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**Northwest Health Services-** Broke ground for a new building on Monday, March 30. Board members and others directly involved in the project were on hand with the traditional gold shovels to help get the project officially started.

## Northwest Health Services breaks ground for new building

Northwest Health Services has been serving this area for 25 years and officials were pleased to break ground for the construction of their new facility, Monday morning, March 30. A large number of supporters gathered at the site for the ceremony.

Harold Johnson, Northwest Health Services Board President, gave the introductions and Ben Ernst, Northwest Health Services Chief Executive Officer, welcomed everyone to the celebration.

Boy Scout Pack 71 posted the flag, April Beth Voltmer sang the National Anthem and Jim Brown gave an invocation of blessing.

Ben Ernst, CEO, then thanked many people for helping to make this project a reality. He encouraged

everyone to look at the architectural drawings of the new facility. "We are looking forward to serving this area for years to come," remarked Mr. Ernst.

Northwest Health Services board members, Dr. Eduardo Fernandez and Dr. Maria Espejo, along with Senator Brad Lager took up shovels and proceeded to "break ground".

Becky Hampton, Chief Operations Officer, presented brass engraved bricks to Ben Ernst, CEO, and to each member of the Board of Directors for their commitment to Northwest Health Services. In addition to the board bricks were presented to Dr. Fernandez, Dr. Espejo, John White of White Construction Company, Terry Clark of

Creal, Clark and Seifert Architects and Engineers, and Senator Brad Lager for their support.

The new clinic will house examination and office space for both Dr. Fernandez and Dr. Espejo, behavioral health space, meeting/classroom space and has dental space that will later be equipped when funds become available.

The new facility is to be erected on land just north of Audrey's Motel and will be built by White Construction Company, Maysville, MO. The project's planned completion date is late November or early December with a ribbon cutting to be held at that time.

Everyone was invited up to The Klub for a reception im-

mediately following the ceremony. Refreshments were served to many supporters and employees.

## Mound City students engage in poverty simulation

Community Services, Inc., conducted Missouri's Community Action Poverty Simulation for the juniors and seniors at Mound City High School on Monday, March 30.

A Poverty Simulation is a virtual experience of life on the edge and a profoundly moving experience for each student participating. Students took on the roles of members of families, all facing a variety of challenging, but typical circumstances. Some are homeless, others jobless and some are suddenly faced with raising grandchildren.

Nearly 20 volunteers filled the roles of resource providers such as social worker, loan officer, employer, pawnbroker, grocer, utility collector, police officer and teacher. Simulation facilitator, Lori Heisey, Special Projects Coordinator for Community Services, Inc., gave the students an introduction and a debriefing on the exercise.

To start the exercise,

each student (family) was given a card explaining its unique circumstances and a small amount of "money". It is then the families' task to provide food, shelter and other basic necessities by accessing the various resources during the course of four 15-minute "weeks" to live a month of poverty.

The students were seated in family clusters and community resources were located at tables around the perimeter of the gym area. The activity lasted two and a half hours for each class.

At the end of the student's simulated month, the facilitators for the group gave them results and observations on their "simulated month" of responsible living.

Results varied within the class. During the one month time in the senior class, two families were evicted from their homes, three had their electricity shut off, one had no gas service, four had no

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**Craig students and their dates-** Leave for Prom at the Stoney Creek Inn in St. Joseph on March 28. Prom attendees completed the evening by going on to the Word of Life Church in St. Joseph for an after-prom party. Billy Brandon and Melanie Freeman were chosen King and Queen of the 2009 prom.

## Craig R-III has snowy prom

*Right*

Stylish boots were alternate footwear for prom-As Craig's prom was slightly overshadowed by a snow storm. April Beth Voltmer, left, and Cody Tubbs, right, found black polka-dot mud boots to be the solution for protecting their formal footwear until getting on the dance floor.



**Larry Thomas, seated, playing burglar Howie-** Is 'possessed by a spirit' while con-artist spiritual medium Zenobia, played by John Miller, attempts to speak to him. Stan Seitz as Officer Milo and Sheri Wright as Lillian react fearfully while Jamie Johnson, playing the ditzy Brittany, watches.

## Community play provided top-notch entertainment

*Audience well pleased with performance*

The community play held in Mound City's State Theater Friday and Saturday went off without a hitch and provided outstanding entertainment with local talent.

