and always leave the baby as friends.

Contact Ralph Galeano at [horseman@horsemanspress.com](mailto:horseman@horsemanspress.com) or [www.horsemanspress.com](http://www.horsemanspress.com).

## AUCTION FOR HELYN SIBERT

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2017 — 9:00 AM

627 Market Street — PORTIS, KANSAS

**TRACTOR:** Nice John Deere B Tractor SN 71450 (Runs Good)

**CAR:** 2003 Chrysler Town & Country SV 3.8 Liter, Loaded 138,000 miles.

**FURNITURE:** Nice 1901 Koken Oak Barber Chair; Nice Kitchen Cabinet; Nice Walnut Lamp Table; Nice Spoon Carved Commode; Spoon Carved Dresser w/Marble Top; Walnut Bed.

**ANTIQUES-PRIMITIVES-COLLECTIBLES:** CI Eagle Windmill Weight; Golden Star Protection Polish & Cleaner (Compliments of Deines Bros. Russell, Ks); misc. Barber Bottles; Mustache Cups; Beaver and Priest Hair Clippers; Hair Tonic and Dressing Bottles; Spittoons; Shapleigh Knife; Old Religious Tin Signs; Imperial Carnival Glass; Cherry Juice Pitcher w/glasses; Pyrex stacking bowl set; Miss America oval plate (pink); crystal pcs.; Cape Code pcs.; Iron Wheels; CI Scotty Bookends; small Head Vase; CI Camel; Over 40 Barbie Dolls (In Boxes); Cabbage Patch Dolls; Alexander Dolls in Boxes; 45 rpm records; Old Wall Phone (Stromberg-Carlson); Kellogg Desk Phone; Banded Glasses; Frankoma; Beer Glasses; Child's Gold Trim Glass Tea Set; Tins; Pin Cushion Dolls; Stuffed Animals; Little Debbie Dolls; Matchsafe; Kero Lamps (1 Aladdin Lincoln Drape); Fancy work; Blue Ridge dishes; CI Boat Anchor; Beanie Babies; Blue Fruit Jars; Willa Cather Dresser Set; A.O. Buschow Milk Bottle; Lots of Adv. Pens, Pencils, Bullet Pencils;

Sewing Notions; Pyrex; Hens on Nests; Germany Plates; Precious Moments; Books & Big Little Books; Red and White Scottie Bowls and Glass Creamer; cookbooks; Hummels; misc. Jewelry; Frozen Charlotte Dolls; Tonka Toy Car Carrier & other toys; sad & flat irons; pickle jar; Commode Pitcher and Bowl Set; Milkglass; Laura Ingalls Wilder paperback books; Campbell coffee cups; Noritake Homecoming dish set; Fenton Vaseline pc. & other Fenton; Brass Ladies Spittoon; Haviland porcelain vases; Owl & Miss Piggy cookie jars; Fiestaaware; old store candy jar; watering can; unusual barn lanterns; Shawnee Pig S&P & others; Red Cloud, NE. adv. pcs.; Western Crock Jug & others; décor whiskey bottles; Ruby Red glassware; Horse Head Hitching Post; quilt pcs.; (2) #40qt/ Dazey churns; Hurricane lamp; glass wedding basket; Gun candy container; Frankoma Christmas Plates; Am. Album for US Stamps; hatpins & holders; Kitchen Primitives; 1807 CI Matchsafe; green Depr. pcs.; Breyer Horse in box; picture frames; Fire pour bowls; Nice Weller pcs.; Hull Pottery pcs. inc. Teapot; sev. Nice Roseville pcs.; Marigold Carnival Peacock & Grape & Oakleaf Bowl; Dean Elec. Co. Wood Wall Phone; Silverware Sets in Cases; Curved Glass Reverse Painting (White House); Derby's Flexgas one sided Globe; Swastika banner & flag; 2 CI Pots. **TOOLS, MISC. HOUSEHOLD ITEMS.**

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## AUCTION

FRIDAY, MAY 19, 2017 — 10:00 AM

We will sell the following items at public auction at the home located north of the Dollar Store at the west edge of WAKEFIELD, KANSAS.

**FURNITURE:** antique walnut/velour parlour furniture including settee, and 3 chairs, ornate and pristine; entry table & chairs; variety of older occasional chairs, some very nice; sofas, one with hide-a-bed; Lots of bedroom furniture including king, queen and several twin beds, some with very nice mattress sets; Lots of chests of drawers; long dressers and night stands; one set is ivory with gold trim; birds eye maple dresser; tall narrow display cabinet; small rope design rocker, unusual; antique walnut chairs and rockers with wicker seats/back; walnut lamp table with marble top; variety of nice tables and stands; Everett spinet style piano with bench; Hammond organ with bench; wrought iron patio table and chairs, old but like new; wrought iron chaise lounge and 2 chairs; variety of other furniture. **GLASSWARE:** variety of Jewel T stoneware; set of Johnson Bros. ironstone; set of Franciscan china; other sets of dishes; lg. American Fostoria pitcher; other Am. Fostoria; lots of decorative china plates and bowls; several Fenton pieces; 2 Hummel figurines, one boy with phone, other girl with bird; ironstone commode; many pieces of clear Moon & Stars pieces; lots of old clear crystal in VG condition; cranberry syrup pitcher **ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES & MISC.:** Large variety of nice silver serving pieces, variety of flatware; many nice linen tablecloths, place mats and napkins; other nice cloth pieces, doilies and fancy work; variety of figurines; music books; 1881 Clay County Plat book with pictures of early Clay County businesses; lots of other books of all types; lots of pictures, many political, some wildlife. **Approximately 200 boxes and drawers yet to be unpacked.**

**NOTE:** These are the belongings of former Governor and Mrs. William H. Avery and are in very good condition. Bill was the Governor of Kansas in the early 1960s. Mrs. Avery enjoyed entertaining and this offering includes the trappings from her hosting dinners while in the gubernatorial mansion. We will start with miscellaneous items. Furniture at 11:00. Glassware after lunch.

**Go to [kretzauctions.com](http://kretzauctions.com) or [kansasauctions.net](http://kansasauctions.net) for pictures, maps and details.** Pictures of larger items will soon be posted. We hope to have pictures of smaller items on the web sites by May 14th. **In the event of inclement weather the auction will be held Saturday, May 20th at the same time and place. Lunch on grounds. Hope to complete the auction by 3:30.**

**TERMS:** Cash or good check day of sale. Not responsible for accidents.

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Johnson County exhibitor Tyler Goetzmann's entry was named crossbred champion, then went on to win overall reserve champion market beef at the Wabaunsee County Spring Livestock Show.

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## REAL ESTATE & PERSONAL PROPERTY AUCTION

TUESDAY, MAY 23, 2017

Time: Personal Property - 5:30 PM • Home Sells @ 6:30 PM

Location: 2205 Stonepost Road — MANHATTAN, KANSAS



**Description:** 3 Bedroom and 2 1/2 bath home with just under 3000 sq. ft. of space. Tremendous limestone accents with worlds of potential. Screened-in porch, 2-car garage and terraced backyard are some of the additional attractions for this house that sits just west of K-State's campus off of Claflin.

**Terms:** Property sells AS IS, WHERE IS. 10% non-refundable down payment is required day of sale by check. Buyer must be able to close on or before June 23, 2017. Buyer needs bank letter of loan approval or funds verification. Cost of Title Insurance and Closing Costs to be split equally between Buyer and Seller. Seller reserves the right to not accept high bid. All announcements day of sale take precedence over written materials. Crossroads Real Estate & Auction LLC is representing the Seller.

**APPLIANCES & FURNITURE:** Apt. size Magic Chef electric stove; Singer sewing machine in cabinet; Hoover SpinScrub; Shark Vacuum; Samsung TV; VCR; DVD; sofa; loveseat; ornate end tables (1 w/drawers); coffee table; sm. wood cabinet w/drawers; sm. wood desk; wood child's chairs; rockers (2); magazine rack; Safco file cabinets; old library table w/drawer; Dupont Allardet Clock & others; lamps; large framed zebra picture; large framed rabbit picture by P. Rolence; other nice pictures (some on canvas); sm. decorative trunk.

**ANTIQUES & GLASSWARE:** Ice cream table w/2 chairs; twisted wire ice cream shop stool; tinker toys; old butter mold; wood stick horse on metal wheels; sterling tray; brass; Longaberger baskets; old wood high chair; copper baby shoe bookends; metal signs; old books; sm. Bradley paper cutter (old); C.I. squirrel nut cracker on tray; sm. retro metal trash can; lg. blue & white granite bowl; crock jars; picture frames (some old); pink depression handled dish; misc. glassware; Norman Rockwell plates; Robert Hersey collector plates (Danbury Mint); lg. bald eagle statue.

**YARD & MISCELLANEOUS:** Kenmore gas grill; concrete bird bath; Worx weed eater; elect. hedge trimmers; hand sprayer; jogging stroller (nice); luggage; and LOTS MORE!!

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## FARM AUCTION

SATURDAY, MAY 13 — 10:00 AM

10620 SW Jordan Road — WAKARUSA, KS 66546



**TRACTORS:** Massey Ferguson 4345 (appx 1481 hrs) w/Koyker 310 loader; Ford 1700 w/770 Ford loader. **EQUIPMENT, MISC:** Auger; HD log splitter w/Allis Chalmers w/WD45 engine; King Kutter angle frame disc harrow; Brush Hog; 2001 Tenpenny 4 horse trailer; hay bale spear; JD sick-

le mower; cattle chute; hay wagon; round bale feeders; harrow; 2000 Honda Foreman ES 4 wheeler; JD LX255 lawn tractor; V-bottom boat and trailer; trolling motor; Clarke mig 130 EN welder; Magna Force 5hp 60 gal vertical air compressor; cement mixer; Yamaha jet ski-no shaft (as is); tire machine; small Craftsman sand blaster; fuel tank on stand; 10' feeder; TSC elec fence; Werner 12' fiberglass step ladder; appliance dolly; 6' chimney sweep; barbed wire; log chains (100', 50', others); boomers; pulleys; 1 ton engine hoist; yard tools; gas cans; electric fence & T-post; wheelbarrow; bricks; firewood; harness; tires inc. 17"; rims; old wooden tool box; Huskey 2 pc 23 drawer tool box; hand & power tools; vintage cultivator; 1986 Ford conversion w/Ricom wheelchair lift van (as is) no title; screwdrivers; Craftsman wrenches; Craftsman 18" chainsaw; pliers; crescent wrenches; pipe wrenches; hammers; ramps; Craftsman skill saw; auger bit; 9/16-1" brass drill bits; Craftsman ratchet wrench set; tap & die set; trailer hitch balls; bolt cutters; Yankee drill; Remington 14" elec chain saw; wire & chain link fencing; hog panels; Honda Harmony 215 push mower; more!

**FURNITURE, COLLECTIBLES, OTHER:** Floral sofa; dinette set; towels; lg iron bell; vintage saws; Goodyear Rubber Tire ashtrays; volume 1 and 2 State Quarters; uncut sheet one dollar bills; Spode dishes; Haviland dishes; pink Depression; clear glass; galvanized tubs; pitcher pump; Sure Grip nail puller pat'd 1902; 2 old tobacco tins; more.

**DON & MARY RICKEL**

**NOTE:** Don bought this farm in 1984. He and Mary have sold their home and are downsizing. Very nice auction. join us!

**TERMS:** Cash or good check. Nothing removed until settled for. Not responsible for accidents or theft. Massey Ferguson tractor will be held until check clears or certified letter of funds from bank. Announcement made day of sale takes precedence over anything stated or printed.

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# Scott City is site of 2017 K-State Cattle Feeders College: Cattle Crew Session

The 2017 K-State Cattle Feeders College is set for May 25 at the William Carpenter 4-H Building, 608 Fairground Road in Scott City, Kansas. Registration begins at 4 p.m.

The conference is designed for the men and women who work in the cat-

tle department of the feedlot business. It offers presentations, the "Top Hand" Cattle Feeding Industry Employee awards, and a complementary dinner sponsored by Lallemard Animal Health. This year's topics and presenters include:

Beyond Bovine Respira-

tory Disease, Other Health Considerations for High Risk - A.J. Tarpoff, Extension beef veterinarian, Kansas State University;

Feeding the Working Horse - Jason Turner, Extension horse specialist, New Mexico State University;

Bits: How They Work

and What Fits You and Your Horse - Gary Wiggins, Wiggins Bits and Spurs, Brewster; and

Preparing Your Horse for the Feedyard - Todd Adams, Hitch Ranch, Guymon, Oklahoma.

Cattle industry personnel who would like to recognize

a colleague or employee are encouraged to nominate them for the 2017 Top Hand Cattle Feeding Industry Award. Nominations are requested by May 19 to Justin Waggoner, jwaggon@ksu.edu or 4500 E. Mary St., Garden City, Kansas 67846.

