



## Summer School

Summer is a time for warmer temperatures, makin' hay, summer vacations, cattle on grass, and for school to be out. This inspired the following poem. However, I recently went back to a school of sorts – if only briefly – and it was worth it. I participated in a local Beef Quality Assurance training session.

Beef Quality Assurance is described as “a program that provides systematic information to U.S. beef producers of how good husbandry techniques can be coupled with accepted scientific knowledge to raise cattle under optimum management conditions.” In other words,

it's training to help ranchers and stockmen up their game.

The mission of the Beef Quality Assurance program is to “guide producers toward continuous improvement using science-based production practices that assure cattle well-being, beef quality and safety.” BQA was developed and supported by the beef checkoff.

Back in the 1970s and 80s, the beef industry responded to the need for self-imposed quality improvement by implementing a beef safety assurance program. That was to make sure there were no volatile chemical residues in beef. The results were good and

led to enhanced producer education programs that we now know as BQA.

Teaching materials have been enhanced through the years. Manuals and assessment tools have been developed for various sectors of the industry. In 2017, online modules were developed. Now producers have the option of attending an in-person session, as I did, or taking the modules online. The online classes have the advantage of allowing the participant to go at his or her own pace, but I liked the in-person teaching.

K-State Research and Extension veterinarian A. J. Tarpoff taught the session which I attended. He was excellent. BQA modules now cover best practices around cattle handling, facility management, cattle transportation, good record keeping and protecting herd health. These management practices are good for cattle, good for producers, and important to consumers.

I appreciate the fact that these materials are science-based and focused on best practices and continuous improvement.

(Didn't Coach Bill Snyder teach us the value of getting a little better each day?) I also appreciate the fact that this initiative is not some federal regulatory requirement, but is the result of beef industry leaders taking responsibility for making our own practices better.

Clayton Huseman is president of KLA Environmental Services and executive director of the Feedlot Division for the Kansas Livestock Association. “BQA has been developed over time by beef producers, veterinarians, nutritionists and Extension professionals through beef producers' investment in the beef checkoff,” Clayton said. “Its recommendations and protocols are rooted in science and make sense. Participating in the BQA program builds consumer trust in the beef brand generally. Marketing a producer-directed initiative, versus an activist-developed agenda, is a huge win for beef producers.”

That's worth a little time to go back to school.

## Cattle Chat: Factors influencing birth weight

By Lisa Moser, K-State Research and Extension news service

Calving season can be an exhausting time on the ranch, especially when cows experience difficulty giving birth, say the experts at Kansas State University's Beef Cattle Institute.

Speaking on a recent Cattle Chat podcast, K-State veterinarians Bob Larson and Brian Lubbers and nutritionist Philip Lancaster answered a question from a listener who observed a change in calf birth weights after relocating the herd from

an arid region to a lush area of the country, leading the group to discuss reasons for variability in birth weights.

One of the factors that Lubbers cited for birth weight differences relates to calf gender.

“Bull calves will typically weigh more than heifer calves, so herds with a disproportionately large number of bulls will have higher average birth weights in the calf crop,” Lubbers said.

Along with gender, Larson said the genetics of the dam and sire are going to influence the calf's birth

weight.

“About 45% of the variability in birth weight can be described by genetic differences,” Larson said. “If producers are observing that the birth weights are too high, one way to improve that situation is to put selection pressure for calving ease in future matings.”

The experts also agree the cow's nutrition during gestation influences the birth weight of her calf.

“Cow nutrition can have a large impact on birth weight of cattle of similar genetics,” Lancaster said.

As an example, he said

calves born in the fall are typically lighter than those born in the spring.

“In herds with similar genetics, there can be a ten-pound difference on average in birth weights between the spring and fall calving herds,” Lancaster said.

He explained that one of the reasons is that fall-calving cows experience late gestation in the heat of the summer, so often their appetites are more depressed.

“Heat stress in summer causes the cow's body to move the blood to the extremities to dissipate heat, causing less nutrients to go directly to the fetus,” Lancaster said.

In response to the listener's question, the group suggested that the timing of when the cows were relocated relative to gestation could have been a key factor in the increased birth weights.

To hear the full discussion, listen to the Cattle Chat podcast online or through your preferred streaming platform.



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### Commencement

By Ron Wilson, Poet Lariat

They've been cooped up all winter,  
and they're looking for freedom.  
I'm tired of the work it takes each day to feed `em.  
So it's time to turn that proverbial page,  
And have them advance on to the next stage.  
It might sound like I'm talking about  
the school year,  
But I'm referring to cows  
when pasture season is here.  
At school, it's called commencement.  
But before we commence,  
We have to check ponds and fix up all the fence.  
It's like an end-of-semester final examination,  
But here on the ranch, I call it grass-uation.  
The herd's completed winter term  
in the ranch's drylot.  
Now they're going to grass  
as the weather turns hot.  
Like kids at the schoolhouse  
when summer break will await,  
My cows are excited when I open the gate.  
Just as teachers are ready  
to send kids on their way,  
I'm happy when it's time for grass-uation day.  
But just like the kids down at the school class,  
There are certain exams  
which my cows have to pass.  
It's not like that A or B grade, which they're hopin',  
Last fall we preg-checked to see  
if bred or they're open.  
Unlike the assignments that schoolwork will bring,  
My cows' only homework is to calve in the spring.  
Now we'll check body condition scores  
and spring vaccinate,  
Before the cows are turned out  
and they go through the gate.  
Summer care for our cows doesn't come to a halt:  
We make sure and count `em, check water and salt.  
But I enjoy summer break,  
when the cows can go graze,  
And we don't have to feed `em  
like those winter days.  
Now I'm looking ahead, as my old cows recall:  
We're planning a class reunion next fall.

Happy Trails!

## Don't overlook summer monitoring of pastures and hay fields

By David Hallauer, Meadowlark District Extension agent, crops and soils/horticulture

The start of the growing season can be an exciting time. Grass greens up. We might be getting ready to put cattle out on grass or are looking ahead to haying season.

Mid-summer is sometimes a different story. It's hot. Ticks attack from below and mosquitos from above. Regularly checking pastures might get replaced with the busyness of haying. After haying, the busyness of hauling water or moving livestock to other grass means we don't return to those hayfields like we did earlier. Most of the time, it all balances out and we're just fine, but sometimes, it's good to be a little more deliberate about monitoring.

When you're chasing weeds in the pasture, take a yard stick and do some random checks of grass height. It's easy to 'guess' how much grass might be left out there, but actually measuring may tell us a different story. It may mean we have to make decisions about rotations or supplementation earlier – but it may mean a better stand in the long term.

A look now and again at hay fields post-harvest isn't a bad thing, either. When we remove almost the entirety of the plant during harvest operations, we force root reserves to push out new growth. Regular visits may only tell us what we don't want to hear: that drought conditions are worse than we thought and recovery hasn't happened as quickly as we'd like. It can also allow us to catch issues like fall armyworm feeding or lack of recovery in thinner soils that we can do something about.

It might be a good time to start that more deliberate monitoring. It doesn't have to be much, but regular scouting can help you make decisions in the short term that you'll reap the benefits from for years to come.

