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Lady Cats Take Third at State

All Out All Game All Season Final Edition

by Coach Nadine Hope

"Stand Up" by Right Said Fred says it very well: "Stand Up for the champions, for the champions, stand up. We will build to be the best; Number one nothing last. . . . Here we go it's getting close, now is just who wants it most. . . . Stand up for the champions, for the champions, stand up!" This has been an All Out week for sure!

Cunningham High School was making history this season and it did not stop with our HOPL accomplishments. The team carried through by being Regional Champs and Sub-State Champs. Third in State also made history for CHS. Although the Lady Cats had made the trip to State in '87, '89, '04, '16 and now 2019, we had never made it to the final four until this year!

The Lady Cats had an eventful Halloween with a wonderful pep rally honoring our achievements. The Junior High and High School Cheerleaders did a great job leading the crowd and the students and community did a great job cheering! The highlight of the pep rally was the performance of "Don't Stop Believing" by the mothers! Just tune into Facebook for a view of their talent! Following Cunningham tradition, the students and community sent the team off by lining the streets, cheering and honking! We felt like real celebrities, which is what we were on that day to this community! Thank you for caring so very much for these kids. The Lady Cats were heading to Dodge City for the State 1A Volleyball competition and although we were being treated so fine, we knew we had a job to do. Celebrating would have to wait a couple more days!

The 1A competition began at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday morning at the United Wireless Arena in Dodge City, Kansas. As the number three seed, we were slated to play number six seed, Clifton-Clyde for the opening round. Although we had some nerves, the ladies got the job done in two sets, but that second set was a nail-biter! As one would hope, the competition at this level was tough and the matches were definitely close.

CHS defeated C-C 25-23 for set one. In set two, Cunningham took a one point lead at 23, but with a side out, the set was tied. Clifton-Clyde took advantage and scored two before the Cats created a side out at 24's! It would take a few more rounds before the Cats sealed the set at 29-27!

After a one match break, CHS took the court with Central Plains. The Lady Cats were a bit off their game in set one and lost 17-25. Set two was a different story with the Cats back to their game of hustle and power. Neither team could score more than a couple points in a row and any mistake would cost at least one point and maybe more. The Cats had the serve and tied the set at 23 but the side out gave Central Plains point 24 and the Cats were unable to capture that set point. Losing to the eventual 1A Champion 23-25 put the Cats 1-1 in pool play with one more match to go.

For the final match of the pool play, Cunningham would play the number two seed, Chetopa. Maddison Panek popped four in a row to gain a 14-9 advantage. The Lady Cats maintained the lead by a couple points until Hunter McGuire placed three for a 23-18 lead. Two side outs later (25-19) and CHS was one set away from qualifying for the final four! Cunningham played tit for tat through the first round of serving. Holly DeWeese finally got the Cats rolling with three in a row followed by Morgan Meyers' final seven serves! 25-16 and the Lady Cats were headed to the final four for the first time ever!

Saturday's activities started at 10 a.m. The Lady Cats were anxious to start playing and were determined to bring home a trophy. They were not just satisfied with making it to the final four. We were here to win! Rural Vista was our first opponent. The Lady Cats trailed by three at 5-8, but a CHS error sent the ball back to Rural Vista and we could not get them stopped. Two time outs later and the Cats trailed 7-16. Finally, the ladies started to gather a bit of momentum and we made a little bit of a run, but it was too late and we changed courts after the 17-25 loss. Set two was much better for the Cats. CHS led at 15-14 and then lost the next three points, but gained them back to tie at 18. Rural

Vista was up 22-20 and CHS gained one more. Sadly, the Lady Cats were unable to grasp those last few points and we lost the semi-final match 21-25.

It is hard to put into words what was going on in all of our minds. For some, the next match would be our final high school competition in this sport. For all of us, we wanted to win this next match and bring home that trophy and mostly, we wanted to play our game!

As we took the court, I saw the team I knew. They were talking and strategizing and they knew they could do this. CHS started the consolation match by gaining the first four points under senior, Hunter McGuire's power. Minneola answered with three. Cunningham maintained a lead at 13-11; 15-12; 17-13; 18-15; 19-16; 20-17; 22-18. Relaxing just a bit too much and letting Minneola serve four in a row left the score 23 all. It would take two more service rotations to get that final point. 25-23 and the Cats were one set away from 3rd place.

Set two was a nightmare for the Lady Cats. We knew Minneola was under pressure to win this set and we were trying to play relaxed. As Minneola kept pushing, we started to panic and then we stopped playing as a team. 13-25 and we were headed to set three.

If you know this team, you know they do not fold easily and within two minutes they had made their minds up to play and play as hard as they ever had. All Out. We had nothing else left of the season. This was it and we were determined to win this set. From this point on, it was evident that the Lady Cats were going to make history and bring home the hardware to prove it! Although we trailed by a couple points early in the set, by our sixth rotation, Mackenzie Wright tied the set at 11. We knew when we gained the lead Minneola would begin to fold. Maddison Panek stepped back to serve and was determined to do her job to help seal this set. Four serves later and the Cats led 17-13. Morgan Meyers placed a couple more to stretch the lead to 23-16. Side out and the Cats had 24 but could not get that final point. Minneola would serve three more before the Cats stopped them and gained point 25 and 3rd place!!!!

Holly DeWeese was on fire during

this tournament with her net play. She was our "go to hitter" and the pressure was on for her to hit the ball hard. She did a tremendous job of taking care of business. Hunter McGuire started the Lady Cats off each set with solid serving and especially during the last matches she had some fantastic coverage saves. Alayna McGuire was on fire with her setting and defensive coverage. She was not letting that ball drop and even dove over a couple teammates to get that third hand on the ball to take it over. Morgan Meyers was all over the floor making great passes and superb saves. She has been a huge part of our success this season. Alexa Fischer was on fire with her blocking and net play. Not much was getting past her! Maddison Panek was not afraid to get on the floor for a save or to put some heat on the ball out of the middle. Mackenzie Wright knows how to read the floor and pop the ball down the line. Madison McGuire was not afraid to hit the ball hard and her confident serving gained many a point. Abby Hansen and Reese McGuire rounded out the roster for this varsity team. Their work ethic and positive support helped make this team what it was.