There is no fee to attend

Cattle Feeders College, but registration is required by contacting John Beckman, 620-872-2930 or jbeckman@ksu.edu, or Justin Waggoner, 620-275-9164 or jwaggon@ksu.edu. More information is available at www.southwest.ksu.edu.



## Schwieterman Market Outlook

A marketing commentary by Bret Crofts

We had an exceptionally wild week in the agricultural markets last week. The most amazing of the markets was the cattle, and particularly the live cattle. We saw many limit moves in the futures, both up and down, but most impressive was the jump in the cash cattle market to as high as \$147. The weekly average from USDA will most likely be in the vicinity of \$145, which is about \$10 above the weekly high in the June live cattle and about \$17 above where the June live cattle finished the week. So, for a moment on Thursday morning we made some progress on converging the cash cattle market and the June futures, but by Friday afternoon we are right back to needing either the cash market to drop, the futures to rise, or some of both.

I really wouldn't be surprised to see some corrective activity in the cash cattle market since we have seen such a huge jump in a short period of time. However, I don't see any concrete evidence that the bull market has run its course. The live cattle futures are behaving much differently than "normal" and we are setting records for bull spreading on a regular basis. Even in bullish years we don't see bull spreading like this. USDA has been telling us how big the 3rd and 4th quarter beef production is going to be for a very long time, which set a very, very bearish tone to the market. However, the speed at which packers are pulling cattle forward and the speed at which carcass weights have dropped tells us that demand for beef right now is tremendous and the actual beef production for later in the year will not be nearly as high as expected. What this tells us is that the deferred live cattle futures are tremendously undervalued. We are either going to see a huge swing back down in the spread trade, or we are going to see big gains in the deferred live cattle as we

move through the year. My bet right now is that we will see the big gains in the deferred futures and that we will not see cash cattle trade below \$100 in the fall as the futures once suggested.

In the short run I would look for the June live cattle to pull back to the \$122 - \$124.50 area and then proceed to make new highs. As for the August feeders, that market will find support between \$150 and \$152.50, and that market will also move to new highs eventually.

The grain markets were not short of volatility thanks to inclement weather from eastern Colorado to the eastern Corn Belt. The July KW nearly reached limit higher last Monday due to freeze and snow damage, but as is often the case with freeze rallies, it was short lived. The market did find support at the upper end of the chart gap we left last Sunday night, so perhaps we have seen enough pressure for the time being, but the better support in the market lies between \$4.35 and \$4.39 1/2. We will not know the extent of the damage in western Kansas for quite a while, but most likely the damage was worse than the Wheat Quality Council's tour suggested.

The corn got support from the wheat and from potential planting delays and the need for replanting. However, the July corn still can't make it through \$3.80 and the December contract still can't clear \$3.96. Until that happens, we won't see much more short covering. It will take a long time to assess what problems the

heavy rains and flooding did, but it probably won't help the corn reach a trend line yield.

Speaking of trend line yields, Wednesday we will find out what USDA is using for a trend line yield. Most likely it will be about 170 bu/ac. We will see all of the new crop supply and demand estimates, so the report will most likely have a lot of market moving information. Plan on very bearish numbers for the soybeans and less bearish, but not quite bullish numbers for the corn and wheat.

*Schwieterman Marketing, L.L.C. specializes in risk management and cash grain and livestock marketing plans. For information on the markets or our marketing service you can contact Bret Crofts at 888-437-9131 or bret@swbell.net.*

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## KCA regional meeting and Rawhide Portable Corral plant tour to be held in Abilene May 18

Kansas Cattlemen's Association (KCA), in partnership with Rawhide Portable Corral, will host a plant tour and regional cattlemen's meeting in Abilene to discuss industry topics on the evening of May 18, 2017. The meeting event will begin at the Rawhide Portable Corral production facility 900 N. Washington St., Abilene. Following the plant tour and demonstration, attendees are encouraged to attend the free meal and presentation at the Historic Shockeey and Landes Building in downtown Abilene, 324 N. Broadway St. The tour and meal are free and open to the public. KCA will provide organization information, and Craig Kerbs, SmartLic, will present "Competition, the Silent Killer." Valley Vet Supply will discuss the Vet-Gun, and give one away as a door prize.

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KCA is actively supporting independent producers in Topeka and Washington, D.C. The staff will update attendees on current legislative work. In addition, KCA will discuss various policies, and how they differ from other industry organi-

zations.

Proud sponsors of the event and meal include: Rawhide Portable Corral, Kansas Cattlemen's Association, Valley Vet Supply, SmartLic, Pinnacle Bank, Sharp Mfg. LLC., Horizon Farm & Ranch Realty, LLC., Astra Bank, KanEquip, Orscheln Farm & Home, AgriTrails Co-op, Abilene Machine, Rittel's Western Wear, LLC., CTI-John Deere, Harris Crop Insurance, Key Feeds, Barber Construction, and Farmway Co-op, Inc.


The meeting includes a free USA beef brisket dinner prepared by Meat Rubbers BBQ and Catering. To help ensure enough of the meal for everyone, please RSVP to 785-238-1483.

## Being a vegetarian won't make you live longer

A new study in New South Wales, Australia, suggests vegetarian diets won't prolong life. According to the study, researchers who tracked nearly a quarter-million adults aged 45 and older found no significant differences in the likelihood of dying between those who followed a complete, semi or pescos vegetarian diet.

University of Alberta's Timothy Caulfield, a Canadian research chair in health law and policy, told the *National Post* that the study fits with an emerging body of evidence that vegetarian diets don't reduce the risk of premature death.

The Australian study is based on data from the "45 and Up Study," described as the largest study of healthy aging in the Southern Hemisphere. To read the full article, visit <http://tinyurl.com/vegetarians-don-t-live-longer>.



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**Ramona, 55 blk** 965@140.00  
**Tampa, 92 mix** 934@139.75  
**Tampa, 60 mix** 945@139.25  
**Ramona, 55 blk** 1003@136.50  
**Tampa, 3 mix** 1168@118.50

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Woodbine, 31 blk 787@136.00  
Herington, 5 blk 899@129.00  
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**Pairs From \$1125-\$1350 CALVES BY THE HEAD: \$220-\$330 Ea.**

**CONSIGNMENTS FOR MAY 10:**

- 63 most blk hrs long time weaned, all shots, no implants, home raised, 825 lbs
- 60 mostly red Angus str, 875 lbs
- 62 most blk str, 825 lbs
- 230 mostly blk str, 925-950 lbs
- 52 str & 10 hrs mostly blk, home raised, long time weaned, all shots, no implants, 600 lbs

**MORE CATTLE BY SALE TIME!**

**Lonnie Wilson's UPCOMING AUCTIONS**

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REAL ESTATE & PERS PROP  
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Saturday, May 20, 10 am

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Bidding starts Sunday, May 21 @ 5:00 p.m.  
Soft Close Thursday, May 25 @ 5:00 p.m.

**PU items Friday & Saturday, May 26-27 from 9 am-5 pm**  
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Bidding starts Sunday, May 14 @ 5:00 p.m.  
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Soft Close Thursday, May 18 @ 5:00 p.m.

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# Doctoring the soil

When you are tired or hungry, you're not as productive. You may need to rest or eat. If you push yourself too far, you may get ill.

Soil gets tired and hungry, too. How do growers know that? When the fields are not as productive. Maybe yields are down, or diseases infect the plants. The soil can become too compact. It can lack nutrients needed to grow good crops. It may be more prone to erosion or have other physical problems.

Leaving a field fallow, or resting it, means the field is empty for a season or more. The field does not provide income for the grower but

the continued fertilization, or feeding, is expensive. A bare field also runs the risk of erosion.

Conservation agriculture uses alternative methods to fallow and fertilization to revive soil while still nurturing the overall environment. Just like a doctor prescribes different treatments for different patients, scientists often recommend different methods for returning soil to health, depending on the soil's characteristics.

Lars Munkholm and research teammates at Aarhus University studied the impact of conservation agriculture techniques over a span of 11 years on two different

farms. They combined the use of these techniques:

- creating very little soil disturbance (no-till or reduced tillage),
- ensuring permanent organic soil cover (residues and cover crops), and
- diversifying the crops grown on the farmland (crop rotation).

The fields they studied are in Denmark, and have sandy loam soils. An ideal soil for farming is usually a type of loam, with a good mixture of sand, silt, and clay particles. But sandy loam soils have less clay to hold the soil together.

"Very few Danish soils have greater than 15% clay in the topsoil," Munkholm observes. "The clay content varied a bit at both farm sites, which significantly af-

ected a range of soil properties. The studied soils were probably too sandy as compared to the 'ideal' situation even though they are very productive."

The typical Danish farmer needs to successfully grow food and feed on these soils, making this study important for the nation's agribusiness industry.

A further challenge for Danish farmers with regard to no-till or reduced till is the humid environment. "Denmark is located in a cool and humid climate where soil compaction is a major problem," says Munkholm. "Intensive soil loosening is typically needed to aerate the soil and stimulate drying of the surface soil. However, there is a steadily increasing interest

in reduced tillage and no tillage in Denmark."

Typical small grain cereals such as wheat, barley, and oats were the dominant crops in the study. The team rotated these crops with rapeseed and peas. Rapeseed is an oil crop, providing income for the growers. Peas, as part of the legume family, can use nitrogen in the air as "food" and increase the amount of nitrogen available in the soil. This often reduces the need for chemical fertilizers. Researchers also used fodder radish as a winter cover crop. Their large, deep taproots help break up compacted soil.

This study found that in fields with less tillage, leaving crop residue on the soil was a good solution. In ad-

dition, growing permanent cover crops kept roots growing in the soil. This broke up soil clumps and made room for air and water. It also created a beneficial environment for soil microbes, fungi, and other organisms such as earthworms and ants.

Munkholm's team looks forward to studying the effects of conservation agriculture techniques for a longer period. "It takes time before changes in crop rotation, residue management, and cover cropping are fully developed in the soil," says Munkholm.

Read more about Munkholm's work in *Soil Science Society of America Journal*. The Danish Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Fisheries funded this research.

## Farmers & Ranchers

### AUCTIONS EVERY MONDAY & THURSDAY

#### Selling Hogs & Cattle every Monday

RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK TOTALED 5,453 CATTLE AND 54 HOGS.

STEERS					
400-500	\$180.00-\$223.00	8 blk	Tina, MO	@1600.00	
500-600	\$164.00-\$213.50	47 blk	Marion	@1575.00	
600-700	\$155.00-\$194.00	8 blk	Council Grove	@1575.00	
700-800	\$141.00-\$168.50	22 blk	Tina, MO	@1550.00	
800-900	\$130.00-\$158.75	7 blk	Wilsey	@1510.00	
900-1000	\$118.00-\$137.75	20 blk	Matfield Green	@1500.00	
		20 red	Beloit	@1500.00	
		24 blk	Matfield Green	@1485.00	
		53 blk	Tina, MO	@1485.00	
HEIFERS					
300-400	\$170.00-\$181.00				
400-500	\$141.00-\$175.50				
500-600	\$132.00-\$171.00				
600-700	\$131.00-\$161.50				
700-800	\$130.00-\$147.00				
800-900	\$115.00-\$133.50				
900-1,000	\$120.00-\$131.00				
HEIFER PAIRS					
20 blk	Junction City	@2375.00			
3 red	Arlington	@2350.00			
8 red	Ada	@2300.00			
6 red	Longford	@2300.00			
26 blk	Junction City	@2285.00			
17 blk	Lindsborg	@2275.00			
4 red	Canton	@2250.00			
24 blk	Lindsborg	@2200.00			
6 blk	Council Grove	@2175.00			
8 blk	Council Grove	@2150.00			
8 blk	Arlington	@2100.00			
15 red	Canton	@2050.00			
11 blk	Lorraine	@2000.00			
4 bwf	Lorraine	@2000.00			
FALL BRED PAIRS					
10 red	Wakefield	@1700.00			
43 blk	Barnard	@1660.00			
19 red	Wakefield	@1600.00			
REPLACEMENT HEIFERS					
12 blk	Hutchinson	916@1350.00			
15 blk	Stockton	840@1285.00			
10 blk	Stockton	862@1275.00			
20 blk	Stockton	836@1260.00			
15 blk	Stockton	868@1250.00			
35 blk	Oakhill	726@1150.00			
COW/CALF PAIRS					
11 blk	Ramona	@2450.00			
5 blk	Ramona	@2375.00			
5 blk	Ramona	@2300.00			
5 blk	Wilsey	@2300.00			
10 red	Salina	@2225.00			
9 blk	Burns	@2150.00			
6 red	Salina	@2150.00			
9 blk	Burns	@2125.00			
10 red	Osborne	@1950.00			
29 blk	Hope	@1875.00			
10 blk	Hope	@1875.00			
FALL COWS					
22 red	Marion	@1685.00			
15 blk	Marion	@1675.00			
7 red	Beloit	@1675.00			
34 blk	Marion	@1650.00			
15 blk	Marion	@1635.00			
19 blk	Tina, MO	@1625.00			
8 blk	Tina, MO	@1625.00			
12 blk	Marion	@1610.00			
19 bwf	Marion	@1600.00			