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# Kansas Hay Market Report

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Compared to the last report demand remains good, trade activity slow to moderate, and prices remained mostly steady. New crop production outlook is overall slightly positive with the abundance of rain and bales slowly hitting the ground as prices continue to trickle in. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor for June 15th above-average rainfall fell over parts of the Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska and southeast Wyoming plains again, leading to improvements in the western portion of the region. However, eastern conditions deteriorated where rainfall was not enough to overcome high temperatures and evaporation. The categorical percent area for abnormally dry conditions (D0) slightly increased to 11%, moderate drought (D1) increased to 18%, severe drought (D2) decreased to 17.5%, extreme drought (D3) remained near

30%, and exceptional drought (D4) decreased to 13%.

## Southwest Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, ground and delivered steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: horse, supreme small squares 14.00-15.00/bale. Dairy, 1.40-1.50/point RFV. Good, Stock or Dry Cow 300.00-315.00. Grinding alfalfa, large rounds, 295.00-300.00, new crop 300.00-310.00, large square 3x4's and 4x4's 300.00-310.00, new crop 300.00-310.00. Ground and delivered locally to feed lots and dairies 340.00-350.00, new crop 340.00-355.00. Grass Hay: Bluestem: 155.00-165.00. Corn stalks, ground and delivered 180.00-195.00. The week of 6/11-6/17, 10,117T of grinding alfalfa and 500T of dairy alfalfa was reported bought or sold.

## South Central Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, ground and delivered, and alfalfa pellets, grinding alfalfa mostly steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: horse, small squares 325.00/ton. Dairy 1.40-1.50/point RFV. Good, Stock cow, 295.00-305.00. Fair/good grinding alfalfa, large rounds 280.00-290.00 delivered, new crop 280.00-290.00, 3x4 and 4x4's 290.00-300.00 delivered, new crop 290.00-300.00. Alfalfa ground and delivered 315.00-325.00; Alfalfa/Soybean: ground and delivered 295.00-310.00. Alfalfa pellets: Sun cured 15 pct protein 325.00-340.00, 17 pct protein 345.00-360.00, Dehydrated 17 pct 420.00-425.00. Rye grass, new crop 3x4's 235.00-245.00. The week of 6/11-6/17, 6,505.30T of grinding alfalfa and 0T of dairy alfalfa was reported bought or sold.

## Southeast Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa steady, grass hay steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: horse or goat, none reported. Dairy 1.40-1.50/point RFV. Good, stock cow 260.00-270.00. Fair/good grinding alfalfa, large rounds none reported, large square 3x4's 275.00-285.00; Grass hay: Bluestem, small squares 170.00-180.00, good 3x4 squares 165.00-175.00, large round 140.00-155.00. Brome, large square 190.00-200.00 delivered. The week of 6/11-6/17, 907T of grass hay was reported bought or sold. Northwest Kansas Dairy alfalfa and grinding alfalfa steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: Horse or goat, small squares 300.00-320.00, 3x3 squares 300.00 new crop 1stcutting. Dairy, Premium/

Supreme 1.40-1.50/point RFV. Stock cow, fair/good 295.00-300.00. Fair/good grinding alfalfa, large square 3x4's 295.00-310.00. Alfalfa ground and delivered 280.00-300.00.

## North Central-Northeast Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, ground/delivered, grinding alfalfa steady, and bluestem grass hay steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: Dairy 1.40-1.50/point RFV; Horse hay, premium small squares, 12.00/bale, 3x4's 290.00-300.00; Stock Cow 3x4's 230.00-240.00. New crop 280.00-300.00; Fair/good, grinding alfalfa, large rounds 250.00-260.00, large square 3x4's 250.00-275.00, new crop 290.00-300.00 F.O.B.; Alfalfa ground and delivered 290.00-300.00; Grass hay: Bluestem, small squares new crop 8.00-9.00/bale, large 3x4 squares 150.00-160.00, good large rounds 140.00-150.00. Brome: large rounds, 140.00-150.00. Sudan: large round 130.00-150.00. Wheat straw: large squares 120.00-130.00. Corn stalks: large squares 135.00-145.00 delivered. The week of 6/11-6/17, 440T of grinding alfalfa and 100T of dairy alfalfa was reported bought or sold.

*\*\*Prices above reflect the average price. There could be prices higher and lower than those published.*

*\*\*\*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. \*CWF Certified Weed Free*

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**SATURDAY, JULY 29, 2023 — 10:00 AM**

Blue Rapids City Hall — BLUE RAPIDS, KANSAS

**562± ACRES MARSHALL COUNTY LAND**  
 Located near Waterville, KS

**TRACT 1:** Land located in S15, T04, R06, ACRES 98± (Estimated), SW4 NE4 & W2 SE4 LESS R/W. Located south of the center of the river (Legal Description & Acres TBD by survey prior to closing).  
**FSA Details:** • 91.3 FSA DCP Cropland Acres  
 • 91.3 Base Acres (57.07 Soybeans, 34.23 Wheat)

**TRACT 2:** Land located in S15, S16, S22, T04, R06, & RAILROAD ADDN, BLOCK 29, LOTS 6 & 7 & W2 VAC ADJ ALLEY, ACRES 229± (Estimated). Located south of the center of the river, east of 4th Road, and north of Elm Street. (Legal Description & Acres TBD by survey prior to closing). Senior Water Rights on 36 acres.  
**FSA Details: (Estimated)** • 188.24 FSA DCP Cropland Acres  
 • 165.26 Base Acres (68.24 Wheat, 58.2 Soybeans, 26.49 Sorghum, 12.34 Corn)

**TRACT 3:** Land located in S15&S16, T04, R06, ACRES 51± (Estimated). Located north of the center of river (Legal Description & Acres TBD by survey prior to closing).  
**FSA Details: (Estimated)** • 38.01 FSA DCP Cropland Acres  
 • 33.43 Base Acres (13.8 Wheat, 11.77 Soybeans, 5.36 Sorghum, 2.50 Corn)

**TRACT 4:** Land located in S15&S16, T04, R06, 100± (Estimated). Located north of the center of the river less Tract 3 & Less R/W. This tract also has 2 separate CRP Contracts and a KDWP access contract (See Website for details).  
**FSA Details: (Estimated)** • 40.31 FSA DCP Cropland Acres  
 • 35.33 Base Acres (14.59 Wheat, 12.44 Soybeans, 5.66 Sorghum, 2.63 Corn)

**TRACT 5:** Home & Building Site, Acres 7.5± (Legal Description & Acres TBD by survey prior to closing). See Website for details, pictures and virtual tour

**TRACT 6:** S21, T04, R06, ACRES 76.7. N2 SW4 LESS R/W  
**FSA Details:** • 73.44 FSA DCP Cropland Acres  
 • 73.4 Base Acres (31.1 Wheat, 30.2 Soybeans, 12.1 Sorghum)

**\*\*\*\*Cropland and Pasture selling subject to tenants rights with buyer receiving 50% of cash rent on cropland acres. (See Website for Details)**

**Terms & Possession:** 10% down day of sale, balance due at closing on or before 9/6/2023. Seller to pay 2022 and prior years taxes with 2023 taxes prorated to date of closing. Title insurance, escrow and closing costs to be split equally between buyer and seller. Property to be sold "AS-IS, WHERE-IS" subject to items that would be disclosed on a survey, claims of adverse possession, and all easements, exceptions of record. All inspections should be made prior to the day of the sale. Possession at closing subject to tenants rights. (See website for details). Sellers interest in mineral rights transfer with the sale of property. This is a cash sale and is not subject to financing, have your financing arrangements made prior to auction. **Midwest Land and Home is acting as a Seller's Agent and represents the seller's interest.** All information has come from reliable sources; however, potential buyers are encouraged to verify all information independently. Seller expressly disclaims any liability for errors, omissions or changes regarding any information provided for these sales. Potential purchasers are strongly urged to rely solely upon their own inspections and opinions in preparing to purchase property and are expressly advised to not rely on any representations made by the seller or their agents. Statements made the day of sale take precedence over all other printed materials. Aerials and acres are estimates and representations ONLY and not guaranteed to be actual acres property lines.