The awards ceremony was so emotional for all of us! I have been lucky enough to coach most of these students since sixth grade and we have celebrated many victories together. Seeing them accomplish this and seeing such pure joy on their faces was so very humbling. Looking up in the stands and seeing all of Cunningham there to cheer for these kids was overwhelming. This is what All Out looks like: the community going All Out for these students with such great support at these tournaments; the parents going All Out with food, laundry, decorations, locker treats and especially a song; the student section going All Out especially for the last three tournaments (they were amazing and our cheering section was the loudest and the best!); the school for taking such great care of these kids with great accommodations and meals during this special time. This is what ALL OUT ALL GAME ALL SEASON looks like. . . . 3rd in 1A State!!!! Stand up for the champions!!!!

The Clayworks at Disability Supports Will Have Presentation

Come to the Cunningham Public Library on Monday evening, November 11th at 7:00 for a fine presentation by Teresa Preston, program manager of Clayworks of Hutchinson and McPherson.

The editor copied and pasted the following information from their website, brochures, and Facebook page:

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The Clayworks in Hutchinson continues the strong tradition of artistic entrepreneurship. It features an expansive artist's studio where our excep-

tional artists are able to explore their own unique creativity and expressive potential—and, because they receive 100% of the sales proceeds, to profit from their work. Creativity and independence flourish under the guidance of professional members of the Disability Supports Clayworks team dedicated to our artists' success.

Disability Supports provides innovative, individualized services to children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Created in 1996 by parents of children with special needs, Disability Supports makes this promise: We are committed to being mission-focused, enriching the lives of those we serve in every way possible.

Editor's note: Community members, I think this should be a well-attended event. It sounds like this organization does a great deal of good and deserves our support. Please try to attend. (Refreshments will be served.)



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Sunday, November 10, 2019
10:00 a.m.

St. John's, Zenda
Sunday, November 10, 2019
8:30 a.m.

Sacred Heart, Cunningham
Saturday, November 9, 2019
5:30 p.m.

St. Peter's, Willowdale
Saturday, November 9, 2019
4:00 p.m.

Fr. Roger Lumbré
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620-298-2601
620-246-5370

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Sunday Bible Class
10:00 a.m.

Worship
11:00 a.m.

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Community Center

Mid-Week Bible Study
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.
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CHRISTIAN Cunningham

Sunday School
9:30 a.m.

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10:45 a.m.

Bible Study
6:00 p.m.

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Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Pastor Mike McGovney
620-298-3201
620-770-9507

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& Bible Class
9:45 a.m.

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& Bible Class
9:45 a.m.

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Pastor Dennis Fangmeyer
620-246-5220
Cell: 620-886-0911

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9:15 a.m.

Cunningham
Sunday School
9:45 a.m.

Worship 10:45 a.m.

Pastor Katelyn Zoglmann
620-298-2090
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Adult 10:00 a.m.

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ship at: 8:30 a.m.)
(United Methodist
Women meet the 1st
Tues. monthly: 6:30 p.m.)
Pastor Ken Keeling

Community Bulletin Board

Monday, November 11th 10:00 p.m. Veterans' Program at CHS	Friday, November 15th Health Screenings 7-12 grades
Monday, November 11th Library Closed	Friday, November 15th School Play
Monday, November 11th 4:00 p.m. JH BB at Macksville	Tuesday, Nov. 19th JH BB at Home vs. Medicine Lodge
Tuesday, Nov. 12th HS Mass Choir at Fairfield	Wednesday, Nov. 20th 9:00am Freshmen to Pratt
Wednesday, Nov. 13th 11:30am Emporia State College Visit	Friday, November 22nd 3:30 p.m. City Council Meeting
	Monday, November 25th Library Closed
	Monday, November 25th NO CITY COUNCIL Meeting

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Hands of Hope (contact Fitzsimmons Insurance or any church)

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Community Center (leave donation at the bank)

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Cunningham Museum (to donate contact Donna Glenn)

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YEARS AGO IN The Cunningham Clipper

W. A. BRADLEY, EDITOR

Oct. 30, 1969 - In Nashville-Zenda's 68-6 win over Wichita Collegiate, Steve Adelhardt scored four of the 10 touchdowns. Eddie Vierthaler and Randy Goetz accounted for two apiece, and Mark Danahy and Bob Smith each scored once.

Dennis Raney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Raney of Cunningham, arrived home last Wednesday from a year's duty in Vietnam, and has received his honorable discharge following two years of service in the U.S. Army.

Nov. 6, 1969 - Floyd Spade of Nashville, won first place in the St. Leo Open Pool Tournament held at the St. Leo Grocery and Supply last Saturday night and Sunday afternoon.

The Cunningham Wildcats completed their 1969 football season with a winning note last Friday night, walloping the Partridge Quails 48 to 14, in a Golden Plains League game played at Partridge.

The Wildcats finished 3 - 3 in league play, and 3 - 4 for the season.

Nov. 13, 1969 - The Nashville-Zenda Thunderbirds, No. 1 ranked eight-man football team in Kansas, edged the rugged Braman Pirates, ranked No. 5 in Oklahoma eight-man football polls, 14-6, in a non-league game played at Zenda last Friday night.

Steve Adelhardt, 220 lb. Nashville-Zenda offensive fullback and defensive guard, opened the scoring for the Golden Plains League champions with a touchdown on a one-yard plunge, climaxing a 65-yard drive for the T-birds following Braman's opening kick-off. Adelhardt slashed over for the two-point conversion, and N-Z had an 8-0 lead with the game just three minutes old.