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3 char	Delphos	680@150.00	2 rwf	Chapman	1833@74.50
3 mix	Salina	673@148.00	3 blk	Enterprise	1768@74.00
12 blk	Galva	716@147.00	2 blk	Enterprise	1513@74.00
2 blk	Clay Center	708@143.00	1 bwf	Abilene	1650@74.00
12 blk	Halstead	720@143.00	1 gwf	Lindsborg	1680@73.50
20 blk	Tescott	728@139.00	1 blk	Falun	1640@73.50
55 mix	Hope	821@133.50	2 blk	Minneapolis	1608@73.50
25 mix	Tescott	850@132.50	2 blk	Council Grove	1230@72.00
19 blk	Sedgwick	806@132.00	1 bwf	Falun	1390@72.00
7 mix	Solomon	932@131.00	1 blk	Wilson	1495@71.50
7 blk	McPherson	896@130.50	1 rwf	Abilene	1665@71.00
			1 blk	Enterprise	1605@70.50
			2 blk	Tina, MO	1323@70.00
CALVES					
1 blk	Ada	185@475.00			
1 blk	Lincoln	205@475.00			
1 gray	Minneapolis	235@450.00	1 blk	Minneapolis	1810@100.00
2 rwf	Salina	235@450.00	1 rwf	Minneapolis	2105@96.50
1 blk	Salina	165@425.00	1 blk	Minneapolis	1755@96.00
1 blk	Barnard	205@425.00	1 blk	Gypsum	2175@95.50
1 blk	Ada	155@410.00	1 blk	Salina	2130@95.50
1 char	Minneapolis	190@410.00	1 rwf	Minneapolis	2105@95.50
1 red	McPherson	290@410.00	1 blk	Ada	2135@95.00
1 gray	Minneapolis	130@375.00	1 red	Lindsborg	1920@94.50
1 blk	Lindsborg	235@200.00	1 rwf	Minneapolis	2015@94.50
COWS					
2 blk	Little River	1333@77.00			

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**Rope Horse Preview: Friday, May 19th, Noon to 5 PM**

**& Saturday, May 20th, 7 AM to 9:30 AM**

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- 87 steers, 2/3 blk, 775 lbs., off wheat
- 25 blk steers & heifers, 700-850 lbs., long weaned, vacc., open
- 75 Red Angus heifers, 450-475 lbs., home raised, vaccinated
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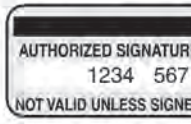
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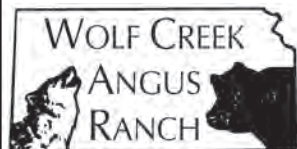
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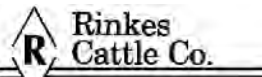


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**Angus Value Discovery Contest aids with data collection**

While cattle genetics keep improving, no national carcass challenge has tracked that since 2012—until now. The Angus Value Discovery Contest began this spring as a means of carcass data collection and friendly competition for commercial Angus producers, nominated by their seedstock or genetics providers. Artificial insemination (AI) companies and registered Angus breeders are nominating customers to enroll groups of at least 30 calves. Commercial cow-calf operators who use registered Angus bulls and those who feed the high-quality progeny are discussing enrollment with seedstock suppliers or AI company reps. That's according to Kara Lee, production brand manager for the cosponsoring Certified Angus Beef® (CAB®) brand. Customers who buy and use the best bulls, feed the progeny and report results could win a share of nearly \$5,000 in a contest that builds relationships along with better herds, she says. Genetics providers contribute 25% of prize value in credit if their nominee wins Grand or Reserve Champion pen, and CAB pays the rest. Qualifying groups of 30 or more must be at least 75% sired by registered Angus bulls, harvested by July 31st at a CAB-licensed packer and close-outs submitted by August 15th, or they fit into the next year's contest. Scoring is based on a combination of carcass merit and feedyard performance. Nominators of at least five entries can form a division with winnings noted, and of course those nominators can add their own incentives. For more details, visit CABpartners.com, contact Kara Lee at Klee@certifiedangusbeef.com or call 330-345-2333.

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**JOHN PIHL ESTATE REAL ESTATE & PERSONAL PROPERTY AUCTION**  
SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2017 — 10:00 AM  
448 S. 8th — SALINA, KANSAS

**AUCTIONEER'S NOTE:** John had many interests – Collector guns, archery, motorcycles, biking, music, electronics & entertainment, slot cars, photography. Everything is represented in this sale. The house needs TLC but has a beautiful oak staircase and oak trim throughout and gorgeous stained glass windows. This will be a large sale in a small yard, please bear with us. Plan for a full day with many neat items to bid on. **The house sells at noon with the car, guns and motorcycles following.**

**REAL ESTATE:** Single-Family 2-1/2 story home with 3 bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, and approximately 1991 sqft built in 1900. There is 1084 sqft on the main floor, open and enclosed porches on the 2nd floor, a large unfinished attic space and full basement. A single detached 252 sqft garage and shared driveway with south neighbor occupies the 55' x 115' lot. Lenox Elite HVAC equipment installed 2007, 50 gallon Rheem water heater installed 2015. Current county appraised value \$117,480. 2016 taxes were \$1766.42.

**TERMS OF REAL ESTATE:** 10% down on day of sale. Balance due at closing. Kansas Secured Title Closing Costs and Title Insurance to be split 50/50 between buyer & seller.

**CAR:** 2012 Subaru Outback  
**GUNS & EQUIPMENT:** HAND GUNS - Pair of Ruger factory engraved New Vaquero stainless revolvers 45 Colt cal consecutive serial numbers 510-13157 & 510-13158 w/boxes & soft cases \* A. Uberti brass frame Hawes Firearms Navy model 36 cal cap & ball revolver ser # 3295 \* A. Uberti Hawes 1851 Navy 36 cal cap & ball revolver ser # 17011 \* A. Uberti Western Arms Santa Fe NM 1860 Army 44 cal cap & ball revolver \* F. LLI PIETTA 1860 Navy cartridge conversion to 38 L Colt cal revolver ser # P69421 \* S&W 3rd model top break 38 S&W cal revolver ser # 252556 \* Ruger Vaquero 44-40 WIN cal stainless revolver w/hard case ser # 58-51474 \* A. Uberti 1851 Navy cartridge conversion 38 L Colt revolver ser # A34589 w/box & soft case \* A. Uberti 1851 Navy cartridge conversion 38 L Colt revolver ser # A53947 w/box & soft case \* A. Uberti Cimarron 1872 open top revolver 45 Schofield cal ser # X13350 w/box & soft case \* Daisy Powerline .177 cal air pistol \* LONG GUNS – Winchester mod.94 lever action center fire grade 1 Lmtd Ed Centennial rifle 30 WCF (30-30 WIN) 26" bbl/sights NIB \* Winchester mod.1892 45 L Colt cal lever action rifle NIB \* A. Uberti 1873 Sporting Rifle 45 L Colt cal lever action rifle NIB \* A. Uberti Navy Arms 44-40 lever action rifle octagon bbl \* A. Uberti Henry's 1860 45 L Colt lever action rifle \* American Western Arms 45 Colt cal rifle \* Iver Johnsons Arms & Cycle Works single shot 410 shotgun \* Marlin mod.1893 30-30 cal lever action rifle w/peep sight \* Chinese replica Winchester mod.1887 12 ga lever action shotgun \* Daisy # 25 BB gun \* Daisy mod.1894 BB gun \* Crosman Power Master 760 BB gun \* EQUIPMENT – Sherline lathe \* Tipton gun vise \* Lee & Lyman electric lead pots.  
**MOTORCYCLES & ACCESSORIES:** Harley-Davidson motorcycle full dressed \* Harley-Davidson motorcycle undergoing rebuild \* engine \* parts \* cabinet full of Harley-Davidson parts & tools \* motorcycle camping trailer \* motorcycle trailer \* motor cycle tires new & used \* Harley-Davidson clothing \* engine analyzer \* (4) motorcycle helmets (2 have mics & speakers) \* Harley-Davidson books & memorabilia.  
**ARCHERY EQUIPMENT:** Hoyt Fast Flite compound bow w/lined bag \* Hoyt Carbon Plus compound bow w/bag \* Hoyt Medalist compound bow w/bag \* High Country Excaliber compound bow w/bag \* Horizon Archery arrow cutter \* lots of arrows \* boxes of bow hunting supplies, books, etc.  
**ELECTRONICS & ENTERTAINMENT:** Protron flat screen TV \* keyboard \* RCA DVD/CD player \* Onkyo stereo equipment \* Realistic reel-to-reel tape recorder/player \* CRT TV \* asstd stereo components \* several boxes DVDs & CDs, many still sealed in pkg \* LP records.  
**SLOT CAR ITEMS:** Slot car track 6'6" x 12'2" built into bedroom to be sold in place, removed by buyer \* over 100 slot cars (most appear to be 1:32 scale) \* slot cars work station with parts & supplies.  
**TOOLS:** Miller Matic 175 230v wire welder \* Toro S-200 electric start snow thrower \* Craftsman router table w/stand \* pr metal saw horses \* appliance dolly \* stacked tool cabinet \* lots of mechanics tools \* yard tools \* floor jacks \* scaffolding.  
**FURNITURE:** 78" x 40" oval maple table w/leaves & table pads & pr matching china cabinets & pr matching side boards & matching video cabinet \* oak dresser \* rocking chair w/caned back & seat \* needle point covered chair \* 4 folding chairs \* recliner \* pr spindle back maple chairs \* painted oak chair \* New Willard treadle sewing machine w/oak cabinet \* jelly cabinet.  
**MISCELLANEOUS:** Yamaha 6-string Dynamic acoustic guitar #40 w/case \* Juan Estruch 6-string acoustic guitar made in Spain w/case \* racing bikes \* Kenmore washer \* Kenmore dryer \* Clint Eastwood & John Wayne prints \* snack sets \* glass ware \* large set stoneware china \* dark room equipment.