Friday's crowd filled the capacity of the theater seating with more than 275 in attendance. Despite inclement weather, an additional 240 people took in the show on Sat-

urday. Laughter was contagious during the performance which left some rolling in their seats.

Ten locals became fabulous actors in their roles in "You Can't Beat the House" and proved that some surprising local talent can easily meet the demands of a screwball comedy.

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*Below*  
**John Miller as Zenobia the Great-** Shushes Sheri Wright, the ghost whispering mother-in-law Lillian, while Paul Grant, son-in-law Conrad Spears, watches in amazement.



## Absentee votes due by April 7

The last day to vote Absentee for the upcoming April 7, 2009, General Municipal Election is Monday, April 6, from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and Monday from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. to accommodate voters. Voters should bring proper identification to absentee vote. Please contact Kathy J. Kunkel, County Clerk, at 660-446-3303 if you have any questions.









# Ask the Ag Team

## Job Interviewer Etiquette seminar

A special three hour seminar will be held to help potential employers with interviewing etiquette.

This course is for small business owners, managers and department heads who have a limited knowledge of what should, and should not, be done during an interview.

Attendees will learn how to avoid "landmine" questions, maintain control of the interview conduct team interviews, and hire the right person the first time.

Other topics that will be covered include learning about what happens when you don't put the right people in the right jobs and learning how to identify non-producers, average producers and superior producers. The seminar will also cover using Job Match Patterns that can help with place-

ment, retention, training, promoting, managing and planning.

The three hour seminar will be held April 16 from 7:30-10:30 a.m. at First Christian Church, 201 W. 3rd Street in Maryville, MO.

The registration fee for the event is \$20. A registration form can be obtained from the University of Missouri Extension in Oregon, MO. Call 446-3724 for more information. Registration forms and fees must be turned in by April 13.

Instructors for the event are Kellie Eisenhauer, owner of Elevate- a company that offers solutions to employers for the challenges faced when trying to acquire, grow and retain employees and Tom Kelso, Business Development Specialist for the University of Missouri Extension.

**A primer on basic gardening, part 4** by Tim Baker, Horticulture Specialist, University of Missouri Extension, Daviess County

When planning your vegetable garden, you can quickly be overwhelmed by the choices of cultivars available. The tendency most people have is to plant too much. After all, the seed catalog makes it all sound so good.

So the first point to consider is how much to plant. Be realistic. Plan for how much produce you actually need. If you plan to preserve your harvest, you will obviously need to plant more. But don't get carried away. The more you plant, the more you will have to weed later.

Remember what kind of machinery you have available. Larger plots will require more mechanization. If you just have hand tools, that's fine, but you should start out on a small scale.

When planning exactly what to grow, it's easy. Grow what you like! If you don't like Brussels Sprouts, don't plant them. If sweet corn is your favorite, then you may want to plan for more.

When you are ready to order seeds, it's best to grow cultivars that do well in your area. University of Missouri Extension has a guide sheet (mentioned below) that will help you in this area. You download it from our web site, or request one from your local Extension center.

Cultivars may be chosen on numerous traits, including disease resistance, purpose, flavor, color and many more. Most of this will be based on your preference.

Cultivars may be hybrid or non-hybrid, sometimes called open-pollinated. This again is your preference.

Hybrid seeds are noted for higher uniformity, and sometimes may yield more. Open-pollinated seeds are the ones you want if you intend to save seed for next year's crop.

Heirloom cultivars are one popular category of open-pollinated types. These plants are older cultivars and many gardeners believe that they have superior flavor. They may not yield as much as the newer hybrids and may not ship well, which is why they have fallen out of favor with commercial growers. However, home gardeners aren't usually concerned with yields and shipping, so they often opt to grow them for their superior flavor.

Some vegetables are traditionally grown from seeds planted directly in the garden, while others are usually grown as transplants. Transplants do offer a quicker start, and therefore a quicker harvest. If you are depending on buying transplants, this will usually limit your choice of cultivar. You can start your own transplants, if you have a suitable place to grow them indoors. Be sure to use potting soil, not garden soil, when you grow transplants.

When planting your seeds or transplants, be sure you plant them at the right time. We typically divide vegetables into cool season and warm season crops. The warm season crops, such as tomatoes and squash, do not tolerate frost, so you will want to wait to plant them until the danger of frost is past. They can be planted before that time, but you may have to protect them if cold weather returns.