Nashville-Zenda hiked their lead to 14-0 with a second-quarter touchdown coming on a beautiful pass play covering 43 yards. With the ball on the N-Z 37 yard line, Quarterback Mark Danahy connected with End Randy Goetz along

the sideline at the Braman 15-yard line. Goetz caught the pass in full stride and raced into the end zone for the score. The try for the two-point conversion failed.

Braman, undefeated in eight games prior to this battle, never gave up. The Pirates got back into the ball game in the third quarter when their fleet and shifty halfback, Ed Tapp, scored on a three-yard run. The try for the two-point conversion failed.

The scoreless fourth quarter was a tribute to each team's defense. The game ended with Braman on the Nashville-Zenda eight-yard line following a long sustained drive.

Nashville-Zenda, finishing the season undefeated in eight games, are the only unbeaten team in District IV (eight-man division) of the Kansas Football Playoff System, inaugurated this year to determine state champions among the different classes of Kansas high schools.

Oct. 29, 1964 - 52 out of the 90 high school students had perfect attendance records for the first six-week's period of school, according to the office of Superintendent Will Seacat.

In the "Battle of the Wildcats" here last Friday night, Preston's Wildcats overwhelmed Cunningham's Wildcats by a 34-14 score.

The impressive half-time ceremonies were under the direction of Instrumental Supervisor Barry Price, and featured the high school band led by Drum Major Marleen Cooley.

The "Cunningham Football Queen for 1964", Miss Nancy Lagree, and her two attendants, Miss Pat Baber and Miss Teresa Rose, circled the field in a convertible, stopping in front of the home stands, where they were escorted to the center of a large "C" formed by the band by three senior football players, Don Kitson, Bob Witt, and Elmer Adelhardt, where the coronation took place. Nancy Stanley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Stanley,

was flower girl, and John Steffen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Steffen, was crown bearer. A dance was held in the high school recreation room following the game.

Nov. 5, 1964 - The Cunningham Wildcats lost two football games during the past week, closing their 1964 season with a record of two straight wins followed by six straight losses.

Partridge dumped the Wildcats by a 41-20 score here last Friday night, and Alden proved to be good "mudders" as they rolled over Cunningham by a 51-12 score in a game played here Tuesday night in a steady downpour of rain.

Nov. 12, 1964 - Guests at the Knotty Pine Motel, Saturday night, were the "Imperials," an American musical group from California similar to England's famous "Beatles."

Members of the group are Tonie Baron, Dave Smith, Edd Rupp, Paul Spense, and Pato Cavallo.

They were enroute to Chicago, Ill., for an engagement, but promised motel operator Vera McClarnon they would stop and see her on their return to California.

Reports of the rainfall last week that commenced on Election Day (Tuesday) and continued on through Thursday and most of Friday, indicate total rainfall during the four days at about four inches.

Oct. 29, 1959 - January wedding plans for Miss Jane Youngers and Mr. Jack Meyers are announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Youngers of Hutchinson.

Mr. Meyers, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Meyers of Cunningham, is a graduate of Pratt Junior College, and is employed at the First National Bank of Cunningham.

Miss Youngers is a graduate of Hutchinson Junior College and is employed at the Hutchinson Public Library.

The Cunningham Wildcats dropped a 37-0 decision to the Cheney

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Cardinals in a football game played at Cheney last Friday evening.

Taxpayers of Cunningham are people of distinction in Kingman County this year - that of having the high tax levy of any other city in the county. Cunningham tops the tax levy list with 67.15 or 67.12 mills, depending on whether you live in Dresden or Rural township. The 1959 city levy was 21.39 mills.

Nov. 5, 1959 - Cunningham won their first football game of the 1959 season Tuesday evening, edging past Protection by a 7-6 score at Protection.

After a scoreless first half of sparked by some savage line play by both teams, Cunningham capped a 74-yard drive in the third period with Fullback Jerry Pelzl scoring a touchdown on a six-yard plunge. Pelzl again slashed through the middle of the line from the two-yard line for the all-important point-after-touchdown.

The first snow of the winter fell Wednesday night, dropping the temperatures to 23 degrees.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Hodgkinson of Roswell, N. Mex., announce the birth of a daughter, Friday, Oct. 23, at the Eastern New Mexico Medical Hospital in Roswell.

She weighed six pounds, seven and one-half ounces, and has been named Connie Leann.

Mrs. Genevieve Singleton of Cunningham, is the maternal grandmother, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hodgkinson of Pratt, are the paternal grandparents.

Nov. 12, 1959 - Ted Hazlett, local Santa Fe Railroad Agent, recently completed 30 years of service with the AT&SF, and he and Mrs. Hazlett recived long service passes over the company's lines in appreciation for the many years of service.

Mr. Hazlett and his brothers and sisters have compiled an enviable record of service to railroads, a total of 121 years.

One of his brothers, Howard Hazlett of Glazier, Tex., has been a Santa Fe Agent for 45 years. Another brother, Phillip Hazlett of Judsonia, Ark., has completed 42 years of agent-telegrapher service with the Missouri-Pacific Railroad Company, and two of Mr. Hazlett's sis-

ter, Mrs. Hilda Yates of Blackwell, Okla., and Mrs. Faye Reeves, now deceased, each served two years as telegraphers with the Santa Fe.

We'd say railroading runs in the Hazlett family's blood, wouldn't you?

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stillwell Jr. of Penalosa, announce the birth of a son, Thursday, Nov. 5, at the Nashville Hospital.

He weighed six pounds, 10 ounces, and has been named Kevin Rex.

The maternal grandmother is Mrs. Lizzie Brady of Penalosa, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stillwell of Cunningham.