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CALVES BY THE HEAD		MARYSVILLE		1 XB RD HFRETTE	
HOME	1 BLK STR	\$600.00	WAMEGO	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,155@\$94.00
PENDER,NE	1 BLK HFR	\$475.00	HANOVER	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,045@\$93.00
HANOVER	3 BLK STR	\$460.00	AXTELL	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,380@\$92.00
WATERVILLE	1 BLK STR	\$450.00	CENTRALIA	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,080@\$91.00
WATERVILLE	1 BLK HFR	\$430.00	AXTELL	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,125@\$90.00
GREENLEAF	1 BLK HFR	\$410.00	HADDAM	1 BWF HFRETTE	1,110@\$88.00
WATERVILLE	2 BLK HFR	\$410.00	BREMEN	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,150@\$88.00
WASHINGTON	1 BLK BULL	\$375.00	MARYSVILLE	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,000@\$87.50
WATERVILLE	1 BLK HFR	\$310.00	TECUMSEH,NE	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,110@\$87.00
<b>STEERS</b>			FRANKFORT	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,020@\$87.00
FRANKFORT	1 BWF STR	280@\$232.00	FRANKFORT	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,020@\$86.00
BAILEYVILLE	5 BLK STR	371@\$219.00	BLUE RAPIDS	1 RED HFRETTE	1,130@\$84.00
BAILEYVILLE	1 BLK STR	285@\$218.00	BEATRICE,NE	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,020@\$84.00
FRANKFORT	1 BLK STR	275@\$217.00	HADDAM	1 BWF HFRETTE	1,025@\$83.00
SENECA	2 BLK STR	420@\$215.00	FRANKFORT	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,050@\$82.50
SENECA	5 BLK STR	304@\$213.00	WATERVILLE	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,155@\$82.00
WATERVILLE	32 BLK STR	410@\$212.00	HANOVER	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,235@\$80.00
BAILEYVILLE	32 BLK STR	320@\$211.00	GREENLEAF	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,330@\$79.00
VALLEY FALLS	4 BLK STR	373@\$209.00	WATERVILLE	1 BWF HFRETTE	950@\$78.00
SENECA	13 BLK STR	429@\$209.00	VERMILLION	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,290@\$78.00
VALLEY FALLS	2 BLK STR	425@\$207.00	HANOVER	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,370@\$78.00
WATERVILLE	4 BLK STR	315@\$207.00	FRANKFORT	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,070@\$76.00
GREENLEAF	16 BLK STR	486@\$206.00	<b>COWS</b>		
BAILEYVILLE	10 MIX STR	484@\$206.00	1 BLK COW	2,000@\$76.50	
SENECA	3 BLK STR	491@\$205.00	WATERVILLE	1 BWF COW	1,230@\$75.00
SENECA	18 BLK STR	496@\$205.00	1 BLK COW	1,745@\$75.00	
GREENLEAF	4 BLK STR	355@\$205.00	1 BLK COW	1,285@\$75.00	
HERKIMER	6 MIX STR	365@\$203.00	1 BLK COW	1,230@\$75.00	
SENECA	13 BLK STR	508@\$202.00	1 BLK COW	1,455@\$74.50	
WASHINGTON	3 BLK BULL	378@\$200.00	1 BLK COW	1,260@\$74.50	
BAILEYVILLE	3 BLK STR	478@\$196.00	1 CHAR COW	1,465@\$74.50	
FRANKFORT	7 BLK STR	520@\$196.00	1 BLK COW	1,795@\$74.50	
WATERVILLE	16 BLK STR	525@\$196.00	1 BLK COW	1,260@\$74.00	
WATERVILLE	8 BLK STR	524@\$195.00	1 RED COW	1,265@\$74.00	
DILLER,NE	3 BLK STR	491@\$194.00	1 XB RD COW	1,555@\$74.00	
HANOVER	3 CHAR STR	493@\$192.00	1 CHAR COW	1,555@\$73.50	
HERKIMER	11 BLK STR	508@\$191.50	1 CHAR COW	1,360@\$73.00	
DILLER,NE	2 BLK STR	477@\$186.00	1 BLK COW	1,400@\$73.00	
FRANKFORT	4 MIX STR	556@\$185.00	1 BLK COW	1,135@\$73.00	
VALLEY FALLS	16 BLK STR	567@\$184.50	1 BLK COW	1,035@\$73.00	
BURCHARD,NE	1 BLK STR	475@\$184.00	1 BLK COW	1,620@\$73.00	
OKETO	9 BLK BULL	497@\$183.00	1 CHAR COW	1,400@\$72.50	
FRANKFORT	23 CHAR STR	642@\$182.50	1 BLK COW	1,500@\$72.50	
BAILEYVILLE	30 BLK STR	582@\$180.00	1 BLK COW	1,530@\$72.50	
PALMER	9 BLK STR	795@\$185.00	1 BWF COW	1,440@\$72.50	
SENECA	36 MIX STR	580@\$179.00	1 BLK COW	1,215@\$72.00	
GOFF	17 BLK STR	597@\$178.50	1 BLK COW	1,340@\$72.00	
BAILEYVILLE	7 BLK STR	590@\$178.00	1 XB RD COW	1,510@\$72.00	
FRANKFORT	5 MIX STR	659@\$175.00	1 BLK COW	1,340@\$72.00	
BAILEYVILLE	2 BLK STR	605@\$175.00	1 BLK COW	1,250@\$72.00	
MANHATTAN	3 BLK BULL	475@\$175.00	1 BLK COW	1,350@\$71.50	
MARYSVILLE	4 XB RD STR	555@\$172.00	1 BWF COW	1,340@\$71.50	
HERKIMER	3 BLK STR	670@\$170.00	1 BLK COW	1,490@\$71.00	
BEATRICE,NE	7 BLK STR	607@\$168.50	1 BLK COW	1,210@\$71.00	
FRANKFORT	3 BLK STR	593@\$166.00	1 BLK COW	1,075@\$71.00	
GREENLEAF	8 BLK STR	611@\$165.00	1 BLK COW	1,385@\$71.00	
GOFF	9 BLK STR	692@\$164.50	1 BLK COW	1,560@\$71.00	
BURCHARD,NE	1 BLK STR	675@\$161.50	1 CHAR COW	1,190@\$71.00	
SENECA	16 MIX STR	685@\$159.75	1 XB RD COW	1,335@\$71.00	
FRANKFORT	3 BLK STR	686@\$159.50	1 BLK COW	1,755@\$70.50	
FRANKFORT	25 CHAR STR	756@\$159.50	1 BLK COW	1,275@\$70.50	
VALLEY FALLS	17 BLK STR	695@\$158.50	1 XB RD COW	1,640@\$70.50	
GOFF	4 BLK STR	666@\$155.00	1 BLK COW	1,240@\$70.00	
AXTELL	2 MIX STR	720@\$155.00	1 BLK COW	1,109@\$69.00	
FRANKFORT	6 MIX STR	582@\$152.00	1 BWF COW	1,150@\$69.00	
CORNING	27 BLK STR	793@\$150.00	1 BLK COW	1,595@\$69.00	
MANHATTAN	1 BLK BULL	560@\$149.00	1 BLK COW	1,345@\$69.00	
AXTELL	3 BLK STR	766@\$146.50	1 BLK COW	1,465@\$69.00	
FRANKFORT	120 BLK STR	908@\$145.10	1 BLK COW	1,545@\$69.00	
BEATTIE	2 BLK STR	710@\$145.00	1 BLK COW	1,420@\$69.00	
BURCHARD,NE	4 BLK STR	801@\$145.00	1 BLK COW	1,530@\$69.00	
GREENLEAF	61 BLK STR	876@\$143.00	1 WF COW	1,510@\$69.00	
GREENLEAF	37 BLK STR	793@\$142.75	1 BLK COW	1,330@\$69.00	
SUMMERFIELD	4 BLK STR	795@\$142.50	1 BLK COW	1,205@\$69.00	
SENECA	22 BLK STR	855@\$142.10	1 BLK COW	1,360@\$69.00	
FRANKFORT	9 MIX STR	723@\$140.50	1 BLK COW	1,275@\$69.00	
BAILEYVILLE	60 MIX STR	925@\$140.00	1 XB RD COW	1,510@\$69.00	
FRANKFORT	9 MIX STR	814@\$138.75	1 XB RD COW	1,080@\$68.50	
FRANKFORT	12 BLK STR	731@\$138.00	1 HOL COW	1,415@\$68.50	
MARYSVILLE	2 MIX STR	822@\$137.50	1 BWF COW	1,155@\$68.50	
SUMMERFIELD	2 MIX STR	1,010@\$128.00	1 BLK COW	1,425@\$68.50	
OKETO	1 BLK BULL	700@\$121.00	1 BLK COW	2,050@\$68.50	
OKETO	1 BLK BULL	810@\$120.00	1 BLK COW	1,525@\$68.00	
BEATTIE	1 BLK BULL	840@\$120.00	1 BLK COW	1,205@\$68.00	
RANDOLPH	1 BLK BULL	1,060@\$117.00	1 RED COW	1,310@\$68.00	
PHILLY,NE	1 BWF BULL	795@\$115.00	1 BLK COW	1,420@\$68.00	
BERN	1 BLK BULL	1,095@\$114.00	1 BLK COW	1,215@\$68.00	
FRANKFORT	1 RED BULL	1,155@\$109.00	1 BWF COW	1,320@\$68.00	
<b>HEIFERS</b>			1 BLK COW	1,305@\$67.50	
SENECA	2 BLK HFR	317@\$186.00	1 BLK COW	1,430@\$67.50	
WATERVILLE	5 BLK HFR	318@\$184.00	1 BLK COW	1,285@\$67.50	
HERKIMER	2 BLK HFR	317@\$183.00	1 BLK COW	1,505@\$67.50	
GREENLEAF	1 BLK HFR	500@\$175.50	1 CHAR COW	1,335@\$67.50	
SENECA	12 BLK HFR	500@\$175.50	1 BLK COW	1,520@\$67.00	
FRANKFORT	5 BLK HFR	488@\$175.00	1 BLK COW	1,650@\$67.00	
BAILEYVILLE	3 BLK HFR	505@\$175.00	1 CHAR COW	1,490@\$67.00	
WATERVILLE	4 BLK HFR	361@\$174.00	1 BLK COW	1,325@\$67.00	
WATERVILLE	15 BLK HFR	377@\$173.50	1 BLK COW	1,455@\$67.00	
FRANKFORT	1 BLK HFR	350@\$172.00	1 BLK COW	1,370@\$67.00	
OKETO	2 BLK HFR	372@\$170.00	1 BLK COW	1,230@\$66.50	
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WATERVILLE	12 BLK HFR	567@\$167.00	1 BLK COW	1,415@\$66.00	
BURCHARD,NE	2 BLK HFR	576@\$167.00	1 BLK COW	1,335@\$66.00	
HERKIMER	11 BLK HFR	522@\$166.00	1 XB RD COW	1,320@\$66.00	
GOFF	6 BLK HFR	545@\$165.50	1 BLK COW	1,405@\$66.00	
SENECA	33 BLK HFR	588@\$165.50	1 BLK COW	1,275@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	5 BLK HFR	512@\$165.00	1 CHAR COW	1,305@\$66.00	
AXTELL	4 MIX HFR	406@\$165.00	1 BLK COW	1,200@\$66.00	
BAILEYVILLE	8 BLK HFR	531@\$164.50	1 XB RD COW	1,010@\$66.00	
BEATRICE,NE	8 BLK HFR	421@\$163.50	1 BWF COW	1,395@\$66.00	
SENECA	8 BLK HFR	436@\$162.00	1 RED COW	1,625@\$66.50	
GREENLEAF	15 BLK HFR	548@\$161.50	1 BLK COW	1,390@\$66.00	
SUMMERFIELD	3 BLK HFR	545@\$161.00	1 BWF COW	1,025@\$66.00	
BLUE RAPIDS	2 XB RD HFR	440@\$161.00	1 BLK COW	1,305@\$66.00	
SENECA	3 BLK HFR	576@\$160.50	1 BLK COW	1,280@\$66.00	
OKETO	4 BLK HFR	507@\$160.00	1 BLK COW	1,265@\$66.00	
WATERVILLE	19 BLK HFR	483@\$160.00	1 BLK COW	1,430@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	11 CHAR HFR	579@\$159.00	1 BLK COW	1,540@\$66.00	
BAILEYVILLE	3 BLK HFR	438@\$158.00	1 CHAR COW	1,390@\$66.00	
BLUE RAPIDS	3 BLK HFR	568@\$158.00	1 BLK COW	1,260@\$66.00	
HANOVER	2 BLK HFR	587@\$157.00	1 BLK COW	1,295@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	3 BLK HFR	530@\$157.00	1 BLK COW	1,195@\$66.00	
MARYSVILLE	1 MIX HFR	520@\$156.00	1 BLK COW	1,365@\$66.00	
MARYSVILLE	5 MIX HFR	521@\$156.00	1 BLK COW	1,285@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	5 MIX HFR	578@\$154.50	1 BLK COW	980@\$66.00	
CORTLAND,NE	10 BLK HFR	638@\$152.25	1 BLK COW	1,555@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	5 MIX HFR	505@\$152.00	1 CHAR COW	1,670@\$66.00	
CENTRALIA	3 MIX HFR	573@\$151.50	1 XB RD COW	1,310@\$66.00	
DILLER,NE	1 BWF HFR	415@\$151.00	1 BLK COW	1,150@\$66.00	
CENTRALIA	3 MIX HFR	616@\$150.00	1 BLK COW	1,560@\$66.00	
AXTELL	3 BLK HFR	471@\$150.00	1 RED COW	1,160@\$66.00	
WATERVILLE	3 BLK HFR	588@\$149.50	1 BLK COW	1,310@\$66.00	
RANDOLPH	10 BLK HFR	780@\$149.50	1 BLK COW	1,235@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	23 BLK HFR	646@\$149.00	1 BLK COW	1,460@\$66.00	
RANDOLPH	5 BLK HFR	734@\$147.00	1 BLK COW	1,395@\$66.00	
MARYSVILLE	4 XB RD HFR	627@\$146.75	1 RED COW	1,190@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	15 CHAR HFR	698@\$146.75	3 BLK COW	1,421@\$66.00	
PALMER	12 BLK HFR	486@\$146.50	1 CHAR COW	1,385@\$66.00	
BEATRICE,NE	13 BLK HFR	621@\$145.75	1 CHAR COW	1,415@\$66.00	
BLUE RAPIDS	10 BLK HFR	835@\$142.25	1 BLK COW	975@\$66.00	
HERKIMER	2 BLK HFR	647@\$141.00	1 BLK COW	1,300@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	10 BLK HFR	792@\$141.00	1 BLK COW	1,400@\$66.00	
GREENLEAF	8 BLK HFR	695@\$141.00	1 RED COW	1,290@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	4 BLK HFR	690@\$139.50	1 BWF COW	890@\$66.00	
BEATRICE,NE	1 BLK HFR	765@\$138.00	1 BWF COW	1,245@\$66.00	
RANDOLPH	5 BLK HFR	861@\$137.00	1 BLK COW	990@\$66.00	
CENTRALIA	15 BLK HFR	744@\$137.00	1 BLK COW	1,095@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	2 BLK HFR	630@\$136.50	1 BLK COW	1,125@\$66.00	
PAWNEE CITY,NE	44 MIX HFR	805@\$136.25	2 MIX COW	1,355@\$66.00	
FRANKFORT	3 BLK HFR	773@\$135.50	2 MIX COW	1,342@\$66.00	
BURCHARD,NE	2 XB RD HFR	647@\$125.00	<b>ADULT BULLS</b>		
FRANKFORT	65 MIX HFR	801@\$131.50	1 BLK BULL	1,405@\$100.00	
SENECA	25 MIX HFR	854@\$127.00	1 BLK BULL	2,020@\$98.00	
WESTMORELAND	19 BLK HFR	956@\$122.00	1 BWF BULL	1,935@\$97.50	
<b>HFRETES</b>			1 RED BULL	1,800@\$97.50	
PALMER	1 RED HFRETTE	905@\$135.00	1 BLK BULL	2,055@\$93.00	
WATERVILLE	1 BLK HFRETTE	910@\$131.00	1 WF BULL	2,060@\$92.00	
FRANKFORT	1 BLK HFRETTE	945@\$130.00	1 RED BULL	1,850@\$91.50	
FRANKFORT	1 BWF HFRETTE	980@\$128.00	1 RED BULL	2,415@\$86.50	
BLAINE	1 BLK HFRETTE	885@\$127.00	1 CHAR BULL	1,415@\$84.00	
FRANKFORT	1 RED HFRETTE	970@\$125.00	1 BLK BULL	1,395@\$82.00	
RANDOLPH	8 MIX HFRETTE	1,075@\$123.50	1 BLK BULL	1,660@\$82.00	
FRANKFORT	1 BLK HFRETTE	1,030@\$122.00	<b>HOUSEHOLD ITEMS</b>		
PALMER	3 BLK HFRETTE	991@\$120.25	LG front load waster & dryer set; Modern		

# April rains affect May forages; alfalfa turns yellow in wet fields

Alfalfa fields fading from green to yellow may mean too much water. Farmers see the change after record-setting rains.