Cool season vegetables can tolerate various levels of cold weather, and some may even tolerate a little frost. That's where our Veg-

etable Planting Calendar comes in handy. Just call your local University of Missouri Extension office and ask for a free copy.

**Horticulture tips from University of Missouri Extension** by Tim Baker, Horticulture Specialist, University of Missouri Extension, Daviess County

### Planting holes

When planting a tree or other woody plant, it's generally best to use the same soil that you dug out of the

hole to put back in around the new plant's roots. Don't add organic matter to the soil. While this may create a good environment for the roots to grow in, this may encourage the roots to stay there, and not grow into the surrounding soil. In heavier soils, this is especially important. You could actually create a "bowl" that holds water, and the root zone could become waterlogged in wet weather.

## Grain pricing decisions are difficult

When to sell and at what prices to make sales? How much to sell? How should sales be made? With the limited upside price potential expected by most analysts, it will be important to set price targets or use pricing strategies that capture prices above breakeven price levels when they are offered.

There are still about 17 months to sell 2009 production and so it is still early in the marketing year. Some of the better pricing opportunities often occur early in the growing season. The corn and soybean markets have been slow to begin a seasonal spring rally, but both have now rallied from their early March lows. If the rally continues, this suggests being prepared to capture pricing opportunities as the planting season approaches. The fact that current new crop bids already offer some profit it also should not be ignored, especially ahead of possible surprises in the USDA's Prospective Plantings report.

The uncertain outlook suggests spreading sales. Those with crop insurance can more comfortably spread sales for quantities that are guaranteed by the insurance policy. Without crop insurance, the when, how much and at what price decisions are more risky. However, capturing potentially profitable

prices by spreading sales of an amount that is likely to be produced, regardless of the growing season, can be a good decision.

A variety of sales methods can be used. Remember, many market strategies don't eliminate risks they just try to manage it. It is very important to understand how the strategy works and any risks associated with it.

Pre-harvest new crop cash sales (forward contracting) offer a relatively simple method of capturing current or any higher new crop cash bids. However, this incurs a delivery obligation, and in some cases, locks-in a weak basis and may carry a counter-party risk if a grain buyer fails. Purchasing put options offers a low risk alternative, but current option premium costs wipe out all or most of the current narrow profit margins.

A more complicated option spread strategy to reduce net premium costs may be needed in order to effectively use options. Future hedges would also lock-in profitable prices, but it is important to be prepared for the cash flow impact of margin calls. Margin calls could become large if summer weather produces volatile market prices.

Any of these sale methods or strategies will work, just understand the risks, know production costs and make sales to capture profitable prices in a high risk environment. When spreading sales it is likely that some sales will turn out to be disappointing, but it reduces risk. The profit margins may be much narrower than last year and decisions are not easy, but it is still possible to have a profitable year.

This is part of a newsletter "Decisive Marketing Newsletter" written by Melvin Brees, Agricultural Economist, the Food and Agricultural Policy Research Institute at the University of Missouri-Columbia. For more information, contact Wayne Flanary Holt County Extension Program Director.



## UPCOMING AUCTIONS

**Real Estate Auction (Fri., April 24 - 1:00 p.m.):** Bob & Cathy Newberry, 9931 Co. Rd. 62, Savannah, MO. 80 Acres m/l - Plus nice home & much more! - *OPEN HOUSE* - Sunday, April 5, 2 to 4 p.m. - *Schuman-Clement*

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**Farm Auction (Sat., May 2):** Chris & Cindy Kurtz; 26545 Hwy. B Oregon, MO. - *Schuman-Clement*

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**Craig FCCLA team heads to state**  
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Jessie Ohlensehlen, left- Attempts to do business with the Friendly Utility Company run by Jan Seitz and Mary Hutcheson.



Jacob Parker, left, and Cole Rosier, right- Found themselves in jail after attempting to rob the pawn shop. Mound City Police officer Luke Lee served as the police officer.

## Mound City students engage in poverty simulation

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telephone service and some had children taken away by the Division of Family Services.

The simulators reported that students often did not take care to buy groceries, prescriptions and other needed items. The students became aware that the pawn

dealer was not offering good deals and the bank was short changing many customers.

It was noted that one particular student attempted to do all the right things, but things didn't always work out. He became frustrated and like people living in poverty often do, he just gave up.

The students did a good

job showing up to work, knowing that was important. Many lessons were learned from the simulation.