Oct. 28, 1954 - Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mantooh announce the birth of a daughter, Friday, October 22, at the Nashville Hospital.

She weighed six pounds, ten ounces, and has been name Cynthia Ann.

The Tully School community enjoyed a pre-Hallowe'en Party at the schoolhouse last Friday evening. Games were led by teacher, Mrs. Edith Haynes, after which refreshments of pumpkin pie, coffee, and cocoa were served to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harris, Leaman and Rex; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peterson, Ronald, Ray, and Sharon; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fitzsimmons, Caren, Melva, and Lynn; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Oller, Jerry, Lynette, and Ellen; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Selton; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fitzsimmons, Gary and Kathryn; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bowers, Luella, Yvonne, and Ora; Ruth, Virginia, and Diana McClellan; Larry Shaffer; Bernie Lagree; Jack and Sue Jarboe; and Mrs. Haynes.

Nov. 4, 1954 - The High School Kay and Kayette Clubs sponsored a Clean-Up Day at the high school last Thursday afternoon. The groups raked leaves, trimmed and cleaned out hedges, planted flowers, re-painted the shuffleboard court, scraped gum from under desks, cleaned trophies, and performed many other worthwhile projects to improve the school plant and grounds.

Nov. 11, 1954 - All the bids received by the High School Board for the new auditorium-gymnasium and shop

building at Cunningham Rural High School were found to be too high upon opening last Wednesday afternoon.

A large number of contractors and companies were represented in the bidding, but the closest bid exceeded the \$150,000 bond issue allocated for thenew construction by about \$30,000.

School Board members have not as yet taken any definite action in the matter.

Oct. 28, 1949 - The new grade school building is nearing completion, and will be ready for occupancy sometime next month.

The eight-mile stretch west of Cunningham from the Pratt-Kingman County Line has been completed, and workmen are moving their equipment to the "Calista Gap."

Nov. 4, 1949 - Students on the High School Honor Roll for the first six weeks of school are Beverly Barr, Jimmy Gagnebin, Billy Huffman, Gordon Heeke, Mary Smith, Romona Zrubek, Rosanne Boen, Elva Mae Gagnebin, Ann Hauser, June Cool-ey, Richard Hazlett, Patsy Oswalt, Gale Harris, Melville Mefford, Anna Smith, John Sterneker, Barbara Weir, and Beverly Weir.

Nov. 11, 1949 - People of the Cairo community proved themselves good neighbors, Monday, when they held a "Sawing Bee" at the C. E. O'Bryant home. They sawed and chopped enough wood to last Mr. and Mrs. O'Bryant all winter.

Oct. 27, 1939 - Cunningham Rural High School's baseball wound up an undefeated seven-game schedule last Friday, beating Isabel by a 14 to 6 score. Cunningham scored victories over Antrim (twice), Isabel (twice), Norwich, Langdon, and Sharon (whose team had five McGuire brothers). Members of the team were Lelland Harris, Austin Luce, Norman Schnittker, Donald Huhman, James Theis, Delbert Schwartz, Charles Cooley, Leroy Carter, Junior Neagle, Leo Zrubek, Grimes Pearson, John Schnittker, Junior Shelman, and Alvin Krug.

Nov. 3, 1939 - Kenneth Corbin, left fielder on the Isabel High School baseball team last year, has signed a contract with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

New Editor of the Ze-

nda Headlight is Floyd Matteson of Phillipsburg, succeeding Clyde Walters.

Nov. 10, 1939 - Clyde Walter, 53, Editor of the Zenda Headlight for the past fifteen years, passed away Tuesday.

Europe entered its eighth week of war this week with casualties and action still at a minimum, and with the major offensives being made int the diplomatic field.

Oct. 26, 1934 - Miss Bonnie Gibbens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gibbens of Cunningham, and Mr. Glenn Patton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Patton of Caldwell, were married Tuesday evening.

Nov. 2, 1934 - You can get your Model A Ford overhauled at the Dafforn Motor Company for \$25.00. This includes new pistons, new pins, new rings, new timing gear, all necessary gaskets, new motor oil, re-face and re-seat valves, re-bore and fit pistons, install timing gear, tighten all bearings, and a complete motor tune-up.

Nov. 9, 1934 - Charles Cooley, 79, a pioneer resident of the Cunningham community, passed away this (Thursday) morning.

Wiley Doty and Carl Green of Cunningham are working at the CCC Camp near Mankato.

The State Highway Commission announced this week that contracts would be let soon to pave the last ten miles of the Cannonball Highway through Cunningham and the western part of Kingman County.

Oct. 25, 1929 - Zenda High School scored a 6-0 upset over Cunningham High School in a football game here last Friday afternoon.

Nov. 1, 1929 - Seth Whitmore purchased the old Movie Hall this week, and will move it to his farm where he will build a house out of the lumber.

Nov, 8, 1929 - A deal was completed this week whereby Sam McMichael became the owner of the Meng Motor Company, better known as the Cannonball Garage.

A new electric meat saw was installed this week at Hauser's Cash Market.

Prices on a new 1930 Chevrolet with bumpers and spare tire delivered in Cunningham are Roadster \$648.00, Coupe \$718.00, Coach \$718.00, Sedan \$798.00, Landau Sedan \$818.00, and Sport Coupe \$768.00.



Meanderings

I'm tired and lazy this week. It's another repeat performance. This time from September 21, 2017.

I need to add a couple more coming-of-age stories to my list of last week. Not sure how I could forget "The Education of Little Tree" by Forrest Carter. Terrific fictional story by a controversial person. I so love "Summer of the Monkeys" by Wilson Rawls. I have read it many times and I always cry at the ending. Not because it is sad, but because it is so perfect in the telling of that precise moment when a fun-loving boy becomes a responsible young man. Kudos to Mr. Rawls.