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AUCTION LOCATION: Held Onsite: 318 E. 4th St., ALMA, KS

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 DESCRIPTION:



This stunning native stone property was originally built in the 1800's. With almost 3000 total square feet, a fenced in backyard and a detached 2 car garage it offers tremendous space inside and out. As you enter the home, the features on the main story of the house include a nice sized living room space, dining room, full main kitchen, laundry space, full bath, and a perfect sized office. The second floor features three bedrooms, a full bathroom, and as a bonus a small kitchenette! On the third floor you will find another two large bedrooms fully equipped with mini splits.  
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**Tuesday, July 25th, 2023 @ 7:00pm**

Where: The Finch Theatre, 122 E. Lincoln Ave., Lincoln, KS

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**10 acres +/- of timber and river.**  
**Taxes are \$315.36 on 37.4 taxable acres.**

**Tract 3: S2 of SE4 Section 8-12-8.**

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Photo by Jeff Mafi, American Angus Association

## LAND AUCTION

**Thursday, July 27, 2023 @ 7:00pm**

Dyck Arboretum of the Plains, 177 W Hickory St., Hesston, KS

**Tract 1: The West 22 +/- Acres of the S/2 of the SW/4 of 16-22-1, Hesston, KS**

**22 +/- acres total**  
**19 Ac +/- Tillable, 3 Ac +/- with buildings**  
 Location: 704 W Hickory St., Hesston, KS 67062  
 Approx. Taxes: \$810.52 on 22 +/- acres

**40x80 Morton Building with attached office space, concrete throughout and overhead doors.**

**Open House: Sunday July 16th from 2-4pm**

**Tract 2: The North 23 +/- Ac of the NW/4 of the NE/4 of 34-22-2, Halstead, KS**

**23 Acres +/- total all tillable**  
 Located on 48th St, 1/2 mile west of Halstead Rd.  
 Approx. Taxes: \$1,042.86 on 23 +/- acres

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## WICHITA COUNTY REAL ESTATE AUCTION

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 19, 2023 \* TIME: 10:00 AM CT**

**AUCTION LOCATION: Wichita County Community Building, at the fairgrounds, east edge of LEOTI, KANSAS**

**TRACT 1: Legal: NW ¼ of 7-20-38, West of the 6th PM in Kansas**  
 Containing 157.84 acres dryland cropland. 52.61 acres of growing wheat, more or less, 52.61 acres of growing corn, more or less and 52.61 acres of summer fallow, more or less.

**LAND LOCATION:** From Leoti, KS 11 miles west on Highway 96 and 9.25 miles south on county line road.  
**TAXES:** \$1,030.12

FSA Info	Base Acreage	PLC Yield
Wheat	77.22	43
Milo	77.78	57

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**MINERALS:** Seller's interest transferring to the buyer  
**POSSESSION:** Possession on wheat stubble at signing of the contract. Possession on land planted to fall crop for 2023, after the 2023 fall harvest. Possession of the land planted to 2024 wheat after the 2024 wheat harvest.

**CROPS:** Seller to retain their share of the 2023 wheat crop and any FSA or insurance payments associated with it. Buyer to receive seller's 1/3 of the growing corn crop and 1/3 of the seller's 2024 wheat crop. Buyer to reimburse seller for their 1/3 cost of the fertilizer used on the growing corn. Buyer will also pay 1/3 of fertilizer used on 2024 wheat land.

**TERMS:** 10% down day of sale, with balance due, in certified funds, at closing. Closing to be on or before August 20, 2023. Announcement's day of the auction take precedence over printed material. 2023 taxes prorated to day of closing. 2022 taxes paid by the seller. **Evidence of Title:** Seller will provide to the buyer, title insurance in the amount of purchase price, with buyer and seller splitting premium 50%-50%. **Easements:** This sale is subject to all rights of way and easements, whether recorded or not, and any oil and gas lease of record.

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"This year's competition again sponsored by the Morris County Youth Rodeo Association (MCYRA) will be extra special," said Wilson, MCYRA president.

"The first ranch rodeo in the state and one of the first in the country was at Council Grove," Wilson noted.

A number of ranch rodeo sponsors around the Midwest patterned their competitions after the one at Council Grove.

"In conjunction with our ranch rodeos, we started having a youth ranch rodeo for children of the contestants," Wilson said. "This appealed to the working cowboys, making

our rodeo a family affair not just for the adults."

Due to the appeal of such junior rodeos, the WRCA is now sanctioning youth competitions along with traditional ranch rodeos.

"We are excited to again host one of these WRCA Youth Ranch Rodeos at Council Grove," Wilson said. "While our regular WRCA competitions are Friday and Saturday evenings, the youth ranch rodeo is Saturday morning, July 8, at 10 o'clock."

Featured youth events are calf branding, doctoring, cattle sorting, and penning with local ranchers also providing that livestock. There will be no admittance fee to attend the youth rodeo, which has six teams entered.

A Youth World Championship Ranch Rodeo is held during the 28th World Championship Ranch Rodeo in Amarillo, Texas, November 9-12.

"Our youngsters are so important. They are the

next generation of our ranching community," said Shawn Goemmer, WRCA president.

Throughout the year, qualifying youth ranch rodeo events will be geared for youth members 16 years of age and under. "Up to eight WRCA youth ranch teams will compete for the WRCA Youth World Champion title," Goemmer said.

"Winner of the Santa Fe trail Youth Ranch Rodeo will be qualified for that prestigious competition," Wilson pointed out.

At the Council Grove arena, four-member teams representing 14 ranches have entered the WRCA evening performances at 7 o'clock.

"The top-scoring team from both performances qualifies for the WRCA World Championship competition," Wilson said. "Several winners from previous Santa Fe Trail Ranch Rodeos have gone on to become world champions."

Ranch bronc riding featuring some of the top bucking horses in the country will kick off each WRCA evening performance.

In a return engagement, OMAK Rodeo Company, owned by Don Reno of Nowata, Oklahoma, is again providing the brones. The horses are production of his "Born To Buck" rodeo bronc breeding program.

"These stout bucking horses have been contracted to a dozen top professional rodeos since the spring season began," Wilson said.

"We are contracting some of our brones to the famed Cheyenne Frontier Days again this year," Reno said. "Several of the brones we have there will also be at this year's Santa Fe Trail Ranch Rodeo."

Furthering the exciting colorful Western competition for the working ranch cowboys will be the wild cow milking event.

"This is always an anticipated feature," Wilson

assured. "It'll be even more exciting for contestants and spectators alike this year."

A working cowboy rodeo champion, Les McGee of Greeley, is providing his big, rank, bright-speckled Longhorn cows for the event. "Those stout ornery momma cows will surely test the cowboys' abilities," Wilson added.

Additionally, "true-to life-cowboys' work on the ranch featured in the rodeo will be calf branding, stray gathering, and team penning.

"This livestock is provided by local ranchers straight from Flint Hills pastures here in Morris and surrounding counties," Wilson said.