Waterlogged soil kills nitrogen-fixing bacteria on roots, says Craig Roberts. The University of Missouri Extension specialist alerted area specialists of the problems. There are fixes.

"We learned about waterlogged forages in the Great Flood of 1993," Roberts said in a teleconference.

Flooded crops in river and creek bottoms aren't the only problem, Roberts said. Hilltop soils become water-logged also.

Excess water cuts oxygen in the soil. It also kills soil microbes, hurting plant growth.

An early unexpected sign may be alfalfa turning yellow. That's a sign of nitrogen deficiency.

Most people think, but alfalfa makes its own nitrogen. Why does the legume need nitrogen?

Too much water drowns the rhizobium microbes on alfalfa roots. They are the bacteria taking oxygen from the air to feed the plant.

In the previous big flood, Roberts came up with a way to re-inoculate the fields.

Before planting legumes, farmers coat seeds with fresh inoculum. That carries the microbes into the soil.

Roberts' cure is to treat orchardgrass seed with the inoculum. Then drill grass into the thinning stand of alfalfa. A normal practice is to drill grass seed into the thinning alfalfa stands. This boosts hay yields.

By treating the grass seed, inoculum re-enters the soil. Bacteria broadcast on top of the soil won't survive, Roberts warns.

With fresh inoculum, the root nodules regrow. The alfalfa will flourish.

Fresh alfalfa seed cannot be seeded into an old stand. As a defense, existing alfalfa kills the new seedlings.

As a first step, Roberts says, "Check the roots on yellowing alfalfa." Likely there will be a lack of robust nodules.

The inoculation of orchardgrass seed does two things, he said. It adds grass to the hay crop. But the inoculum preserves the alfalfa.

It's a wild idea, but it should work, Roberts said.

State specialists warned against working wet fields before they dry. Wet tracks add soil compaction. That also limits oxygen in the soil.

Farmers with flooding problems can seek help from regional specialists through their county agent.

# Limbach selected Don & Jane Good Outstanding Senior

Joseph Limbach, Eugene, Mo., has been selected as the 2017 Don & Jane Good Outstanding Senior. Craig Good, Don and Jane's son, presented the award April 1.

While an undergraduate student in Animal Sciences and Industry at Kansas State University, Joseph was a member of the 2016 National Champion Meat Animal Evaluation Team and the 2016 Reserve National Champion Livestock Judging Team. He was named an All-American in livestock judging and placed fifth overall at the Meat Animal Evaluation national contest.

He was a member of the 2017 K-State Animal Sciences and Industry Academic Quadrathlon Reserve Champion Team. He was also active in several campus organizations, including Block & Bridle and Ag Competition Team's Council. Joseph assisted with a graduate research project with swine to investigate antibiotic alternatives by utilizing vitamin and mineral premix treatments.

At Fort Scott Community College, he was active on the livestock judging team, served as president of the Collegiate Farm Bureau, was a President's Ambassador and a member of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society.

Internships outside Joseph's comfort zone opened his eyes to multiple sectors in agriculture. He spent two summers working for a food-service trucking company learning both the management and labor intensive side of the business. He also worked one summer for Crop Production Services. He says these internships helped him realize his true passion lies in the swine industry.

After graduating in May 2017, Joseph will join the team at JBS United as research coordinator for one

of its commercial farms in Frankfort, Indiana. He will eventually transfer to the headquarters in Sheridan, In-

diana, where he will work with the marketing team to design schemes for the sales force.



Allison Smith, Lyon County, led the Class 8 Champion market lamb, which was selected as the overall reserve champion at the Wabaunsee County Spring Livestock Show.

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**Sellers include:** Kansas Dept of Wildlife, Parks & Tourism \* Reese Construction \* Great Plains \* Salina Concrete \* Moneylenders Pawn (Guns) \* Eldorado National.

**MOTORHOMES, CAMPERS:** 2005 30' Winnebago Itasca Sunora Special Edition motor home w/Triton V10 engine 45,386 miles 1 slide excellent condition \* 1991 30' Flair by Fleetwood motor home 7.4L V8 (454ci) engine 51,816 miles full set privacy curtains. **CLASSIC CARS, TRUCKS, PARTS:** 1989 Cadillac Alante 2-door 2-seater roadster w/Italian body by Pininfarina hard top & soft top convertible 39k original miles \* 1936 Austin Seven car, runs & drives! \* model T anti theft device w/keys & manufacturer's badge \* antique car parts — hood ornaments, car emblems, horns, spot lights, hubcaps \* car & truck manuals, service bulletins (1/2 table implement books also). **SEMI TRACTORS, TRUCKS, TRAILERS:** 1977 Ford 7000 truck w/3208 CAT engine 5-speed 2-speed axle new clutch 48,000 miles 9' flatbed w/11,000 lb boom crane \* 1973 Kentucky Trailer moving van storage trailer \* Eagle tandem axle trailer 20.5' x 8' wood bed \* 5th wheel camper frame \* single axle utility trailer w/8' x 4' bed. **SKID STEER EQUIPMENT:** Loegering Steel 12x16.5 skid steer tracks \* 70" skid steer manure bucket \* 80" skid steer bucket \* (2) sets of used 12x16.5 solid skid steer tires \* new 12x16.5 solid skid steer tire \* used set Bobcat T250/T300 skid steer tracks \* Montezuma High Flow skid steer tree saw w/rotation. **TRACTORS, IMPLEMENTS:** 1958 Massey Ferguson 85 tractor 135 hrs on complete engine rebuild, new clutch, calcium filled tires \* Goodyear 18.4-26 tractor tire w/rim \* 3-pt King Kutter II 5' roto tiller \* 3-pt King Kutter rotary mower \* Vermeer BC600XL trailer mounted wood chipper. **FARM EQUIPMENT:** (80) panels 20' x 46' 6-bar galvanized continuous fencing w/connectors \* 12, 11', (2) 8' feed bunks \* round bale carrier \* steel farm gates 4' to 18' wide \* stock tank \* feed/planting buckets \* pipe fence posts \* asst d-posts \* 4-1/2 rolls barbed wire \* fence posts \* pr HD ramps \* hog panels \* dog kennels. **CARS, PICKUPS:** 2007 Honda Odyssey \* 2006 Ford Fusion \* 2005 GMC Envoy XL Denali sport utility 4wd 5.3L V8, auto, air ride, leather seats \* 2005 Chevrolet Z71 4wd pickup extended cab \* 2004 Dodge Ram 1500 4-door pickup 5.7L Hemi Magnum engine \* 1995 Ford F-350 XLT pickup w/duales & flatbed \* 1995 GMC Sonoma pickup extended cab \* 1991 Chevrolet S10 pickup.

**TIRES, RIMS, SEATS, PARTS: BATTERIES:** (40) NEW batteries (Eldorado pulled from new vehicles and upgraded). **TIRES & RIMS:** Asst tire sets 16", 17", 18", 20", 22.5" tires. **SEATS:** New van & truck seats (standard seats Eldorado pulled from new vehicles and upgraded). **PARTS:** Ford bed & tailgate liners.

**BOATS, JET SKIS, BOATING EQUIPMENT:** 1995 17' Boston Whaler boat w/1995 115 hp Mariner outboard & trailer (KDWPPT boat) \* 1979 16' Mark Twain bow rider ski boat w/Mercruiser I/O & tandem axle trailer \* fishing boat w/Mercury 90 hp outboard & trailer \* Kawasaki Sport Tourer 1100 STX jet ski w/trailer (KDWPPT) \* Evinrude 85 hp outboard motor.

**MOTORCYCLES:** 1989 Kawasaki Voyager XII w/fairing, saddle bags, helmet box \* Harley-Davidson Police belt drive (needs work). **ATVs:** (2) matching 2015 Polaris Sportsman ETX ATVs 30 hp automatic w/on-demand true AWD each with less than 10 hrs \* Cushman Utility cart w/foam filled tires. **MOWERS, YARD EQUIPMENT:** Ex-Mark zero turn mower w/new engine & many parts \* Land Pride Accu-Z riding mower \* Grazer zero turn riding mower \* JD 185 Hydro riding mower \* Huskee garden tractor \* Fimco 30 gallon garden sprayer \* Ford R11 riding mower \* Troy-Bilt Super Bronco rear tine tiller \* Senator & Unknown brand 4hp front tine tillers \* Mantis 2-cycle mini-tiller.

**GUNS, AMMO:** Remington mod.1100 12 ga semi auto shotgun 23" bbl vent rib NIB serial # SMW124699 \* Remington mod.597 22 LR cal semi auto rifle w/3-9x32 Remington scope pink camo NIB serial # B2750939 \* US Carbine mod. Inland 30 cal semi auto rifle serial # 6800895 \* Western Field mod.30 20 ga pump shotgun serial # 6393 \* Colt mod. Colteer 22 LR cal semi auto rifle w/3-7x20 TASCOCO scope serial # FC15741 \* Stevens mod.59A 410 bolt action shotgun serial # N/A \* Ruger mod.M77-Mark II 270 Win bolt action rifle w/4x12 Bushnell scope serial # 782-18637 \* Mossberg mod.835 12 ga pump shotgun camo vent rib w/sling serial # UM403618 \* Galani mod. Sporter 223 cal semi auto rifle w/7 clips & sling serial # GAL02696 \* Gewehr mod.98 made in 1916 8mm bolt action rifle serial # 4766 \* Stevens mod. Junior 22 LR cal single shot rifle serial # N/A \* Stevens mod. Favorite 22 LR cal single shot rifle octagon bbl serial # J105 \* Rossi mod. 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**HUNTING, FISHING, KDWPPT ITEMS:** (2) Round bale blinds \* elk head mount \* deer stands \* deer racks \* hand crafted gun vises \* reload supplies — powder, shot, wads \* shotgun shells \* approx. 20 fishing poles \* deer stands \* breathalyzers \* binoculars \* radios \* spotlights \* new belts \* gun & equipment holsters \* new Resistol hats various sizes \* skulls & racks \* computer printers \* Eagle Mach II Graph depth recorder \* radios \* speakers \* light \* jump starter \* (3) Camfire multi-fuel space heaters 60,000 BTU \* mini-lockers/lock boxes \* rain suits \* hunting wear \* Cookshack electric cooker/smoker \* camping gear — tents, sleeping bags, camp chairs, ground pads \* fishing gear — reels, tackle boxes, bait buckets, propane, lanterns \* fishing poles \* gas cans \* Sportman's series stainless camp stove.