In my addiction to reading, I do read some nonfiction. Memoirs and books of historical events are what I tend to pick up if reading informational text. It just seems nonfiction takes more time and I always get sidetracked with doing further research on topics I find interesting. Instead of taking me a day or two to read a book, it usually takes me a week. Too many side stories to investigate; too many places to visit via the internet.

"The Boys in the Boat" by Daniel James Brown is the story about the young men from the University of Washington's rowing team who won a gold medal in the 1936 Olympics in Berlin, Germany. Check out the videos on youtube.com to see actual footage of the race.

I recently discovered Sarah Vowell. And, although, I purchased several of her books, I have only read "Assassination Vacation". In this book, Ms. Vowell describes her road trips dedicated to researching the assassinations of President Lincoln, President Garfield, and President McKinley. Interesting reading and I believe the author gets just as sidetracked in her research as I do in my reading. I have two other books by her on my to-be-read-in-this-lifetime shelf -- "Unfamiliar Fishes" and "The Wordy Shipmates".

Erik Larsen is an author of notable nonfiction. "Isaac's Storm" recounting the 1900 hurricane that killed 10,000 people in Galveston, Texas. "The Devil in the White City" tells the story of the building and planning of the 1893 World's Fair in Chicago and parallels the happenings with a serial killer who set up "shop" not far from the expo. Creepy read, but fascinating. "Thunderstruck" tells the story of Hawley Harvey Crippen, murderer extraordinaire, and the inventor Guglielmo

Marconi, whose invention of the telegraph helped capture the criminal. I loved reading about the advent of forensic science as well as the ghostly ghoulishness that was popular at the time. Mr. Larsen has written other books, but I've not yet read them, but plan to.

Mo Willems, author of children's greats: Elephant and Piggy, Knufflebunny, and Pigeon has also written a book for adults -- "You can Never Find a Rickshaw when it Monsoons: The World on One Cartoon a Day". After graduating from college, Mr. Willems spent one year traveling around the world. This would have been mid 1980's. He documented his travels by drawing a cartoon of the most interesting thing he saw every day. It is a large book--over 400 pages-- but one cartoon a day for one year, 400 pages is just about right. Funny and quirky, it was a delightful and entertaining look-and-read.

Bill Bryson, another favorite author of non-fiction. His autobiography, "Life and Times of the Thunderbolt Kid" is a hilarious account of his childhood perception of life in Des Moines, Iowa in the 1950's. Other writings include "A Walk in the Woods: Rediscovering America on the Appalachian Trail" and "A Short History of Nearly Everything".

"Angela's Ashes" by Frank McCourt is a wonderfully funny and sad read. Sometimes I laughed until I cried. Other times I just cried. He wrote two more books about his life -- "Tis" and "Teacher Man."

Jeanette Walls' book "Glass Castle: A Memoir" is about her life growing up with dysfunctional parents. Winner of numerous awards, the book was made into a movie released in August. From reviews, sounds like the book was much better than the film (as always).

"King of the Mild Frontier: An Ill-Advised Autobiography" by young adult novelist Chris Crutcher is an all-out excellent read from start to finish.

J.R." Moehring's autobiography "A Tender Bar" is another interesting life brought to pages by the man who lived it via the local bar.

The memoir of Mary Karr, "Liar's Club", is a no-holds-barred delightful account of growing up in Texas under the "care" of her divorced parents. Excellent.

There are so many interesting and stunning nonfiction books out there, like the coming-of-age books, it is difficult to list them all...or read them all (which I try to do). Our public library has many of these books available; if a book is not available there, it can be loaned from another library. Just ask.

Always Reading, and currently reading, "Breaking Point" by Jefferson Bass Roberta

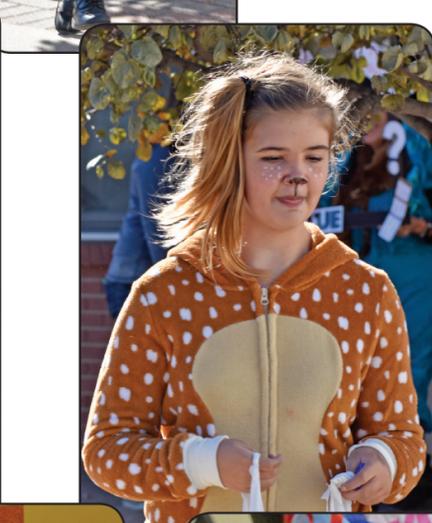
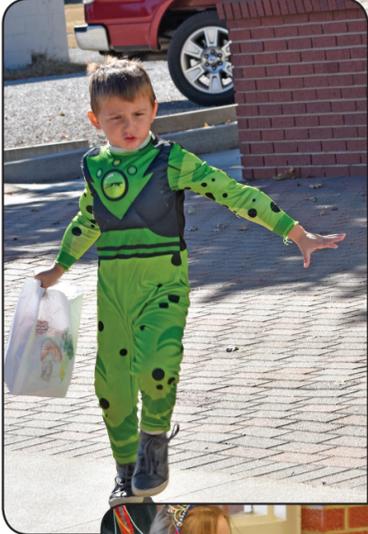
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Spooks!



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My old friend, Dale Panek, couldn't decide whether to trick or to treat. I suspect he tricked.

Action Shots from Dodge City



Morgan Meyers volleys in the game against Minneola.



Alayna McGuire sets the ball during the game against Rural Vista.



Maddi Panek spikes for a point against Central Plains.



Hunter McGuire's volley gets past the blockers from Clifton-Clyde.



Holly returns the volley against Central Plains.



Madie McGuire's hits through a Rural Vista blocker.



Mackenzie Wright plants one across the net in the game against Minneola.



Lexa Fischer is at the net against Clifton-Clyde.