Concessions by the sponsoring group will be available throughout each rodeo performance.

Additional information for entries and details is available from Wilson at 785-466-1359.

# Eight hundred Hereford youth prepare to make a Mad Dash to the Hereford Bash

The 2023 VitaFerm® Junior National Hereford Expo (JNHE) is making the Mad Dash to Madison Wis., for a Hereford Bash, July 8-14. "Mad Dash to the Hereford Bash" will be held at the Alliant Energy Center, and the National Junior Hereford Association (NJHA) is excited to announce 2,051 entries from 802 junior members are preparing to dash north for one of largest junior beef breed events of the year.

Excitement is at a high level as exhibitors from 38 states and Canada plan to participate in more than just another livestock show. NJHA members look forward to competing in educational

and leadership programs throughout the week-long event, ranging from the future professionals contest, Hereford Bowl, speech and sales competitions to the Bridging the Gap College and Career Fair. Alongside these contests, the Hereford Youth Foundation of America awards \$29,000 in scholarships to deserving junior members who applied and went through a rigorous interview process in May.

New to the Hereford Bash will be the selection of the top five females in the bred-and-owned show, made possible by the newly established GKB Cattle Youth Endowment. In addition to the top five

selection, the grand champion bred-and-owned female will win a trailer courtesy of GKB Cattle and Gary and Kathy Buchholz, Desdemona, Texas.

"Thanks to our longtime industry partners like VitaFerm and the generosity of donors like GKB Cattle, the Junior National Hereford Expo gets more special with each passing year and memories from the event are treasured by Hereford families for a lifetime," says Amy Cowan, American Hereford Association director of youth activities and foundation.

"From the relationships to the leadership development and the champion handshakes, this year's event is setting the stage to be remembered as the greatest Hereford Bash of all time."

This event also hosts the NJHA Annual Meeting for its membership and the election of new directors to the NJHA board of directors. This year, nine applicants have applied to be a candidate for the NJHA board of directors and will begin the process of interviewing and campaigning before arrival in Madison, with

hopes of receiving a coveted maroon jacket from a retiring board member. Gates open at 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 8 and the public is invited to watch the shows under way in Veterans Memorial Coliseum, starting Tuesday, July 11 at 8 a.m. through Friday, July 14. For a complete schedule please visit [Hereford.org/youth](http://Hereford.org/youth).

For more information about the VitaFerm Junior National Hereford Expo or the National Junior Hereford Association, visit [hereford.org/youth](http://hereford.org/youth).

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- Ag Finance - August 8<sup>th</sup>, before Noon
- KS State Fair Issue - August 23<sup>rd</sup>, before Noon
- Fall Harvest - August 30<sup>th</sup>, before Noon
- Fall Full of Bullz - September 6<sup>th</sup>, before Noon
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Hills Ann K01 MJ won reserve grand champion phenotype and genotype female and fifth overall bred-and-owned champion female at the 2023 Kansas Junior Angus Association Preview Show, June 3-4 in Hutchinson. Molly Hill, Baldwin City, owns the February 2022 daughter of May-Way Play It Safe. She also won junior bred-and-owned champion. Austin Vielsemeyer, Amherst, Colo., evaluated the 108 entries.

Photo by Jeff Mafi, American Angus Association

## KLA members encouraged to join fellow ranchers in rejecting public lands rule

On April 3, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) published a proposed rule that would make significant and concerning changes to the agency's authority under the Federal Land Management and Policy Act. As written, the proposed rule would violate the multiple-use mandate and give "conservation" the ability to override and exclude other uses the agency or a third party consider "incompatible." This would open the door to removing livestock grazing from public lands and create additional burdens for producers. BLM does not have the authority to take this action, and removing cattle from the landscape would hurt local economies, national

food security and landscape health.

The proposal was developed with no stakeholder involvement or awareness and is extremely concerning for cattle producers who hold federal grazing permits. Although Kansas does not rely on public lands grazing, government overreach through burdensome regulations like this cannot be ignored.

NCBA and the Public Lands Council have launched a grassroots campaign to send comments to BLM asking for this rule to be withdrawn. KLA encourages members to participate by visiting <https://p2a.co/VB9vf0B> and signing the letter provided.

## Angus Foundation seeks donations for silent auction

The Angus Foundation will host its annual silent auction during the National Junior Angus Show (NJAS) in Grand Island, Nebraska. Proceeds from the silent auction grow the Angus Fund, which provides unrestricted support for the Foundation's education, youth and research mission.

For over 15 years, the silent auction has raised money to provide funding for programs ranging from youth scholarships and leadership events to Angus research," said Jaclyn Boester, Angus Foundation executive director.

"Generous donations and support from our Angus family are the key to the silent auction's continued success."

Items donated to the Foundation for the silent auction may come from individual Angus supporters, farms, companies, or state Angus associations. Donation examples include paintings, gift baskets, books, cattle supplies, jewelry, clothing and Angus collectibles. The state junior Angus association with the highest-selling item will receive \$100.

Items offered in the silent auction will be varied and unique. Historic publications with rare turn-of-the-century advertisements, framed artwork, wine and even beef from the space shuttle Discovery's trip into space are a few items that have piqued the interest of a wide range of bidders in years past.

At the 2022 NJAS in Kansas City, Missouri, the silent auction hit record-setting heights, raising over \$17,000. These funds support scholarships and events including the Leaders Engaged in Angus Development (LEAD) Conference, Beef Leaders Institute (BLI)

and breed-improvement research initiatives.

For the second year, the silent auction will be hosted online at <https://anguslive.com/auctions> with bidding opening July 3 and closing July 8 at 9:00 a.m. (CST). Lots will be available to view online prior to the auction.

To donate an item, please contact the Angus Foundation at 816-383-5100. Donations must be received by July 1. For more information about the silent auction, visit [www.angusfoundation.org](http://www.angusfoundation.org).

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## Ten ways to reduce stress on your beef cattle operation

Quality colostrum and vaccination can get animals off to a great start, but even in a vaccinated animal, stress can compromise their immune system and make them susceptible to respiratory disease.

"We need to be considerate of all the different stress factors that can set an animal up for the onset of disease," said Joe Gillespie, DVM, Boehringer Ingelheim. "How we manage livestock during their growth phase is really important. We must be

diligent and proactive on all fronts in order to protect calves."

Implementing the following management practices can help mitigate stress and prevent disease in your herd:

1. Screen incoming calves for bovine viral diarrhoea virus (BVDV) and remove persistently infected calves from the herd.

2. Shield cattle from harsh weather conditions and give them plenty of bunk space.

3. Avoid overcrowding, as it causes stress and promotes the spread of disease.

4. Bed cattle frequently. Bedding provides added warmth, improved comfort and a barrier between cattle and the ground below, which can contain pathogens.

5. Maintain proper ventilation to keep cattle from inhaling dust and harmful BRD-causing pathogens.

6. Ensure cattle have access to water and a properly balanced diet. This is necessary for healthy im-

mune function and proper growth.

7. Clean water sources, feed bunks or other heavy-use areas regularly.

8. Minimize the commingling of animals from different sources. If unavoidable, use a preconditioning program.

9. Practice low-stress handling to ensure the moving process goes smoothly for both producers and the cattle. Low-stress handling techniques include presenting a calm disposition, avoiding loud noises, reducing the use of cattle prods, and removing visual distractions.