**INDUSTRIAL & CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT:** Chiao Sheng Machinery mod.A50TNCB pipe bender 3-phase \* Republic mod.HU-2CM horizontal milling machine 230/460V 3-phase w/crate of parts/accessories \* locking propane storage cabinet \* Whiteam trailer mounted electric concrete mixer \* shop squirrel cage fan \* (3) wheel barrows \* (16) sections scaffolding w/X-braces, levers \* (3) aluminum walk boards \* short scaffolding \* guard rail \* steel cables \* pr HD ramps \* MK brick saw \* Core Cut CC800M block saw \* PT3 Wacker trash pump w/8 hp engine & hoses \* control panels \* disconnects breakers. **BUILDING SUPPLIES:** (9) sections ornamental iron fence \* Roll ends commercial flooring \* approx. 50 pallets blocks, blocks, pavers \* 140 boxes floor tile, 60 boxes laminate wood flooring — several boxes of each color & style. **TOOLS:** Snap-On branded ceramic egg charcoal cooker \* (6) school work benches 54" x 64" w/bench vises each corner & locker bases \* 6' x 30" workbench w/drawers & side boards \* Campbell Hausfeld 3.2 hp 60 gal 240v vertical air compressor \* (3) 2-wheelers \* moving cart \* Remington 150 space heater \* pr car ramps \* Lincoln AC-225 arc welder \* 8" Allied bench grinder \* Makita 14" metal cutting chop saw \* (6) shop pedestal fans \* Powermatic 48" lathe 110v \* Black Hawk BH7055 1/2 ton telescopic transmission jack w/air \* Craftsman 2700 psi 175 cc B&S engine pressure washer \* Snap-On Counselor II digital diagnostic reader w/remote control \* Coleman Power Mate 7 KW generator w/14 hp B&S Vanguard engine \* Ridgid mod.500 pipe threader \* NAPA 1000 lb transmission jack \* Delta 4" bbl / 6" disc sander on stand \* coolant drain tank on rollers \* paint pot \* Lincoln Weldonpower AC/DC power source \* water pump w/Wisconsin Robin gas engine \* Powermatic 6" jointer 110v \* Clarke Super 7-R wood floor edge sander w/box of sanding discs & belts \* strap bander \* Wagner twin stroke piston pump painter \* Century Pow'R-Mate 70 wire feed welder \* antique drill press & post vise \* card indexes / parts cabinets. **RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT:** This equipment came from a school district and is just as clean as could be — Univex mod.8512 meat slicer 110v \* 3-shelf stainless cart \* stainless cart w/wire rack \* stainless cart \* Blodgett mod.KTT-10E kettle cooker w/water hookup 480v 3ph \* rolling food grade bbl \* (2) Beverage Air milk coolers 58" wide on wheels \* Pelouze digital utility scale 125 lbs capacity \* Keen Kut Shoe Stringer w/2 heads \* 5' x 30" stainless prep table w/wheel \* 6' x 30" stainless prep table w/sideboards & drawers \* 6' x 2' salad bar w/wneeze guard, foldable tray ledges both sides & removable plate ledge on end \* 60" x 30" stainless prep table w/shelf on wheels \* 72" x 30" stainless prep table w/drawer & shelf \* 9" stainless 3-hole sink w/drain board \* 12" stainless 3-hole sink w/In-Sink-Erator SS125 garbage disposer, drain boards, faucets \* 60" x 30" stainless prep table w/drawer & shelf \* 60" x 30" stainless prep table w/shelf on wheels \* (2) Lincoln Frick 2-tier toppings cabinets on carts \* Cres-Cor hot cabinet 70" tall on wheels \* Cres-Cor Crown-X hot cabinet w/2 doors 72" tall on wheels \* Metro C200 hot cabinet w/2 doors 74" tall on wheels \* (2) Precision RSU-21 hot cabinets 41" tall on wheels \* Precision hot cabinet 39" tall on wheels \* Wittco hot cabinet 42" tall on wheels \* wire shelving. **Other sellers —** (32) stacking chairs \* (30) metal framed chairs w/red seats \* Hobart commercial mixer w/bowls, hooks, beaters, whisks \* 4-beverage dispenser \* tray rack \* hot cabinet. **ANTIQUA RADIOS, FANS, ELECTRONICS:** Antique radios & speakers \* (25) table top radios \* (7) PA speakers \* several boxes LP records most 60s, 70s, 80s \* VHS tapes \* CDs \* DVDs \* monitors \* printers \* power controllers \* routers \* stereo \* speakers \* Excel portable amp. **EXERCISE & SPORTS EQUIPMENT:** Next Power Climber 18-sp mountain bike \* Raleigh Retroglide One cruiser bike \* Vintage girls bike w/basket \* Next & Rand mountain bikes. **COLLECTIBLES:** 148 straight razors, safety razors, brushes, cups, shaving equipment (collection sells as 1 lot) \* RC model planes \* briefcase w/stamp collections — 2 World albums, mint album, others \* man cave beer & liquor signage \* New Reflections 513 kerosene stove \* gas cook stove \* wood cook stove \* Estate Triple Effect heating porcelain stove. **FURNITURE, MISC.:** Complete office furniture from Salina Building Systems — set/10 upholstered chairs \* (4) task chairs \* (2007 Cannon Image Runner copier \* Cannon NP6221 copier (both copiers are multi-drawer office set-ups just out of the office, some supplies included) \* drafting table \* lateral file \* (2) 4-drawer legal file cabinets \* drawings or plans cabinet \* 52" x 103" oak/laminate conference table \* oak desk w/right hand return, matching credenza & bookshelf \* numerous 2- and 4-drawer file cabinets \* (10) swivel office chairs. **Other items —** (18) stacking chairs upholstered seats/wood backs \* throne w/heraldic emblems \* (15) stacking chairs \* (3) task chairs \* nice wood table w/4 chairs \* writing desk \* book shelf \* computer desk \* oak Ridgeway clock.

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### Workshop discusses national bio-surveillance system for U.S. swine industry

In April the Institute for Infectious Animal Diseases, a Department of Homeland Security Center of Excellence, along with the National Pork Board (NPB) and the Swine Health Information Center (SHIC), hosted a workshop to discuss the development of a national bio-surveillance system for the U.S. swine industry. The meeting, which also received sponsorship from the DHS Science and Technology Directorate, aimed to foster a focused, interactive discussion between the industry representatives and state and federal animal health officials in attendance. Through interactive discussions, participants were asked to build upon previous and current industry and government efforts in identifying and developing a road map to address gaps for a workable, credible, affordable and robust nationally coordinated bio-surveillance system to meet commerce and trade needs for the U.S. swine industry.

The meeting was designed as a way to look forward to what the industry needs. The United States Department of Agriculture,

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service currently has regulatory surveillance programs (pseudorabies, brucellosis and classical swine fever), monitors for influenza and vesicular diseases and is in the process of evaluating the parameters to develop a comprehensive U.S. swine surveillance program. Additionally, the U.S. pork industry daily actively monitors for swine diseases in a continual effort to protect the health and welfare of the country's swine herd.

There was a significant consensus among the industry stakeholders participating in the workshop regarding the attributes of an optimal risk-based comprehensive disease preparedness system and that a modern robust national bio-surveillance system is a vital component. Those preparedness attributes include: allowing granular, access-controlled information sharing to protect data; leveraging easy-to-collect, aggregate samples (i.e. oral fluids) collected by trained production personnel on farm for testing; using triggers to automatically identify anomalies for further investigation; and utilizing standardized, elec-

tronic, real-time data capture for movements, premises production, slaughter, and veterinary diagnostic laboratory information. Priority actions to develop the identified needed surveillance system were also articulated and included, among others, validation of an oral-fluids-based diagnostic assay for priority FADs and establishing a network of producers, state animal health officials and National Animal Health Laboratory Network laboratories in core pork producing states to work together on key gaps and opportunities.

Steve Brier, a member of the NPB Swine Health Committee, presented industry views at the workshop and said that a "nationally coordinated bio-surveillance system is an industry-identified priority to improve capacity to prepare, detect and rapidly respond to regulatory FADs, emerging and re-emerging diseases, as well as contribute to successful implementation of the Secure Pork Supply Plan to facilitate business continuity in the face of high consequence disease outbreaks."

Among all participants

there was a commitment to timely forward progress. "Though we have a good consensus among our stakeholders, we have to work on these action items with a sense of urgency - including developing a timeline for completion of activities," said Paul Sundberg, DVM, Ph.D., DACVPM, SHIC executive director.

Swine health and food safety is of paramount importance - the industry has more than 60,000 pork producers who annually market more than 110 million hogs, equals total gross receipts of \$23.4 billion, supports 550,000 jobs and contributes \$39 billion to the U.S. Gross Domestic Product. With record industry expansion in recent years, pork production exports have risen to more than 26% of U.S. production - a number that is expected to continue to increase. With an ever-expanding industry, diseases that can disrupt trade and commerce are of increasing concern, making adapting the nation's current surveillance system to keep up with the industry's needs and speed of commerce of utmost importance.



Consul General Ricardo Zuniga displays U.S. beef ready for Brazilian customers representing more than a decade of work to reopen the country for U.S. producers.

### Secretary Perdue announces arrival of first shipments of U.S. beef to Brazil

Secretary Sonny Perdue announced recently that the first shipment of fresh U.S. beef has arrived in Brazil following a 13-year hiatus. The entrance of American beef into the Brazilian market ushers in promising long-term economic opportunity for U.S. beef producers.

"With Brazil's large market reopened to the United States, U.S. beef exports are poised for new growth. I look forward to Brazilians getting the opportunity to eat delicious American beef, because once they taste it, they'll want more of it," said Perdue.

Brazil closed its market to imports of U.S. fresh beef in 2003 over concerns about bovine spongiform enceph-

alopathy (BSE). Since then, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS) and Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) have worked continuously with Brazilian officials to regain market access.

Additionally, USDA's Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) has provided documentation and information on the U.S. food safety requirements and standards for beef. Following numerous technical discussions and meetings, Brazil officially reopened the market on August 1, 2016 based on the United States' classification by the World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) as a negligible risk country for BSE.

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Wednesday Sale, Hogs NOON • Cattle 12:30 PM

Report from May 3, 2017:

STEERS		HEIFERS			
2 blk	370	205.00	51 blk X	764	135.00
2 blk	465	191.00	2 blk	993	134.00
5 mix	557	186.00	3 blk	1165	118.00
2 blk	600	174.00			
64 mix	738	163.00			
9 mix	781	154.50			
60 blk X	844	150.25			
60 mix	834	147.75			
12 mix	883	144.00			
58 blk X	907	137.50			

**TOP BUTCHER COW**  
\$96.00 @ 1,320 lbs.

**TOP BUTCHER BULL**  
Char \$99.75 @ 2,200 lbs.

**BRED COWS**  
\$925 to \$1,425

**COW/CALF PAIRS**  
\$1,050 to \$1,685

**HEIFERS**

3 blk	370	180.00
2 blk	428	164.00
4 mix	515	160.50
4 blk	624	145.00

**CONSIGNMENTS FOR MAY 10:**  
 50 wf bwf Strs ..... 475-600 lbs. .... Weaned, Shots  
 60 Blk X Strs ..... 800-825 lbs.  
 12 Blk Hftrs ..... 725-750 lbs.  
 18 wf Str/Hftrs ..... 450-575 lbs. .... Weaned, Shots  
**PLUS MORE BY SALE TIME!**

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### CLAY CENTER LIVESTOCK SALES INC.

Cattle sales Tuesday, 11:00 AM.

Report from May 2, 2017:

STEERS		HEIFERS			
7 blk	471	181.00	11 blk	479	164.00
4 blk	566	177.00	16 blk	543	159.50
3 blk	603	165.00	4 blk	574	148.50
4 red	623	155.00	6 blk	639	144.75
3 blk	828	130.50	7 blk	684	137.00
			4 mix	769	136.50
			9 blk	793	130.50

**TOP BUTCHER COW:**  
2 red  
\$85.00 @ 1,113 lbs.

**TOP BUTCHER BULL:**  
\$94.50 @ 1,975 lbs.

**BRED COWS:**  
\$980-\$1,350

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Date: 5/3/17 Total Head Count: 485. COWS: \$73-77.50; \$66-\$72.75; \$65 & down. BULLS: \$83-90

BULLCALVES		PAIRS	
2 blk	750@129.00	2 blk	1491@1300.00
		12 blk	1491@1300.00
HEIFERS		STEERS	
5 mix	406@165.00	6 blk	459@171.00
3 blkbwf	487@159.00	2 blk	410@169.00
6 mix	475@154.00	2 blk	543@178.00
3 blk	507@158.00	6 mix	582@167.00
2 blk	513@151.00	60 blkbwf	791@151.25
2 blk	568@145.00	15 mix	729@150.00
8 blk	764@141.00	3 Char	792@145.00
2 mix	728@125.00	16 mix	791@143.00
5 mix	970@127.00	57 blkbwf	887@145.25
2 blk	1063@124.50	36 mix	855@141.00
5 blkbwf	1084@122.50	8 mix	951@132.25
2 blk	1113@124.00	9 mix	1038@129.50

**EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR MAY 17th**  
 • 70 blk red & Char strs, 775-825 lbs  
 • 33 blk & red strs, 900-950 lbs

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# New multi-species program for youth focuses on animal care

Youth who raise and show animals have a new tool to help them focus on quality care and food safety. The Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) program will debut at June's World Pork Expo in Des Moines, Iowa. Pork Checkoff staff spearheaded its development with assistance from other species organizations and livestock

associations. Similar in scope to the Checkoff's Youth Pork Quality Assurance Plus® program, the YQCA program not only sets the standard for swine exhibitors, but for all livestock exhibitors. The education and certification program is for youth producers from ages eight to 21. The program focuses on animal care, including food

safety and animal well-being, while enhancing life skills, according to Dinah Peebles, certifications manager for the Pork Checkoff. "Educating youth on the importance of animal care will better prepare them for future roles in agriculture," said Peebles, who was asked to think outside of the box in crafting the program. "It has been an honor to work

with other species groups to create this collaborative program." She added, "Youth exhibitors raise thousands of animals and contribute to millions of pounds of meat marketed each year. It's essential for youth to know their role in providing safe products to consumers." For more info, visit yqca.org.