"The simulation was a good thing," remarked senior Christopher Buckles. "It showed how hard it can be to get by in life on a low income-it's not a breeze. Even with a decent paying job, it can be stressful at

times. Some of us got pretty stressed out having to do all those things."

Poverty simulations can be arranged for any group of students as well as adults. Organizations may also benefit from this exercise. To arrange a poverty simulation for a group contact Lori Heisey at 660-582-3113 or email at ltheisey@asde.net.

## Holt County real estate transfers

**March 16-20**

Robert R. Bailey and Bonita S. Bailey Declaration of Trust, by trustee to Bonita S. Bailey, Oregon, MO; A trustee deed, grantor's undivided 1/8 interest in the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter, the West half of the Southeast Quarter and the East half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 21, the West half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 27, except that part lying north of MO Hwy. T, and the Southwest Quarter of Section 27, the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter; the east half of the Southwest Quarter, lying south of the road, the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter; the west half of the Northeast Quarter; the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and the North 30 acres of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter; all in Section 28; the Northeast Quarter; the Northwest Quarter of Southeast Quarter; and the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 33, and accretions; the Northwest Quarter of Section 34, together with accretions thereto, said accretions running over and across and being the south half of the Northeast Quarter of said Section 34, and the fractional south half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 35, all in Township 59 north, Range 37 west of the 5th P.M.

Max L. Prussman, et ux to Max L. Prussman, et ux, T.O.D.; A beneficiary deed, Two tracts of land, tract I: All that part of the east half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 31, Township 60 north, of Range 38 west of the 5th P.M. see record for full description; tract II: commencing at the Southwest corner of Section 24, Township 60 north or Range 39 west of the 5th P.M., thence east one mile to east line of Section 24, thence north 106 2/3 rods, thence west one mile to west line of Section 24, thence south 106 2/3 rods to beginning with exceptions, see record for full description.

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Teresa Ann Stanton, et al, by successor trustee to Fannie Mae, Dallas, TX; Lots 6 and 7, Block 11 in the original town of Maitland.

Jonah R. Radley, et ux to John Nenneman, et ux, Craig, MO; re-recorded to correct spelling of grantee's name; Lots 15 and 16 in Block 3 of H.L. Ward's Addition to the town of Craig.

Herbert James Nauman, deceased, by personal representative to Bryan Kent Gillenwater, Craig, MO; All of Lots 2, 3, 6 and 7 in Block 49 in the original town, now city of Mound City.

Melvin Hayzlett, et ux to Randy Hayzlett, et ux, Oregon, MO; All of Lot 1 in Block 84 and all of Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in Block 89 in the town, now city of Forest City.

Forrest R. Alderman, et ux to Rickey L. Barnes, et ux, Mound City, MO; All of Lot 7 of Danbury's Subdivision in the Village of Big Lake.

**March 23-27**

City of Craig to Bobby Lawson, et al, Craig, MO; All of Lot 4 in Block 3 in Enworth's Addition in the original town, now city of Craig.

Rex A. Jackson to Deborah A. Dougherty, Oregon, MO; All of a tract commencing at the East Quarter corner Section 4, Township 59 north Range 38 west, see record for full description.

On behalf of the Celebrity Waiter Dinner Committee and Community Hospital-Fairfax, we would like to thank our community for a very successful 12th Annual Celebrity Waiter Dinner.

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- April 2 - Golf team hosts Stanberry and CFX - 4:00 p.m.
- April 3 - District Band Contest at Northwest Missouri State University
- April 4 - Mound City Junior/Senior Prom
- April 4 - Craft Show at the Mound City Nutrition Site - 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
- April 6 - Junior High Track hosts Holt County meet
- April 7 - High school track meet at Rock Port
- April 8 - Golf team hosts CFX, Tarkio and West Nodaway - 4:00 p.m.
- April 9 - Golf team hosts CFX and South Holt - 4:00 p.m.
- April 10-13 - No School - Easter Break
- April 12 - Easter Sunday
- April 14 - High School Track at Blue Jay Relays - Rock Port
- April 14-17 - MAP Testing at Mound City R-II
- April 15 - Mound City School Board meeting - 8:00 p.m.
- April 16 - Elementary Student Council Bingo at Tiffany Heights
- April 16 - Junior High Track at Cardinal Relays - North Andrew (Rosendale, MO)
- April 17 - Rescheduled North Platte Relays at Dearborn

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# CRAIG COMMUNITY CALENDAR

(ITEMS MUST BE AT THE MOUND CITY NEWS BY NOON MONDAY)

- April 2 - Golf at Mound City - 4:30 p.m., Craig Honors Banquet - 7:00 p.m.
- April 3 - District Band Contest at NWMSU (Maryville, MO)
- April 6 - Junior High Track at Mound City - 4:30 p.m.
- April 7 - Kindergarten Screening at Craig R-III - Starts at 9:00 a.m.
- April 7 - High School Track at Rock Port - 4:30 p.m.
- April 8 - Golf at Mound City - 4:00 p.m.
- April 22 - Craig R-III School Board meeting - 8:00 p.m.