10. Work with a veterinarian to implement a deworming protocol for parasite protection. Clinical or subclinical parasitism decreases the animal's ability to fight disease, and may negatively affect response to vaccination by competing with the immune system for protein and energy.

Even with the best management practices in place, some stressful events such as shipping are unavoidable. "When producers know that animals are about to experience a stressful event, metaphylaxis is an option to explore," noted Dr.

Gillespie. Administering metaphylaxis, or a group antibiotic treatment, for at-risk animals can help reduce morbidity and mortality on beef operations.

"Talk with a veterinarian about finding an antibiotic for metaphylaxis that works best for your specific class of cattle," emphasized Dr. Gillespie. "Typically, several factors should be evaluated, such as spectrum of activity, speed of action, and post-metaphylactic interval, or the length of time the antibiotic is at effective levels in the bloodstream before another dose is required. Because a number of different bacteria can be involved with respiratory disease, it's also important to choose a broad-spectrum antibiotic that reaches the lungs quickly.

"BRD is the costliest cause of sickness and death in the beef industry, and implementing a holistic approach to battling the disease could help to provide the protection producers are looking for," concluded Dr. Gillespie. "With the right management strategies, producers can put their cattle on track for lifelong productivity and well-being."

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# Proper hay storage benefits

By Ross Mosteller, Meadowlark District Extension Agent, Livestock and Natural Resources

I've been trying to "Kick the Hay Habit" after following Jim Gerrish and other year-round grazers. That said, putting up hay is still a favorite summer tradition on a personal level and is an important summertime activity for many agriculture producers. Travel down any gravel road this time of year and you'll likely get stuck behind or meet hay equipment in this busy time. Proper haying practices take time, effort, and resources to harvest properly. With so much invested, it is critical to make the most of this effort with proper storage. In preparing to write on this subject, I came across an Oklahoma State Extension release from Mark Johnson, beef cattle breeding specialist. Let's look at what Dr. Johnson recommends for storing hay.

Proper hay storage is always important. This year, with limited amounts of harvested forage available and record high prices, it is worth discussing some simple storage practices that can lead to less spoilage. First, one of the few upsides to the drought of the past few months is that there has been very little precipitation falling on hay stored outside. Precipitation, air temperature and humidity all lead to more spoilage in big bales.

Twine wrapped bales are more subject to spoilage than net wrapped. Greater bale density leads to less spoilage. That being said, keep the following in mind when considering how your hay is stored.

Select a site on higher ground that is not shaded and is open to air flow to enhance drying conditions. The site should be well-drained to minimize moisture absorption into the bottom of bales. Ground contact leads to more bale spoilage. When practical keep bales off the ground using low-cost surplus materials like old pallets, fence posts, railroad ties and tires. Another option is a six-inch layer of coarse ground rock. A thinner layer of packed aggregate can also be used to create a soil barrier layer. Anything that can be done to maximize drainage and minimize moisture within and around the storage site will be beneficial.

Bales should be stored in rows, butted end-to-end, and oriented in a north-south direction. Avoid stacking three rows of hay on top of each other, in a triangle shape. This formation leads to more spoilage, particularly in the two bottom rows. North/south orientation combined with at least three feet between the rows permits good sunlight penetration and airflow, allowing for faster drying. Vegetation between the rows should be mowed.

Large round bales stored outside with plastic or canvas usually sustain much less spoilage compared to unprotected bales. If barn storage is an option, this is the best method. Dry matter losses in round bales stored for up to nine months in an enclosed barn should be less than two percent. If the discussion involves rectangular bales, storage under roof or tarps becomes extremely important, as they do not shed water as well as the round bales do.

All forages packaged in large round bales benefit from protection and proper storage practices. Producers are encouraged to consider the cost to benefit ratio of providing this protection. Factors to consider include the value of hay, projected in storage losses, local environmental conditions, the cost of providing protection and how long the hay will be in storage before it is fed. At the very least it may be worthwhile to restack or re-orient your hay supply according to the best practices described.

Although the publication referenced is a bit dated on the economics, there is good Kansas data and recommendations found within the K-State Research and Extension publication, MF-1066 Large Round Bale Hay Storage which further details ways to address storage losses.

# Marshall secures win for farmers and ranchers at HELP Committee markup

The U.S. Senate Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions (HELP) Committee held a markup on several health care reauthorizations including bipartisan legislation championed by U.S. senators Roger Marshall, M.D. (R-KS), Tammy Baldwin (D-WI), Jerry Moran (R-KS), and Michael Bennet (D-CO). The Innovative Feed Enhancement and Economic Development (FEED) Act of 2023 (S.1842) was adopted as an amendment to the Animal Drug and Animal Generic Drug User Fee Amendments of 2023 where the legislation, as amended, passed out of Committee 21-0.

"The agricultural industry sets the gold standard when it comes to livestock production," Marshall said. "My producers at home continue to want to make more with less and leave the world safer, cleaner, and healthier than they found it. Our legislation would establish a new pathway at the FDA for novel feed additive manufacturers to increase livestock efficiency and production. I thank my colleagues for recognizing the value of this legislation and helping to give American agricultural industry the tools necessary to feed the world and maintain global competitiveness."

# KCW scholarships awarded to seven Kansas students

Seven students have received Kansas CattleWomen (KCW) \$1,000 scholarships through the Kansas Livestock Foundation. Katherine Bruning of Geneseo is the daughter of Wade Bruning and Ginger Webb. She will be a freshman at Barton Community College studying animal and veterinary science. Carly Dreher from Iola will be a freshman at Butler Community College. She will study agribusiness and is the daughter of Jerry and Cathy Dreher.

Five students receiving KCW scholarships will be freshmen at Kansas State University. Rachel Donaldson of Berryton is the daughter of Stephanie and Bruce Donaldson. She will study animal sciences and industry. Riley Showalter of Wakarusa is the

daughter of Troy and Mary Beth Showalter and will study agribusiness. Carrissa Sohm of Rolla will study agronomy. She is the daughter of Rebecca and Gregory Sohm. Kena Sterling of Pratt is the daughter of Sam and Shannon Sterling. She will study agribusiness this fall. Sage Toews of Canton will study agricultural economics. She is the daughter of Flint and Alice Toews.

These scholarships are made possible through proceeds from the KCW Silent Auction held during the annual KLA Convention in Wichita. To be eligible, applicants must be graduates of Kansas high schools, attending in-state community or senior colleges and pursuing degrees in dietetics, food safety, agriculture or a related field.

# Meet the newly elected National Pork Board officers

Following the USDA appointment of five new members to the NPB Board of Directors earlier this year, a new officer team was elected by the 15-member, producer-led board during the June 6 meeting. Incoming board members will begin their three-year term and officers will begin their one-year leadership term July 1. New officers include:

- Bob Ruth, Pennsylvania – President
- Al Wulfekuhle, Iowa – Vice President
- Chad Groves, Kansas – Treasurer



AVF Sara 6882 won grand champion bred-and-owned female at the 2023 Kansas Junior Angus Association Preview Show, June 3-4 in Hutchinson. Kelsey Theis, Leavenworth, owns the October 2022 daughter of STAG Good Times 201 ET. She earlier won senior calf champion. Austin Vieselmeyer, Amherst, Colo., evaluated the 108 entries.

Photo by Jeff Mafi, American Angus Association



FFC McCurry Check Point 2005 won grand champion bred-and-owned bull at the 2023 Kansas Junior Angus Association Preview Show, June 3-4 in Hutchinson. Lauren Frederick, Hutchinson, owns the March 2022 son of S A V Checkmate 8158. Austin Vieselmeyer, Amherst, Colo., evaluated the 108 entries.