An end of game celebration!



photos by Molly Morgan

Veteran's Day Celebration

What: A program to celebrate veterans
When: Nov. 11th @ 10 a.m.
Where: Cunningham Gym
Who: Everyone is invited!

Please come help us show our gratitude to all veterans!

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Chosen All-League:
Holly DeWeese and Hunter McGuire

photo by Angie McGuire

2019

Heart of the Plains Volleyball All-League

Sam Dark, Attica, Junior
 Kayleigh Rausch, Attica, Junior
 Jaci Howell, Attica, Junior
 Alexis Zehr, Burrton, Senior
 Lindsey Kaufman, Central Christian, Senior
 Jennifer Hagen, Central Christian, Senior
 Maddie Boman, Central Christian, Junior
Holly DeWeese, Cunningham, Senior
Hunter McGuire, Cunningham, Senior
 Maddison Panek, Cunningham, Junior
 Tori Poe, Norwich, Senior
 Aubrey Young, Pretty Prairie, Sophomore
 Grace Hendrickson, Pretty Prairie, Junior
 Kailey Hamm, Skyline, Senior
 Nora Gugelmeyer, South Barber, Junior
 Emily Green, Stafford, Junior

Heart of the Plains Volleyball Honorable Mention

Morgan Meyers, Cunningham, Junior
 Eva Schwertfeger, Fairfield, Junior
 Jorah Harbaugh, Pretty Prairie, Sophomore

West Kingman County BOE Met

The West Kingman County Board of Education meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, November 4, 2019 by President Scott DeWeese. President, Scott DeWeese; Members, Brent Hansen, Brent Miller, Kurt Preisser, and Joyce Gridley; Superintendent, Robert Reed; Clerk, Stacy Webster; and guests Hunter McGuire, Holly DeWeese, Macy Huhman, Jennifer

Albright, and Matthew Mercer. Motion made by Brent Hansen, seconded by Brent Miller to approve the agenda as amended; add accept Resignation. Motion carried 5-0. President DeWeese welcomed the guests to the meeting. Motion made by Brent Miller, seconded by Joyce Gridley, to approve the minutes of the October 14, 2019 meeting. Motion carried 5-0. Motion made by Kurt

Preisser, seconded by Brent Hansen, to approve the payment of bills in the amount of \$339,631.12 and the financial reports as presented. Motion carried 5-0. Jennifer Albright of Youth Core Ministries shared with the board statistics of the Kingman Co Mentoring program and some of its success stories. She also invited them to the upcoming fundraising breakfast. Superintendent Reed invited Board members to attend the upcoming KASB conference. He

also discussed sports and upcoming calendar items. He shared with the board a request he received to replace the current flag in the gym. Member Joyce Gridley shared that the Coop is still looking for 2 teachers and a Psychologist; At the last meeting there was a presentation from current therapists on the services they provide; Evaluation of the new director is scheduled. Motion made by Brent Hansen, seconded by Brent Miller, to go into

executive session with Superintendent Reed for 10 minutes at 7:50 p.m. to discuss personnel for the non-elected exception under KOMA Motion carried 5-0. President DeWeese declared the meeting in open session at 8:00 p.m. Discussion on a board retreat was held and scheduled for January 21, 2020 at 5pm in the board of education office. Motion made by Brent Miller, seconded by Joyce Gridley, to accept the resignation of Nadine Hope as Junior

High Volleyball Coach. Motion carried 5-0. Motion made by Kurt Preisser, seconded by Brent Miller, to adjourn the meeting at 8:17 p.m. Motion carried 5-0. The next regular meeting of the West Kingman County Unified School District No. 332 Board of Education will be at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 11, 2019, in the Board of Education Office at 104 W 4th St., Cunningham, Kansas.

Minutes from the County Commission Meeting October 28th, 2019

The Board of Kingman County Commissioners met in the Commissioners' Meeting Room, Kingman County Courthouse, Kingman, Kansas on October 28th, 2019. Those present: John Steffen, Chairman; Fred Foley, Commissioner; Jerry Henning, Commissioner; John Caton, County Counselor; Carol Noblit, County Clerk. Visitors: Jason Jump, Kingman Leader Courier; Carol Voran; Gayle Dye; Larry Landwehr. Staff: Mendy Frampton, Expo Center Director; Mark Schnittker, Courthouse Maintenance; Stan Goetz, HR/Planning/Zoning/Wastewater Director and Charles Arensdorf, Public Works Director.

Chairman Steffen called the Board of County Commissioners Meeting to order at 8:00 a.m. Chairman Steffen asked if there were any additions to the agenda. Commissioner Henning would like to add discussion of an email received from Rob Davis, The Law Company Project Manager. Commissioner Foley would like to add a question during Stan Goetz's time. MOTION: Commissioner Henning moved to approve the agenda with the addition or discussion of an email received from Rob Davis, The Law Company Project Manager and discussion during Stan Goetz's

time. Commissioner Foley seconded the motion. The motion was approved with a unanimous vote of the County Commissioners. Chairman Steffen asked if there was any public comment. Carol Noblit, County Clerk discussed with the County Commissioners about the tampering with the box that was used for the flag project. County Clerk submitted the minutes of October 21st, 2019 meeting for approval. MOTION: Commissioner Foley moved to approve the October 21st, 2019 Commission Minutes. Commissioner Henning seconded the motion. The motion was approved upon the unanimous vote of the County Commissioners. Mark Schnittker, Courthouse Maintenance was in to discuss light bulbs for the Candelabras going to LED to save money. The Commissioners approved changing the bulbs to LED as the old ones go out. Mr. Schnittker discussed the Heritage Trust Grant Fund with the County Commissioners. The preliminary application is due on November 1, 2019. Mr. Schnittker discussed the ceiling in the Commissioners room with the Commission. He received a price of \$4,500.00 to sheet rock the ceiling. The Commissioners would like to think about it for a week and get back with