# KARL leaders graduate to assist Kansas

Thirty Kansans recently graduated from the two-year Kansas Agriculture and Rural Leadership program.

"The Kansas Agriculture and Rural Leadership Program helped the Class XIII leaders find a way to change their world by building on their integrity, confidence, discipline, professionalism, self-development, global viewpoint and servant ethos," said Al Davis, president of Kansas Agriculture and Rural Leadership, Inc. during its last seminar. "Our newest KARL graduates now possess a sense to serve and follow, in order to lead."

"Rural Kansas, the agricultural industry, our state, nation and world need your leadership... now get to work," Davis told the class members.

The KARL Program is a two-year educational experience offering intensive study, training and travel for emerging leaders in agriculture and rural communities.

Participants in nine in-state seminars, plus out-of-state study tours that included a national seminar to study a Fortune 500 corporation, a tour to Washington, D.C. to study decision-making on the federal level and an international study tour to Chile, providing a capstone to the intensive 52-day training spread over two years.

At the final seminar, KARL Board vice chairman Jerry McReynolds thanked the more than 1,000 donors who supported the graduating class's two-year participation: "More than \$500,000 was contributed as fellowship support to supplement the tuition paid or raised by class members. This KARL training experience carried a value of over \$25,000 per person and four-fifths of that value was contributed through the generous support of our not-for-profit charitable educational organization."

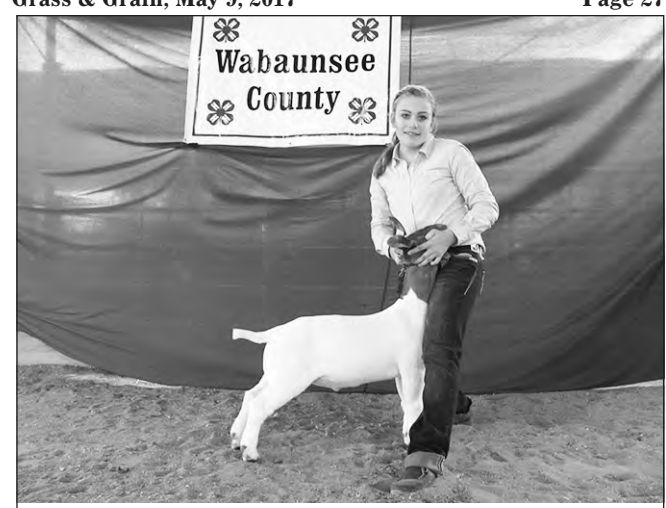
KARL graduates and spouses, or adult guests become members of the KARL Network, which includes the KARL Graduate

Program. That program supports the KARL Program and expands graduates' networks, plus provides further learning opportunities. Through the graduate program, cultural exchange travel opportunities are available.

The new KARL graduates, alphabetically by last name and their community are: Kellie Allen, Parsons; Lori Bammerlin, Council Grove; Chris Boyd, Medicine Lodge; Barry Brandstetter, Overland Park; Billy Brown, Manhattan; Trista Brown Priest, Satanta; Craig Carnahan, Altamont; Michelle Cerne, Altamont; Nathan Eck, Little River; Andy Fahrmeier, Garden City; Tim Flax, Hays; Matt

Foos, Spearville; Frances Gorman Graves, Bartlett; Anna Govert-Young, Cheney; Amy Heinemann, Garden City; Trisha Jansen, Geneseo; Dustin Kuntz, Harveyville; Kathy LaScala, Eudora; Jesse Luckie, Ashland; Laura Moffet, Stockton; Clarke Nelson, Long Island; Brad Parker, Topeka; Shawn Powelson, Scott City; Wyatt Rundel, Wichita; Ben Schrag, Canton; Andrew Sigle, Osborne; Tony Wedel, Moundridge; Nick Weibert, Abilene; LaVell Winsor, Grantville; and Mallory Wittstruck, Beloit.

For more information regarding the new class, alumni, the curriculum and program goals visit the website at [www.karlprogram.com/](http://www.karlprogram.com/).



Leading the overall champion market goat champion was Raine Garten, Dickinson County.

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## VALENTINE LIVESTOCK AUCTION CO. Valentine, Neb.

Special Bred Female, Pair & Regular Sale  
 Thursday, May 11, 2017  
 S.T. 10:00 a.m. weigh-ups; 1:30 p.m. pairs

**Pairs:**  
 200...blk (40 bwf) (1st cf; 1100-1175#) w/angus sired cfs at side (late March & April born). Heifers weigh 1050#+. Good rig, top of 400 hd. Liquidation..... Wes Hitchcock Family (402-322-3141)  
 200...blk, blk-x (young-short/solid; 1350-1450#). Most have angus sired calves (April born). Moderate framed, average flesh. Liquidation. Wes Hitchcock Family

**Fall Bred Females:**  
 65...rd angus (28 hd) & blk (37 hd) (1000#) bred LBW angus (Connealy); cf 8-15 for 50 days. Got a good look!..... Joe & Katie Mundorf  
 36...angus (3-6 yrs; 1250-1300#) bred angus (sons of Renown); cf 8-6 for 52 days. Carry the genes EXAR 263C, Roundup, 004. Deep, big bodied kind..... Pearson L&C

**Late Spring Bred Females:**  
 70...blk (running age) bred blk; cf May-June..... Bar 11 Ranch Co  
 15...blk, bwf (3-7 yrs) bred blk & Hereford; cf 6-1 for 20 days. Blaine Sherman Est  
 30...blk bred blk..... Robert Tate

**Plus more Spring & Fall bred cows and pairs from Frauen, Graeff, Open Box Livestock, Alberts**

**All Breeds Bull Exchange @ 4:00 p.m.**  
 Tuesday, May 16, 2017  
 Bulls arrive from 1:00-3:00 on Tuesday.  
**Opportunity for bull producers to market breeding bulls!**  
 10...angus yearlings & twos..... TK Angus (Tim Marlatt)  
 8...angus yearlings (Jan-Feb; 1300#). Sons & grandsons of Hero 2418..... Leroy Logterman  
 7...angus two's (1500-1700#). Hero & R. Windy genes..... Dwight Logterman  
 3...angus yearlings (Jan & Feb; 1300#). International, Stockman & Upwards sons..... Carter Angus (Sam)  
 8...angus two's..... Hall Angus (Les & Ed)  
 6...Hereford (1 rd angus) (5 yr-1 fall)..... Ken Stephens  
 2...Hereford (2 & 3 yrs) performance papers available..... Adams Bros (ABC)  
 2...Hereford (twos) performance papers available..... Roger Chenoweth  
 5...Hereford twos..... Rocky Merrihew  
 2...Hereford twos..... Ken Stephens  
 5...Hereford (horned) twos..... Nollies Cattle Co  
 8...sim/angus & angus, yrlegs (1000#) A.I. sires Thunder, New Vis, Comrade, Unomoss, & Duke..... Fred Wellnitz  
 5...rd angus yearlings..... Arrow N Red Angus (Nuesch)

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 Horse/Tack Auction- Every 1st Saturday

Results From May 2nd Sale:

Steers:		Heifers:	
400-500#	\$170.00-\$191.00	400-500#	\$149.00-\$166.00
500-600#	\$167.00-\$200.00	500-600#	\$130.00-\$163.00
600-700#	\$158.00-\$171.00	600-700#	\$120.00-\$139.75
700-800#	\$139.00-\$163.00	700-800#	\$112.00-\$129.00
800-900#	\$137.00-\$145.00		

Sat., May 20th- Hog/Sheep/Goat Sale  
 Tues., May 23rd- Holstein Special  
 Sat., June 3rd- Horse & Tack Sale

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STEERS		HEIFERS	
450-620	162.00-192.00	420-500	155.00-173.00
625-700	167.00-181.00	525-600	157.00-170.00
710-850	145.00-167.00	601-600	140.00-150.00
		730-880	127.00-136.00

**Friday, May 12**

- 42 blk cows, 2yrs-up w/blk calves. Dispersion of all cows that calved March 10-April 22. Home raised, reputation. Brandon Meyer, 402-469-0439
- 20 Char red Angus cows w/Char red Angus calves. Rex Wemper, 308-830-1755
- 8 blk hfrs, repl. nice 900 lbs Brandon Meyer
- 120 blk hfrs 850 lbs
- 60 hfrs 800 lbs
- 18 hfrs 750 lbs

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Market Report - Sale Date 5-4-17. Head count: 620.  
 300-400 lb. steers, \$130-\$197; heifers, \$130-\$177; 400-500 lb. steers, \$130-\$191; heifers, \$130-\$172; 500-600 lb. steers, \$130-\$189; heifers, \$125-\$160; 600-700 lb. steers, \$125-\$176; heifers, \$125-\$159.75; 700-800 lb. steers, \$125-\$160; heifers, \$120-\$135.50; 800-900 lb. steers, \$120-\$140. Trend on Calves: Choice Steer & Heifer calves, \$5-\$10 higher. Trend on Feeder Cattle: Feeder Steers & Heifers, \$5-\$10 higher. Butcher Cows: High dressing cows: \$67.50-\$76; Avg. dressing cows: \$55-\$67.50; Low dressing cows: \$40-\$55. Stock Cows: Cow/Calf Pairs: \$1,400-\$2,080. Butcher Bulls: Avg. to high dressing bulls, \$80-\$100.50; Trend on Cows & Bulls: Butcher Cows, \$2-\$4 higher; Butcher Bulls, \$2-\$4 higher.

Early Consignments May 11  
 EXPECTING 700-800 HEAD.

We welcome your consignments!  
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On Thursday, May 4 we had 564 head of cattle on a good market.

STEERS		HEIFERS		BULLS	
4 blk bwf	258@220.00	4 blk	268@187.50	2 blk bwf	418@184.00
8 blk red	537@194.50	4 blk	355@170.00	3 blk bwf	523@171.50
16 blk bwf	601@188.00	5 blk red	564@150.00	2 red	618@155.50
13 blk bwf	618@180.00	4 rdAng	703@166.00		
10 blk bwf	683@169.50	7 xbred	569@161.00		
10 bkChar	716@167.00	9 xbred	657@149.00		
4 rdAng	703@166.00	14 bkChar	800@147.00		
7 xbred	569@161.00	37 bkrdCh	861@145.00		
9 xbred	657@149.00				
14 bkChar	800@147.00				
37 bkrdCh	861@145.00				

Butcher Cows: \$40-\$78, Mostly \$65-\$72, \$1-3 higher.  
 Butcher Bulls: \$77.50-\$100, Mostly \$91-\$98, \$1-3 higher.  
 Packer cows & bulls selling in very good demand.