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## Trojanettes 3-on-3 basketball tournament results

The Trojanette 3-on-3 basketball tournament was held March 28 at Graham. Several teams from around the area competed in different age levels. The event served as a fundraiser for the Trojanette softball team.

- ### 14 and under girls
- 1st place: Jefferson Eagles- Shanna Welch, Ashley Chor, Sarah Kemper, Jill Henry, all from Jefferson, MO
  - 2nd place: Lane Violators, Katie Gatton- Stewartsville, Kaydrie Bergner- St Joseph, Ariel Bergner- St. Joseph, Cassidy Bergner, Highland, KS
  - 3rd place: Hopkins Mustangs- Chelsie Titus, Cambry Schluter, Brittany Bix, all from North Nodaway
- ### 16 and under girls
- 1st place: Still- Brooke Byland, Chelsea Byland, Shelby Blanchard, Hailey Roush- all from Maryville
  - 2nd place: Mustangs- Nikki Larabee, Taylor Miller, Rae Ann Ramsey, Leslie Birkenholz, all from North Nodaway
  - 3rd place: Batt- Taylor Hale, Tricia Erickson, Bailey Wingard, all from Maysville
- ### 18 and under girls
- 1st place: Ha Ha's- Bailee Testorf, Janae Cooper, Emilee Buckler, Dakota Hellyer, all from North Platte
  - 2nd place: Jefferson Eagles- Kendle Schieber- Jefferson, Ally Sullivan- Jefferson, Allison Kemper- Jefferson, Morgan Luke- Stanberry
  - 3rd place: Lady Panthers- Jenny Jackson, Kallie Schoonover, Synthia Murphy, all from Mound City
- ### 12 and under boys
- 1st Place: Crossfire- Ben Badell- Grant City, Brevyn Ross- Grant City, Drew Cottrill- Albany, Corby Walker- Maryville
  - 2nd Place: Bulldogs- Alex McQuinn, Isaac Hed-

- dinger, Cole Gage, all from Stanberry
  - 3rd place: West Nodaway- Grant Carver, Blake Farnan, Brenton Beason, Trevor Meyers, all from West Nodaway
- ### 14 and under boys
- 1st Place: M C Slammers- Hayston Wilson, James Walker, Brett Johnson, Kase Newcomb, all from Mound City
  - 2nd place: Wildcats- Nic Patterson, Brice Shamberger, Ryan Ginther, all from Nodaway-Holt
  - 3rd place: Rush- Ty Hilsabeck, Jacob Finch, Trent Nally, Adam Thompson, all from Maryville
- ### 16 and under Boys
- 1st place: Trojans- Carson Long, Zach Lemar, Patrick O'Riley, all from Nodaway-Holt
  - 2nd place: Dougan- Cole Dougan, Dexter Barmann, Dustin Staashelm, Matt Downing, all from Maryville
  - 3rd place: Skillz that Killz- Jacob Stoll- Jefferson, Tyler Peve, Andrew Sherry, Blake Sherry, all from Maryville
- ### 18 and under boys
- 1st place: South Holt second string- Cameron Radley, Brandon Whittington, Jeff Whittington, Doug Mueller, all from South-Holt
  - 2nd place: Plummer- Tyler Costello, Toby prussman, John Plummer, Shawn Doughty, all from South Holt
  - 3rd place: Mustangs- Jason DeMott, Chyler Hoepker, Brent Hengglar

## Buy-in waiver extension approved for disaster assistance programs

Jackie VanGundy, Executive Director of USDA's Farm Service Agency in Holt County announced today that producers who did not obtain crop insurance or Non-insured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) coverage for 2008 can pay a buy-in fee through May 18, 2009, to become eligible for 2008 disaster assistance programs authorized by the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008.