Photo by Jeff Mafi, American Angus Association



AVF Blackcap 6802 won reserve grand champion bred-and-owned female at the 2023 Kansas Junior Angus Association Preview Show, June 3-4 in Hutchinson. Kelsey Theis, Leavenworth, owns the November 2022 daughter of PVF Marvel 9185. She first claimed reserve intermediate champion. She earlier won reserve senior calf champion. Austin Vieselmeyer, Amherst, Colo., evaluated the 108 entries.

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1/2 mile East of Holton, KS on 16 Highway  
Livestock Auction every Tuesday at 11:00 AM  
\*\*\*\*STARTING TIME: 11:00 AM\*\*\*\*

MARKET REPORT FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 20, 2023 RECEIPTS: 1270 CATTLE FOR FULL RESULTS, VISIT OUR WEBSITE: <a href="http://WWW.HOLTONLIVESTOCK.COM">WWW.HOLTONLIVESTOCK.COM</a>			
STEERS		HEIFERS	
6 blk	Hiawatha328@322.50	4 blk	Hiawatha340@255.00
16 blk	bwf Corning 572@291.00	5 blk	char Wheaton442@250.00
15 blk	Sabetha 509@273.00	7 blk	Williamsburg465@242.50
18 blk	bwf Corning 471@271.50	22 blk	bwf Corning 506@242.00
9 blk	Holton 609@267.00	23 blk	bwf Corning 591@242.00
8 blk	Lebo 633@262.00	7 blk	Holton 560@235.00
17 blk	Corning 656@256.00	15 mix	Sabetha 485@234.00
121 blk	Holton 840@236.00	11 mix	Seneca 622@233.50
64 blk	Sabetha 775@235.00	17 blk	char DeKalb,MO 620@232.75
63 blk	Holton 851@234.50	18 blk	bwf Sabetha 563@231.50
58 blk	Muscotah 903@229.00	13 blk	red Lebo 685@229.00
4 bwf	Horton 845@216.00	18 blk	bwf Sabetha 679@226.00
23 bwf	rwfMayetta 798@210.00	70 mix	Holton 781@217.10
2 hols	Centralia 1977@99.00	65 blk	bwf Overbrook767@215.25
1 hols	Circleville 1140@85.00	9 blk	bwfMayetta 682@205.00
1 hols	Centralia 1110@79.00		

**Regular weekly auction schedule through June.**  
We will be **CLOSED July 4**, then back on our weekly Tuesday auctions beginning July 11.

**Jackson Co. Real Estate AUCTION: July 13 selling 232 AC at Holton**

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Backhus Greenie 303 won reserve grand champion bred-and-owned bull at the 2023 Kansas Junior Angus Association Preview Show, June 3-4 in Hutchinson. Mileah Backhus, Russell, owns the July 2022 son of Silveiras Forbes 8088. Austin Vieselmeyer, Amherst, Colo., evaluated the 108 entries.

Photo by Jeff Mafi, American Angus Association

**EL DORADO LIVESTOCK AUCTION, INC.**

**316-320-3212**  
Fax: 316-320-7159  
2595 SE Highway 54, P.O. Box 622,  
El Dorado, KS 67042

**Market Report - Sale Date 6-22-23. 714 head**

300-400 lb. steers, \$275-\$329; heifers, \$260-\$293; 400-500 lb. steers, \$260-\$298; heifers, \$241-\$265; 500-600 lb. steers, \$251-\$283; heifers, \$215-\$249; 600-700 lb. steers, \$219-\$268.50; heifers, \$201-\$228.25; 700-800 lb. steers, \$217-\$240.50; heifers, \$190-\$212; 800-900 lb. steers, \$185.50-\$227; heifers, no test. **Trend on Calves:** Steady to slightly weaker, still good demand. **Trend on Feeder Cattle:** \$2-\$4 lower on lighter test. **Butcher Cows:** High dressing cows \$103-\$114.50; Avg. dressing cows \$91-\$100; Low dressing cows \$75-\$85. **Butcher Bulls:** Avg. to high dressing bulls \$90-\$129.50. **Trend on Cows & Bulls:** Steady to \$2 higher.

**Some Highlights Include:**

HEIFERS		STEERS	
2 mix	300@293.00	5 blk	315@327.00
4 blk	403@265.00	5 blk	405@298.00
5 blk	480@245.00	20 mix	507@283.00
4 Char	514@244.00	10 blk	535@275.50
4 blk	521@249.00	57 mix	617@268.50
16 Char	571@241.00	43 blk	649@266.00
12 blk	611@223.00	9 mix	709@240.50
23 blk	667@228.25	9 blk	794@227.00
3 mix	755@212.00	59 mix	797@226.50
4 Char	789@193.00	4 Char	906@206.00

**Next Sale: Thursday, June 29**

- 45 Red Angus steers & heifers, home raised, long weaned, shots, 450-650lbs
- 62 red & black Angus steers & heifers, off cows, 2 rounds of shots, 550-650lbs
- 100 black brangus cross steers & heifers, weaned 40 days, shots, 450-600lbs
- 300 mostly black steers, 850-950lbs
- 1 load mostly black steers, 800-850lbs
- 60 mx heifers, LTW, 700-850lbs
- 62 mostly black steers, LTW, 850-900lbs
- 80 mx steers & heifers, off cows, 2 rounds of shots, 400-500lbs
- 28 red, char & black heifers, LTW, 2 rounds shots, 725-750lb

GO TO OUR WEBSITE FOR DAILY CONSIGNMENT UPDATES  
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**NO SALE JULY 6TH DUE TO HOLIDAY!**

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If you have cattle to consign or would like additional information, please call the office at 316-320-3212

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Cattle Sale Every Thursday 11:00 AM

**PUBLIC AUCTION**

**SATURDAY, JULY 15, 2023 \* 9:00 AM**

We will sell the following items at public auction at the National Guard Armory Building located at 1009 NW 8th Street, ABILENE, KANSAS.

**A Gather from Old Farms & Midwest Auctions & Collectors:** Nazi Helmet & Canteen, lots old Rock & Roll Albums, Blacksmith Tools, Old License Plates Teens up, Kansas & Neb. Old Movie Theater Posters, Seed Sacks, Signs, Cast Iron Barn Set, Bear Traps, Atwater Radios, 55# Cast Steel Anvil, 100s Old Tools Farm, Machine, Woodworking, Machinist, Concordia Broom Factory Labels, Bells, Many Styles, Old Pencils, Military Patches & Metals, Cuff Links, Railroad Books, Lots of Manuals John Deere, Lots of Early Magazines & Catalogs, 2 -12 gauge pump shotgun, 22 Pistol, 2 Older ? Guns & Some Ammo, 100s NOS Metal 1990s Vanity License Plate Tag, Fruit & Candy Jars, Many Old Cast Iron Seats, Drill Ends & Planter Lids, Coffee Cans, 100 NOS Full Quart Metal Oil Can, 2 Man Wood Saw Handles, Lots of Car Parts Carbs, Headlights, Horns, 100s NOS Sparkplug & Other Parts, Tractor Magnetos, Marbles, Old Working Cash Register, Many Old Hub Caps, Cast Iron Hog Slobber, Wrought iron Bed, Old Coca Cola Machine, Rock Island Plow Co Cream Separator, Sausage Stuffer, Copper Fire Ext, Cream Separator Bowls, Antique Auto Jacks, Cast Iron Boiler, Pitcher Pumps, Old Desk Phones, Many Ammo Boxes, Saddles & Horse Collars, Horse Walking Plow & Ice Saw, Many Barn Trolleys, Many Scythes, Hames, Cattle Dehorners, 100s Other Things & Stuff!