Mr. Schnittker. MOTION: Commissioner Foley moved to approve hiring Douglas Lloyd to be the architect for Phase II of the Window Project. Commissioner Henning seconded the motion. The motion was approved upon the unanimous vote of the County Commissioners. The County Clerk requested a letter of support for the Heritage Trust Grant Application from the County Commissioners. MOTION: Commissioner Henning moved to approve a letter of support for the Heritage Trust Grant Application. Commissioner Foley seconded the motion. The motion was approved upon the unanimous vote of the County Commissioners. The County Clerk submitted paper bids from the following: Roberts Hutch Line 80 Cases at \$31.95 per case. Bolen Office Supply 80 Cases at \$39.25 per case. Office Plus 80 Cases at \$33.06 per case. MOTION: Commissioner Foley moved to accept the bid from Roberts Hutch Line in the amount of \$31.95 per case for 80 Cases. Commissioner Henning seconded the motion. The motion was approved upon the unanimous vote of the County Commissioners. The County Commissioners approved County vouchers in the amount of \$86,058.30. The County Commissioners approved Road & Bridge vouchers in the amount

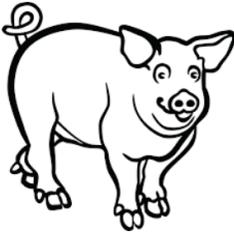
of \$71,334.78. Chairman Steffen asked who would like to be the voting delegate for KCAMP. MOTION: Chairman Steffen moved to appoint Commissioner Henning as the KCAMP voting delegate for 2019. Commissioner Foley seconded the motion. The motion was approved upon the unanimous vote of the County Commissioners. Mendy Frampton, Kingman Expo Center Director was in with the Community Service hours worked update. Ms. Frampton asked about attending a conference in Asheville, North Carolina as she received one scholarship of the two that this conference offers. The County Commissioners approved Ms. Frampton attending the Conference. Commissioners discussed the guttering that was installed on the West side of the Expo Center. Commissioner Henning discussed the insurance that we have for the Expo Center. MOTION: Commissioner Henning moved to amend the agenda to talk to Greg Graffman, City Manager. Commissioner Foley seconded the motion. The motion was approved upon the unanimous vote of the County Commissioners. Greg Graffman, City Manager was in to talk to the County Commissioners. Commissioner Henning asked Mr. Graffman if the City will waive the building permit fees for the Law Enforcement Center. Mr. Graffman let

the Commissioners know that he will ask the City Commissioners. Commissioners discussed the Kingman Community Hospital with Mr. Graffman. Stan Goetz was in with the plat map for the Norwich Addition to have the County Counselor sign it. Mr. Goetz let everyone know that it will be presented at the Planning/Zoning meeting tonight and then it will be taken to the Register of Deeds office and the County Clerk's office for filing. Commissioner Foley asked Mr. Goetz if a zoning permit is needed to shingle a roof. Mr. Goetz said if you are not changing the footage of a building you are shingling it is not needed. Mr. Goetz submitted the Planning/Zoning Meeting agenda for tonight for the Commissioners to review. Mr. Goetz let the Commissioners know that Isabel Coop will be on the November 25th, 2019 Planning/Zoning Meeting. Charles Arensdorf, Public Works Director was in with a permit for the following: 4Brothers LLC -Road Crossing-Waterline-Section 22 & 27 in Dresden Township. Mr. Arensdorf submitted the inspection contracts for the safety project north of Murdock for the Commissioners signatures. Mr. Arensdorf gave an update on the FAS #12 Emergency repairs. EXECUTIVE SESSION: Commissioner Foley moved to go into

Executive Session with Charles Arensdorf, Public Works Director; Stan Goetz, HR and John Caton, County Counselor at 10:27 a.m. to discuss an individual employee's evaluation pursuant to the exception under the Kansas Open Meetings Act. The County Commissioners returned to regular session at 10:37 a.m. Mr. Arensdorf and Mr. Goetz discussed with the Commissioners the road agreement for the wind farm Flat Ridge III. Mr. Arensdorf submitted the following bids for propane: Propane Central 1.349 per gallon Farmers Coop Garden Plain .999 per gallon Farmers Coop Equity 1.19 per gallon MOTION: Commissioner Foley moved to approve the bid on propane from Farmers Coop Garden Plain for .999 per gallon. Commissioner Henning seconded the motion. The motion was approved upon the unanimous vote of the County Commissioners. Commissioners discussed pickups that are getting in high mileage with Charles Arensdorf, Public Works Director. The Commissioners would like for Mr. Arensdorf to look at replacing four pickups and getting quotes. MOTION: Commissioner Henning moved to adjourn the board meeting at 11:20 a.m. Commissioner Foley seconded the motion. The motion was approved upon a unanimous vote of the County Commissioners. Weber Hall, 1424 Claffin Road, Manhattan, KS 66506. For more information, contact Lois Schreiner at 785-532-1267 or lschrein@ksu.edu.

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Afternoon sessions include a talk by Josh Flohr, technical and production support manager with Seaboard Foods, on the decision processes and implementing a nutritional program in an integrated swine system. Egan Brockhoff, president of Prairie Swine

Health Services and a practicing veterinarian, will share what the Canadian swine industry is doing to prevent the introduction of African Swine Fever. The registration fee is \$25 per person if paid by Nov. 12, and \$50 after that date or at the door.