"Producers have an additional opportunity to become eligible for several programs if they suffered 2008 agricultural losses due to natural disaster," said VanGundy.

Producers who have not already taken the necessary steps to become eligible for the Supplemental Revenue Assistance Pro-

gram (SURE), Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honeybees, and Farm-Raised Fish (ELAP), and the Tree Assistance Program (TAP) are required to complete the following steps by May 18, 2009:

Pay a \$100 "buy-in" fee per crop. The maximum fee is \$300 per county, per producer, not to exceed \$900 for multi-county producers.

In the case of each insurable crop, excluding grazing land, agree to obtain a policy or plan of insurance for the next insurance year for which crop insurance is available; coverage level should equal 70 percent or more of the yield at 100 percent of the price.

In the case of each non-insurable crop, agree to file the required paperwork and pay the applicable ad-

ministrative NAP coverage fee by the applicable state application closing date for the next available year.

Producers who choose to "buy in" under this provision will be considered, for insured crops, to have obtained a policy or plan of insurance for the 2008 crop year at a level of coverage not to exceed 70 percent of the yield at 100 percent of the price. For noninsur-

able crops, producers will be considered to have a level of coverage equal to 70 percent of the yield. These levels of coverage will be used to calculate the 2008 SURE guarantee.

Producers who meet the definition of "Socially Disadvantaged, Limited Resource," or "Beginning Farmer or Rancher," are not required to pay the buy-in fee.



14 and under basketball winners

## Craig R-III Kindergarten Screening

Tuesday, April 7  
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A Mound City 3 on 3 basketball team- Consisting from left to right of Haysten Wilson, Brett Johnson, Kase Newcomb and James Walker won the 14 and under tournament held in Graham, MO on March 28.

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<b>6</b> Pancakes Sausage Patty Juice Milk	<b>7</b> Cereal or Yogurt Toast Juice Milk	<b>8</b> Sausage Gravy on Biscuit Juice Milk	<b>9</b> Scrambled Eggs Toast Juice Milk 12:45 DISMISSAL	<b>10</b> NO SCHOOL EASTER VACATION
<b>13</b> NO SCHOOL EASTER VACATION	<b>14</b> Cereal or Yogurt Toast Juice Milk	<b>15</b> Biscuit & Sausage Gravy Juice Milk	<b>16</b> Scrambled Eggs Sausage Patty Juice Milk	<b>17</b> Breakfast Pizza Juice Milk
<b>20</b> French Toast Sausage Patty Juice Milk	<b>21</b> Cereal or Yogurt Toast Juice Milk	<b>22</b> Biscuit & Sausage Gravy Juice Milk	<b>23</b> Scrambled Eggs Hash Brown Juice Milk	<b>24</b> Breakfast Pizza Juice Milk
<b>27</b> Breakfast Stick Hash Brown Juice Milk	<b>28</b> Cereal or Yogurt Toast Juice Milk	<b>29</b> Sausage Gravy on Biscuit Juice Milk	<b>30</b> Scrambled Eggs Toast Juice Milk	ALTERNATE EACH DAY IS CEREAL & TOAST



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## Craig R-III APRIL LUNCH MENU

MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.
		<b>1</b> Corn Dog w/ Cheese Sauce Nachos & Cheese Fruit/Ranger Cookie	<b>2</b> Cheese Quesadilla Cinnamon Apples Cookie	<b>3</b> Chicken Nuggets Hash Brown Pear Halves Cake
<b>6</b> Salisbury Steak Mashed Potatoes Mand. Oranges Hot Roll	<b>7</b> School Boy Sandwich French Fries Pineapple No-Bake Cookie	<b>8</b> Ham & Cheese Croissants Chips, Cole Slaw Ice Cream, Cookie	<b>9</b> Hot Dog on Bun Chips Carrot Sticks Fruit	<b>10</b> NO SCHOOL EASTER VACATION
<b>13</b> NO SCHOOL EASTER VACATION	<b>14</b> Pepperoni Pizza Veggie, Jell-o Graham Cracker Cookie	<b>15</b> Chicken Patty On Bun, Tator Tots Baked Beans Fruit	<b>16</b> Mac & Cheese Green Beans Rosy Applesauce Bread w/PB	<b>17</b> Burrito with Cheese Sauce, Corn Fruit Snickerdoodle Cake
<b>20</b> Country Fried Steak Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Mandarin Oranges	<b>21</b> Chili w/ crackers Dill Spear Cheese Slice Snickerdoodle Cake	<b>22</b> Taco Salad Corn Fruit Crisp	<b>23</b> Cheese Pizza Lettuce Salad Sherbert Cookie	<b>24</b> Chili Crispito w/ Cheese Sauce, Veggie Fruit Cocktail M & M Cookie
<b>27</b> Chicken Strips Spicy Potato Wedges Cottage Cheese Pineapple	<b>28</b> Hamburger on Bun French Fries White Cake Strawberries	<b>29</b> Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce, Peas/Carrots Fruit Garlic Roll	<b>30</b> Frito Pie Lettuce Salad Peaches Chocolate Cake	ALTERNATE EACH DAY IS PEANUT BUTTER SAND.