COWS		BULLS	
1 brown	1325@78.50	1 blk	1750@100.00
1 blk	1205@75.50	1 Char	2065@99.50
1 blk	1245@75.00	1 blk	1855@99.00
2 blk	1330@74.50	1 blk	2130@98.50
1 yellow	1445@74.50	1 blk	1870@97.00
1 blk	1460@74.00	1 blk	2155@96.00
1 blk	1710@74.00	1 blk	1635@94.50
1 blk	1465@74.00		
1 red Angus	1320@73.50		

**EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR MAY 11**

- 90 blk bwf str & hfrs, 600-800 lbs, longtime weaned, vac., & home raised
- 30 blk bwf str & hfrs, 450-600 lbs, weaned & vac.
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MARKET REPORT FOR TUESDAY, MAY 2, 2017  
 RECEIPTS: 918 CATTLE

STEERS		HEIFERS	
5 blk str	424@203.00	4 blk red str	525@180.00
6 blk str	425@198.00	4 blk bwf str	643@178.00
4 blk str	456@197.50	30 bwf rwf str	565@172.00
4 blk bwf str	495@190.50	6 bwf rwf str	646@171.00
3 blk str	445@189.00	5 blk str	619@170.00
5 blk str	526@187.75	4 blk bwf str	650@169.00
3 blk str	505@186.00	6 bwf rwf str	595@168.00
13 blk bwf str	491@184.00	9 blk char str	672@166.00
10 blk red str	525@180.00	4 blk bwf str	680@158.00
4 blk bwf str	643@178.00	17 blk red str	644@158.00
30 bwf rwf str	565@172.00	5 blk bwf str	756@156.00
6 bwf rwf str	646@171.00	4 blk bwf str	718@150.00
5 blk str	619@170.00	3 blk blue str	811@148.00
4 blk bwf str	650@169.00	7 mix str	770@138.00
6 bwf rwf str	595@168.00	8 blk str	947@137.00
9 blk char str	672@166.00	9 blk bwf str	957@137.00
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## Grass & Grain Weather Report May 9, 2017

Seven Day Forecast	In-Depth Local Forecast	Today's Local Outlook																																																																																																				
<p><b>TUESDAY</b> Mostly Sunny High 81 Low: 63</p> <p><b>WEDNESDAY</b> Isolated T-storms High: 77 Low: 58</p> <p><b>THURSDAY</b> Showers Likely High: 69 Low: 58</p> <p><b>FRIDAY</b> Partly Cloudy High: 61 Low: 55</p> <p><b>SATURDAY</b> Partly Cloudy High: 62 Low: 51</p> <p><b>SUNDAY</b> Sunny High: 68 Low: 53</p> <p><b>MONDAY</b> Mostly Cloudy High: 69 Low: 56</p>	<p>Today we will see mostly sunny skies with a high temperature of 81°, humidity of 51%. South southwest wind 6 to 10 mph. The record high temperature for today is 100° set in 2011. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with a slight chance of showers, overnight low of 63°</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Last Week's Almanac</b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Date</th> <th>Hi/Lo</th> <th>Normals</th> <th>Precip</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>4/28</td> <td>64/45</td> <td>70/46</td> <td>0.22"</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4/29</td> <td>48/44</td> <td>71/47</td> <td>0.38"</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4/30</td> <td>33/41</td> <td>71/47</td> <td>0.77"</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5/1</td> <td>67/39</td> <td>72/47</td> <td>0.05"</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5/2</td> <td>67/48</td> <td>73/48</td> <td>0.00"</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5/3</td> <td>60/48</td> <td>73/49</td> <td>0.05"</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5/4</td> <td>70/41</td> <td>74/49</td> <td>0.00"</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Rainfall ..... 1.47" Normal rainfall ..... 0.94" Departure ..... +0.53" Average temp ..... 52.5° Average normal ..... 59.8° Departure ..... -7.3°</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>This Week's Sun &amp; Moon Chart</b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Day</th> <th>Sunrise</th> <th>Sunset</th> <th>Moonrise</th> <th>Moonset</th> <th>Phase</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Tuesday</td> <td>6:19 a.m.</td> <td>8:27 p.m.</td> <td>7:24 p.m.</td> <td>6:30 a.m.</td> <td>New 5/25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Wednesday</td> <td>6:18 a.m.</td> <td>8:28 p.m.</td> <td>8:20 p.m.</td> <td>7:04 a.m.</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Thursday</td> <td>6:17 a.m.</td> <td>8:29 p.m.</td> <td>9:15 p.m.</td> <td>7:04 a.m.</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Friday</td> <td>6:16 a.m.</td> <td>8:30 p.m.</td> <td>10:09 p.m.</td> <td>7:42 a.m.</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Saturday</td> <td>6:15 a.m.</td> <td>8:31 p.m.</td> <td>11:00 p.m.</td> <td>8:22 a.m.</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sunday</td> <td>6:14 a.m.</td> <td>8:32 p.m.</td> <td>11:49 p.m.</td> <td>9:07 a.m.</td> <td>First 6/1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Monday</td> <td>6:13 a.m.</td> <td>8:33 p.m.</td> <td>11:49 p.m.</td> <td>9:56 a.m.</td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Local UV Index</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Weather History</b></p> <p>May 9, 1985 - Lightning struck some trees about 150 yards away from a home in Abilene and followed the driveway to the home. The charge went through the house and burned all the electrical outlets, ruined appliances and blasted a hole in the concrete floor of the basement.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Growing Degree Days</b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Date</th> <th>Degree Days</th> <th>Date</th> <th>Degree Days</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>4/28</td> <td>4</td> <td>5/2</td> <td>7</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4/29</td> <td>0</td> <td>5/3</td> <td>4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4/30</td> <td>0</td> <td>5/4</td> <td>5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5/1</td> <td>3</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Date	Hi/Lo	Normals	Precip	4/28	64/45	70/46	0.22"	4/29	48/44	71/47	0.38"	4/30	33/41	71/47	0.77"	5/1	67/39	72/47	0.05"	5/2	67/48	73/48	0.00"	5/3	60/48	73/49	0.05"	5/4	70/41	74/49	0.00"	Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset	Phase	Tuesday	6:19 a.m.	8:27 p.m.	7:24 p.m.	6:30 a.m.	New 5/25	Wednesday	6:18 a.m.	8:28 p.m.	8:20 p.m.	7:04 a.m.		Thursday	6:17 a.m.	8:29 p.m.	9:15 p.m.	7:04 a.m.		Friday	6:16 a.m.	8:30 p.m.	10:09 p.m.	7:42 a.m.		Saturday	6:15 a.m.	8:31 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	8:22 a.m.		Sunday	6:14 a.m.	8:32 p.m.	11:49 p.m.	9:07 a.m.	First 6/1	Monday	6:13 a.m.	8:33 p.m.	11:49 p.m.	9:56 a.m.		Date	Degree Days	Date	Degree Days	4/28	4	5/2	7	4/29	0	5/3	4	4/30	0	5/4	5	5/1	3			
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# EPA administrator hopes to earn back landowners' trust

The Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) new administrator, Scott Pruitt, told Radio Oklahoma Ag Network farm director Ron Hays that the agency has lost its moorings.

Pruitt explained how rolling back the Waters of the United States rule, will help bring the EPA back to

the basics.

"As far as the WOTUS rule is concerned," Pruitt said, "what folks need to understand is — we're on the pathway to undoing, rescinding the previous rule, which is needed."

Currently, Pruitt has issued a stay against the standing rule, put in place

by the previous administration. He emphasizes that farmers, ranchers and landowners of all types need to feel confident that the rule, as written today, will never be put into effect, Hays reports.

To read the full interview, visit <http://tinyurl.com/EPA-WOTUS-Pruitt>.

# KFB Natural Resources Award applications due May 15

Taking care of the land and its natural resources is something farmers and ranchers spend their lives continually working toward. To recognize those efforts, Kansas Farm Bureau honors families across the state who exemplify good land

stewardship.

The Natural Resources Award program recognizes Farm Bureau members of Kansas who use time-honored and cutting-edge conservation practices to protect and improve our state's natural resources.

"We all know farmers and ranchers are stewards of the land," Kent Askren, Kansas Farm Bureau, says. "This award recognizes families who use innovative

practices and look for ways to continually improve how their operations impact the earth's resources."

Applications are due May 15 and can be completed online at [www.kfb.org/nra](http://www.kfb.org/nra). Winners are selected by county Farm Bureaus and forwarded to Kansas Farm Bureau for consideration in the state competition. State winners are recognized at Kansas Farm Bureau's annual meeting in December.

# Johnson County announces spring beef show results

The Johnson County K-State Research and Extension spring beef show was held April 22 at the Johnson County Fairgrounds. Approximately 118 head of cattle were weighed in and shown by participants from surrounding counties in Kansas. Johnson County tagged 30 head of market steers.

Emma Hueser, 14, Gardner, won Grand Champion Breeding Heifer. Paisley Voboril, 11, Bucyrus, won Grand Champion Market Beef.

Youth in 4-H tag steers as a starting point for their beef project. It is an opportunity for youth to show animals in a way to begin the showmanship process and to acclimate animals to a public show arena. 4-H'ers learn responsibility for preparing their animals, caring for them, and competing in a learning process.

The grand finale of the market beef project is the livestock sale at the Johnson County Fair ([www.JoCoKansasFair.com](http://www.JoCoKansasFair.com)) this coming August.

For more information, contact Rick Miller, county Extension agent/Agriculture and Natural Resources, Johnson County K-State Research and Extension at (913) 715-7000 or visit [www.johnson.k-state.edu](http://www.johnson.k-state.edu).

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<p><b>STEER &amp; BULL CALVES</b></p> <p>2 blk/bwf str 235 @ 212.50 2 blk/bwf str 318 @ 211.00 4 blk str 296 @ 210.00 5 blk/bwf bulls 306 @ 204.00 21 blk/bwf str 439 @ 201.00 3 bwf str 535 @ 201.00 12 blk/bwf str 525 @ 199.50 2 blk/bwf str 415 @ 199.00 2 blk str 425 @ 199.00 2 blk/bwf str 358 @ 198.00 11 blk/bwf str 407 @ 198.00 2 blk str 440 @ 198.00 4 blk/bwf str 529 @ 197.00 3 blk str 458 @ 196.00 9 blk/red str 442 @ 194.00 6 x-bred str 462 @ 194.00 3 blk str 533 @ 193.00 2 blk str 425 @ 192.50 2 blk str 385 @ 191.00 3 blk/char str 492 @ 185.00 2 blk str 473 @ 181.00 4 limo str 501 @ 181.00 2 blk str 470 @ 180.00 4 blk/bwf bulls 350 @ 180.00 5 blk/wf str 529 @ 175.00 7 blk/bwf bulls 512 @ 171.00</p> <p><b>STOCKER &amp; FEEDER STEERS</b></p> <p>20 blk/bwf str 554 @ 192.50 20 mix str 578 @ 190.00</p>	<p>3 blk str 580 @ 178.00 13 blk str 633 @ 175.00 2 bwf str 620 @ 166.00 12 blk/char str 675 @ 165.50 6 x-bred str 682 @ 162.00 3 limo str 683 @ 161.00 63 blk/char str 864 @ 149.00 62 blk/char str 846 @ 148.75 59 mix str 889 @ 145.85 29 blk/red str 880 @ 144.50 60 mix str 876 @ 142.75 109 blk/bwf str 953 @ 141.85 8 blk str 876 @ 140.00 60 mix str 961 @ 137.75 21 mix str 1016 @ 133.75</p> <p><b>HEIFER CALVES</b></p> <p>1 blk hfr 275 @ 190.00 1 bwf hfr 350 @ 174.00 6 blk/bwf hfr 418 @ 173.00 2 blk hfr 360 @ 172.00 11 blk hfr 416 @ 172.00 4 blk hfr 305 @ 169.00 8 blk/bwf hfr 475 @ 165.00 2 blk hfr 398 @ 163.00 2 blk/bwf hfr 435 @ 163.00 2 blk/bwf hfr 418 @ 160.00 2 blk hfr 420 @ 160.00 4 blk/bwf hfr 526 @ 159.00 7 blk/char hfr 466 @ 158.00</p>	<p>2 limo hfr 400 @ 155.00 3 blk hfr 507 @ 155.00 6 blk hfr 353 @ 152.00 2 blk hfr 440 @ 151.00 2 blk/char hfr 545 @ 151.00 6 limo hfr 533 @ 149.00</p> <p><b>STOCKER &amp; FEEDER HEIFERS</b></p> <p>9 blk hfr 639 @ 156.50 7 bwf hfr 556 @ 155.50 4 blk hfr 560 @ 155.00 3 bwf hfr 657 @ 152.50 14 blk/char hfr 685 @ 150.00 2 blk hfr 553 @ 145.00 7 blk/bwf hfr 641 @ 143.75 62 blk hfr 775 @ 142.10 62 blk/bwf hfr 779 @ 142.10</p> <p><b>COWS &amp; HEIFERETTES</b></p> <p>3 bwf hfrs 1195 @ 121.50 1 blk hfrt 1005 @ 111.00 1 blk hfrt 1210 @ 109.00 5 blk hfrts 1058 @ 100.00 3 blk hfrts 1147 @ 97.00 4 blk/bwf hfrts 1305 @ 84.00 1 blk cow 940 @ 81.00 1 blk cow 1075 @ 76.00 1 blk cow 950 @ 75.00 1 bwf cow 1325 @ 74.00 1 blk cow 1335 @ 73.50 1 char cow 1125 @ 73.00</p> <p><b>BRED COWS &amp; HEIFERS</b></p> <p>1 blk cow @ 1530.00 8 blk/bwf cows @ 1500.00 5 blk cows @ 1485.00 2 blk cows @ 1485.00 2 blk hfrs @ 1485.00 5 blk cows @ 1410.00</p>
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- 30 Angus str & hfrs, 500-600 lbs., preweaning vacc.
- 65 black heifers, 775-800 lbs.
- 65 black heifers, 750-775 lbs.
- 60 Angus steers & heifers, 800-900 lbs.
- 81 blk bwf steers & heifers, 800-1,000 lbs.
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