**NOTE: This is a large sale comprised entirely of antiques, primitives and collectibles. Lunch on grounds.**

**TERMS:** Cash or good check day of sale. Not responsible for accidents.  
**CLERK:** Shirley Riek, 526 Frederick, Clay Center, Kansas 67432

Go to [kansasauctions.net/kretz](http://kansasauctions.net/kretz) for listing, pictures & more info

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# USDA announces \$49.9 million to connect people in rural Kansas to high-speed internet

U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Rural Development Kansas State Director Christy Davis has

announced a \$49.9 million loan to connect thousands of rural Kansans to reliable, affordable high-

speed internet. The project will improve service for 149 businesses, 821 farms and over 4,000 peo-

ple in Bourbon, Cherokee, Crawford, Labette and Neosho counties.

"High-speed internet is essential in today's world of online business, learning and communication," Davis said. "This investment will help ensure rural Kansas remains a place of opportunity to live, work, and raise a family."

This is the fourth funding round of the USDA ReConnect Program. Since the beginning of the Biden-Harris administration, the Department has invested in 142 ReConnect projects that will bring high-speed internet access to 314,000 rural Americans.

The announcement is part of a larger national

announcement totaling \$714 million in USDA investments in Kansas and 18 other states.

The Kansas details are: The Craw-Kan Telephone Cooperative Inc. in Kansas will receive a \$49,954,702 loan to connect 4,189 people, 821 farms, 149 businesses and three educational facilities to high-speed internet in Bourbon, Cherokee, Crawford, Labette and Neosho counties.

### Background: ReConnect Program

Applicants to ReConnect Program funding must serve a rural area that lacks access to service at speeds of 100 megabits per second (Mbps) download and 20 Mbps upload. Applicants must also com-

mit to building facilities capable of providing high-speed internet service with speeds of 100 Mbps (download and upload) to every location in the proposed service area. Additionally, to ensure that rural households that need internet service can afford it, all awardees will be required to apply to participate in the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law's Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP). The ACP offers a discount of up to \$30 per month towards internet service to qualifying low-income households and up to \$75 per month for households on qualifying Tribal lands.

To learn more about investment resources for rural areas, visit [www.rd.usda.gov](http://www.rd.usda.gov) or contact the nearest USDA Rural Development state office.

## Grass & Grain Weather Report June 28, 2023

### Seven Day Forecast

**WEDNESDAY**  
Partly Cloudy  
High: 100 Low: 69

**THURSDAY**  
Mostly Sunny  
High: 99 Low: 70

**FRIDAY**  
Mostly Cloudy  
High: 103 Low: 71

**SATURDAY**  
Cloudy  
High: 102 Low: 72

**SUNDAY**  
Mostly Sunny  
High: 98 Low: 66

**MONDAY**  
Cloudy  
High: 95 Low: 65

**TUESDAY**  
Few Showers  
High: 94 Low: 62

### In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see partly cloudy skies, high temperature of 100°, humidity of 34%. Southeast wind 17 mph. The record high temperature for today is 106° set in 2018. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, overnight low of 69°.

#### Last Week's Almanac

Date	H/L	Normals	Precip
6/16	90/64	86/62	0.00"
6/17	87/68	86/63	0.00"
6/18	86/65	86/63	0.10"
6/19	93/63	87/63	0.00"
6/20	92/70	87/64	0.00"
6/21	89/74	87/64	0.00"
6/22	91/70	87/64	0.00"

Rainfall: 0.10"  
Normal rainfall: 1.18"  
Departure: -1.08"  
Average temp: 78.7°  
Average normal: 74.9°  
Departure: +3.8"

#### This Week's Sun & Moon Chart

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Wednesday	6:03 a.m.	8:56 p.m.	4:04 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Thursday	6:03 a.m.	8:56 p.m.	5:13 p.m.	2:40 a.m.
Friday	6:03 a.m.	8:56 p.m.	6:26 p.m.	3:12 a.m.
Saturday	6:04 a.m.	8:56 p.m.	7:40 p.m.	3:52 a.m.
Sunday	6:04 a.m.	8:56 p.m.	8:49 p.m.	4:44 a.m.
Monday	6:05 a.m.	8:56 p.m.	9:50 p.m.	5:48 a.m.
Tuesday	6:05 a.m.	8:56 p.m.	10:39 p.m.	7:02 a.m.

### Today's Local Outlook

### Local UV Index

0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure

### Weather History

June 28, 1778 - The Battle of Monmouth in central New Jersey was fought in sweltering heat. The temperature was 96 degrees in the shade and there were more casualties from the heat than from bullets.

### Growing Degree Days

Date	Degree Days	Date	Degree Days
6/16	27	6/20	31
6/17	27	6/21	31
6/18	25	6/22	30
6/19	28		

# GRASS & GRAIN

is on facebook

## Kansas milk production up 4%

Milk production in Kansas during May 2023 totaled 373 million pounds, up 4% from May 2022, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. The average number of milk cows was 180,000 head, 7,000 head more than May 2022. Milk production per cow averaged 2,070 pounds.

## JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS REAL ESTATE AUCTION

**THURSDAY, JULY 13, 2023 — 12:00 NOON**  
AUCTION LOCATION: Holton Livestock Exchange, Inc. 13788 K16 HWY, 1/2 mi. East of Holton on 16 Hwy  
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 13885 V4 ROAD, HOYT, KS \* **232 ACRES IN TWO TRACTS**

**DIRECTIONS To Land: From Hoyt, KS, 75 Hwy & 110 Road, 4 miles North On US75 Hwy to 142 Road, 3.5 miles East To NW Corner Of Property, Or From Denison, KS, South On W Road 6 miles to 142 Road, West 1/2 mile On 142 Road. Land Lays On The Southwest Corner Of Intersection 142 & V4 Road.**

**TRACTS WILL BE SOLD AS INDIVIDUAL TRACTS & NOT COMBINED. No Reserve!**

**TRACT 1:** 154.68 acres consisting of a 1149 sq ft ranch-style 2 BR home built in 1975. Balance includes approx. 40 acres terraced brome hay ground and approx. 110 acres mixed grass pasture with heavy trees & brush with one pond.

**TRACT 2:** 78 Acres Pasture with Mixed Grass, heavy trees & brush. **Newer fence & good existing fence. Abundance of cover for wildlife.** All Announcements Made Sale Day Take Precedence Over Any Printed Or Online Material.