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Public Notice

Fall Clean Up is over. Thank you to everyone who participated. We removed three 40 cu. yd. containers of trash and debris (plus one dumpster full of scrap metal) from our town during our October clean up. If you have tree limbs or brush needing hauled to the burn site, please contact City Hall, (620) 298-3077 to borrow a key to the site or to arrange for city employees to haul the limbs for you. Thank you again for helping to clean up our town.
City of Cunningham

Public Notice
 First Published in the Cunningham Courier,
 Thursday, October 24, 2019

IN THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT DISTRICT COURT OF KINGMAN COUNTY, KANSAS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: NAOMI K. HUFFMAN, Deceased. CASE NO. 2019 PR 44 (Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59) NOTICE TO CREDITORS THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:
 You are hereby notified that on October 16, 2019, a petition was filed in this Court by Delmer John Huffman and Jerald Rodney Huffman, heirs, devisees and legatees and Co-Executor's named in the "Last Will and Testament of Naomi K. Huffman," deceased, dated December 19, 1984, praying the will filed with the petition be admitted to probate and record; Co-Petitioner's be appointed as Co-Executor's, without bond; and Co-Petitioner's be granted Letters Testamentary.
 You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before November 12, 2019, at 10:00 a.m. in the District Court, Kingman, Kingman County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.
 All creditors of the decedent are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of first publication of notice under K.S.A. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.
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Celebrations of Life

Herman Henning

Herman J. Henning, 84, died Oct. 31, 2019, at his home.

He was born Sept. 22, 1935, at Kingman the son of John and Mary Bohrer Henning. A longtime Kingman resident he was a former construction worker, farm laborer and co-owner/operator of Henning Custom Swathing.

Herman was a member of the St. Patrick Catholic Church, Kingman.

On March 1, 1954, he married Nancy Cheatum. Other survivors include sons Robert and wife Kim, Mike and Seth; daughters Pat Meyers, Debbie Renner, Teri Schmitz and husband Dallas, and Deanna Henning; brother Elmer; and sister Joyce; and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by a son John; a daughter-in-law Carolyn; brothers Bill, Ralph, Donald, Marvin and Charlie; and sisters Evelyn, Mary Ann, Emily and Vicky.

Mass of Christian Burial was Monday, November 4th. Private family interment will be held at a later time.

Memorials may be made with the Herman Henning Memorial Fund in care of the funeral home.



Kingman Area Chamber of Commerce Welcomes Two New Businesses



Attending the ribbon cutting: front row: Ashley Keimig, Marissa Rucker, Caitlin Henderson, Maria Gates, Shelby Snyder, Mandi Roser, and Kelly Wood. Back row L-R: Shasta Wewe, Mady Wewe, Morgan Fiscus, Jessica Quinn, Sarah Robertson, and Shirlene Peitz.



Monday, November 4, the Kingman Area Chamber of Commerce had a ribbon cutting for **Squash Blossom Boutique**. The Squash Blossom opened last month at 214 North Main Street in Kingman. The store offers men's, women's, and children's clothing as well as jewelry by Brighton and Kendra Scott. Suuuper cute stuff!



Wildflower Herbals had a grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony on Friday, November 1st.

In addition to this store in Kingman, they have one in Wichita. The business is run by Erica Greenwood;

They specialize in CBD products by American Shaman CBD.

photos submitted by KACC



Ribbon-cutting ceremony attendees: front row: Brandon Ritcha, Shelby Snyder, Erica Greenwood, Julie Billings, Deb Alexander, and Kelly Wood. Back row: Ashton Bornholdt, Linda Crow, and Leesa Beam.

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On the Bloodmobile
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4-H Has Bonfire

By Alice Huelskamp

On Sunday, November 3rd, the Cunningham 4-H Club met in the Bock's pasture for their annual bonfire meeting. To start off, the club had a potluck, where kids and their families enjoyed eating hot dogs, chips and dip, and cookies. They drank hot chocolate and roasted s'mores around a bonfire, keeping warm. After the



potluck, the club held their meeting.

The thirty-three members present answered the roll call of "If you could have anything for Christmas, no matter the cost, what would it be?"

Answers included a rabbit, a house, cars, and trips to foreign countries.

New club officers were initiated into their roles. Henry Huelskamp is the president, Holly DeWeese is the vice president, Taylor Schultz is the secretary, Brianna Dittmer is the treasurer, Alice Huelskamp is the reporter, Ada Adams is the historian, and Ava Bock and Taylor

Schultz are the club representatives.

The club will meet on November 17th, at the Zenda United Methodist Church for 4-H Sunday. The club's next regular meeting will be held on Sunday, December 1st, at the Community Center, with a Christmas party. Members need to make sure to bring a side dish to the meeting. Soup will be provided.

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To reserve the Cunningham Community Center, the calendar contact is Ruth Shelman (620) 770-9153 or 318-6042.



Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, from 8:00 - 5:30 (except during lunch 12-1) on Wed., from 8:00 - 12:00 Call for Saturday hours. 1015 East U.S. 54, Kingman, KS

Pennies For Patients a Huge Success!

by Brooke Bowman

Pennies for Patients is a nine-week program for Elementary and High Schools where students collect change and raise funds while learning about service and philanthropy.

More than 13 million students and 850,000 educators in 27,000 schools across the U.S. partici-

pate annually. Since its beginning, students have raised more than \$315 million to fund breakthrough therapies and patient services.

The KAY club with the help from the Cunningham grade school, high school students, and community raised \$688.70 by placing cardboard cartons in

the students classroom to collect loose change over a nine-week period.

Mrs. Cindy Panek's 3rd grade class won first place with the most amount of money collected. They will receive a pizza party in November. Mrs. Ingid Ricke's second grade class came in second and will receive a juice party in November.



Mrs. Brooke Bowman's sixth grade class came in third and will receive candy in November.

In the past 2 years, Kay has had a goal of 200 dollars. This year they have beat the past goal!

Cheer Squad has Successful Cancer-Fighter Fundraiser



The junior high and high school cheerleaders would like to thank the community for supporting the recent cancer fundraiser.

With all of your support we were able to raise \$834.50!!! That is a huge success that would never have been possible without the support of our amazing community! 100% of the money went to a local community member who has been battling cancer!! THANK YOU!!!



photos by Barb Schultz



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