**THE ESTATE OF VERNONA BOLZ, SELLER**  
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For Complete Information, Aerial Pictures & Terms, please visit our website:  
[www.holtonlivestock.com/harrisrealestate](http://www.holtonlivestock.com/harrisrealestate)

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## 2023 WRCA-Sanctioned SANTA FE TRAIL RANCH RODEO

**Friday, July 7 • 7 PM**  
**Saturday, July 8 • 7 PM**  
**\*\* TICKETS AVAILABLE AT GATE \*\***  
**Morris County Rodeo Arena**  
Hwy. 56, 1 1/2 mi. East of COUNCIL GROVE, KS

Events: Wild Cow Milking, Stray Gathering, Team Penning, Calf Branding, Bronc Riding  
Concession stand/snack shack

**Saturday, July 8 • 10 AM**  
Junior Ranch Rodeo \* WRCA sanctioned!  
Events: Team Penning, Ribbon Roping, Calf Branding, Team Doctoring \* FREE admittance  
To Register Contact Clay Wilson 785-466-1359

# AUCTION

**SATURDAY, JULY 8, 2023 — 10:00 AM**  
Auction will be held at the home, 603 Main, RANDALL, KANSAS

**1948 AMI juke, box needs some adjustment; 45 records**

Maytag washer & dryer; flat screen TV; chest freezer; antique oak 3 door ice box; 2-door oak curio cabinet; 2-3 pc bedroom sets; dining room table & 4 chairs; Mission book shelf; recliner; floral divan; 60's chair; mini refrigerator; night stand; new pine dry sink; 4 oak round bottom chairs; gateleg drop leaf table; 3 drawer chest; plant stand; end tables; camel back trunk; Royal Crown thermometer; 1982 Sugarcane Festival picture; City Of Lights picture; Italy inlay wood picture; silhouette pictures; other pictures; salt table lamp; Willow figures; lady brass rubbing; stain glass window; cuckoo clock; salt crock; crock bowls; Milton-vale pottery; Santa collection; Shirley Temple; hand painted glass; Randall items; figural creamers; many pieces of glass; Blue Delft items; silverware; chalk dog; Stone Critters items; peanut machine; Coors items; Christmas china; vases; cookie jars; pressed glass; Chez vase; Roseville vase; Angels; clown banks; figures; South West pottery; figurines; 1974-1990 Hesston belt buckles; watch fobs; pens; lighters inc; Zippo; pocket knives; purses; jewelry; Rexall bowl; Golden Knight Shaving Soap; WWII ration book; Oscar Meyer advertising; Louisiana State Police patch; coin bags; brass items; **Coins** (Morgan dollars 1880, 1886O, 1921S & P; Peace 1925 & 28S; 1964 Kennedy halves; 55 silver Washington quarters; Mercury dimes 19347, 41 S & P, 43D, 44; 88 Roosevelt dimes; Ike & Susan B dollars; 1942 & 1962D halves; 1925 buffalo nickel; Indian head pennies 1898, 1902, 07, 1893, 1906, 1890); quilts; linens; wood kitchen items; children's & cookbooks; Bowie knife; brass shells; wooden planes; brass blow torches; jars; Stetson hats; tins; match safes; Texas ware bowls; stacking bowls; Pyrex bowls; 50's salt & pepper; Corning-ware; kitchen appliances; Ariens push mower; RV Mate III bike; large floor fan; Tools; battery charger; wrenches; sockets; screw drivers; pliers; hammers; chisels; tool hooks; coolers; shop vacuum; aluminum step ladders; yard tools; grinder wheel; assortment of other items.

**NOTE: The furniture is in very good condition. Check our website [www.thummelauction.com](http://www.thummelauction.com) for pictures.**

**LEOTA & JIM CLAWSON ESTATES**  
Auction Conducted By: THUMMEL REAL ESTATE & AUCTION LLC, 785-738-0067

## Eastern Colorado Farms LAND AUCTIONS

**AUGUST 8TH & 9TH**  
**8,930± ACRES**  
Offered in Multiple Tracts & Combinations

**BURLINGTON | HOLYOKE | YUMA - COLORADO**  
Sedgwick, Phillips, Yuma, Kit Carson, Washington & Cheyenne County, Colorado  
Wallace & Sherman County, Kansas

- Quality Irrigated & Dryland Farms
- Add to an Existing Operation or Investment Portfolio
- Wind Lease Income on Several Tracts

**INSPECTION DAYS:**  
July 13th & July 26th • 10am-12pm  
Burlington Community Center • Phillips County Event Center

Contact Hall and Hall for Detailed Tract Information.  
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In Cooperation with **Murray Wise ASSOCIATES LLC**  
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# Sell At St. Marys

Sell Or Buy **Cattle** By Auction **STARTING TIME 10:30 AM** Tuesdays

<b>We sold 616 cattle June 20. Steer and heifer calves sold at steady prices. Feeder steers and heifers were steady. Cows and bulls sold steady to \$3.00 lower.</b>	1 blk cow 1465 @ 106.50	1 bwf cow 1340 @ 92.50
<b>STEER &amp; BULL CALVES</b>	1 blk cow 1560 @ 106.00	1 char cow 1455 @ 90.00
1 x-bred bull 385 @ 276.00	1 blk cow 1350 @ 105.00	1 blk cow 1110 @ 89.50
1 x-bred bull 295 @ 272.00	1 blk cow 1180 @ 103.50	1 blk cow 1415 @ 89.00
3 blk str 425 @ 248.00	1 blk cow 1440 @ 103.00	1 blk cow 1470 @ 87.00
1 blk bull 530 @ 248.00	1 blk cow 1310 @ 102.50	1 blk cow 965 @ 78.00
2 x-bred str 350 @ 230.00	1 blk cow 1155 @ 102.00	1 blk cow 1080 @ 76.00
<b>STOCKER &amp; FEEDER STEERS</b>	1 blk cow 1270 @ 101.00	
41 blk/red str 623 @ 262.00	1 blk cow 1440 @ 100.50	<b>BRED COWS</b>
1 blk str 555 @ 259.00	1 blk cow 1435 @ 100.00	6 blk cows @ 1550.00
44 blk/red str 857 @ 239.85	1 bwf cow 1275 @ 99.00	4 blk cows @ 1425.00
2 blk str 655 @ 238.00	1 blk cow 1150 @ 97.00	1 blk cow @ 1200.00
102 blk/char str 916 @ 234.00	1 blk cow 1165 @ 96.50	
119 blk/red str 867 @ 228.25	1 blk cow 1390 @ 96.00	<b>BULLS</b>
1 blk str 635 @ 225.00	1 blk cow 1345 @ 95.00	1 blk bull 2005 @ 127.50
1 bwf str 915 @ 224.00	1 blk cow 1310 @ 102.50	1 red bull 1740 @ 126.00
1 blk str 760 @ 218.00	1 blk cow 1370 @ 94.00	1 x-bred bull 1885 @ 120.00
61 blk/char str 967 @ 217.75	1 blk cow 1170 @ 93.50	
1 blk str 740 @ 211.00	1 blk cow 1210 @ 93.00	
1 blk str 963 @ 205.50		
<b>HEIFER CALVES</b>		
4 blk/red hfrs 298 @ 250.00		
10 blk hfrs 431 @ 241.00		
1 blk hfr 315 @ 226.00		
2 x-bred hfrs 263 @ 211.00		
1 blk hfr 525 @ 206.00		
<b>STOCKER &amp; FEEDER HEIFERS</b>		
2 blk hfrs 550 @ 207.00		
1 blk hfr 645 @ 206.00		
65 blk/bwf hfrs 882 @ 202.50		
4 blk hfrs 660 @ 201.00		
1 blk hfr 660 @ 200.00		
<b>COWS &amp; HEIFERETTES</b>		
1 blk hfrt 970 @ 162.00		
1 sim hfrt 880 @ 160.00		
1 blk hfrt 1030 @ 134.00		
1 blk hfrt 1120 @ 111.00		

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**NO SALE TUESDAY, JULY 4th!**

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