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**Tori Ingram, left, and Kallie Schoonover, right-** Race through the 110 meter high hurdles during the first track meet of the season for Mound City held at Worth County on March 26. The girls took first and second in the finals.

## Mound City wins Early Bird Relays

The Mound City Panthers participated in the Early Bird Relays hosted by the Worth County Tigers on March 26. Both the girls' and boys' high school teams won the meet despite the gusty winds and steadily declining temperatures. Eleven teams participated in the meet.

The Mound City girls took first place with 155 points, Maysville was second with 92 points and Albany took third with 65 points. The Mound City boys won the meet with 120 points, Worth County was second with 108 points and South Harrison was third with 90 points.

### GIRLS' RESULTS:

**100M Dash-** 1. Whisper Parrish 13.31  
**200M Dash-** 4. Whisper Parrish 28.97  
**400M Dash-** 1. Emilee Messer 1:05, 5. Taylor Miles 1:09  
**1600M Run-** 2. Jordyn Pankau 6:13  
**3200M Run-** 1. Jordyn Pankau 13.50, 6. Josie Bomar 16.22  
**100M Hurdles-** 1. Tori Ingram 17.94, 2. Kallie Schoonover 18.66  
**300M Hurdles-** 1. Kallie Schoonover 51.96, 3. Tori Ingram 54.97  
**4x100M Relay-** 3. (Miles, Buckles, Haer, Parrish) 55.97  
**4x200M Relay-** 1. (Ingram, Buckles, Messer, Parrish) 1:57  
**4x400M Relay-** 1. (Miles, Ingram, K. Schoonover, Messer) 4:27  
**4x800M Relay-** 1. (Messer, Kinney, Haer, Pankau) 11:21

**High Jump-** 6. Abby Haer 4'2"

**Long Jump-** 1. Kallie Schoonover 14'11", Laura Schoonover 13'5"

**Triple Jump-** 2. Taylor Miles 30'8.5", 6. Laura Schoonover 29'1"

**Shot Put-** 3. Morgan Burge 28'

**Discus-** 2. Morgan Burge 85'5"

### BOYS' RESULTS:

**100M Dash-** 2. Patrick Treece 11.67

**200M Dash-** 2. Cole Rosier 23.70

**400M Dash-** 2. Cole Rosier 55.50

**800M Dash-** 1. Miles Clifton 2:13, 5. Tyler Vanschoiack 2:25

**1600M Run-** 1. Michael Whitman 5:18

**3200M Run-** 1. Michael Whitman 12:12, 6. Paul Grant 13:33

**110M Hurdles-** 4. James Schoonover 19:18

**300M Hurdles-** 4. Gage Rosier 47.39, 6. James Schoonover 48.81

**4x100M Relay-** 1. (Clifton, Montgomery, Schoonover, Treece) 47.37

**4x200M Relay-** 2. (Montgomery, Schoonover, G. Rosier, Treece) 1:40

**4x400M Relay-** 1. (G. Rosier, Montgomery, Clifton, C. Rosier) 3:50

**4x800M Relay-** 1. (Vanschoiack, Eaton, Jumps, Clifton) 9:12

**High Jump-** 1. Willier Walker 6'0"

**Long Jump-** 4. Cole Rosier 17'4"

**Triple Jump-** 5. Dan Montgomery 36'6"



**James Schoonover, left, receives the baton-** From Dan Montgomery, right, during the 4x100 meter relay at the Worth County track meet. The team took first with a time of 47.37 seconds.

## Mound City Athletic Awards' Banquet

The Mound City Athletic Banquet was held in the gym on Tuesday, March 24. A great meal was provided by the parents and the school.

Mrs. Carly Edwards, cheerleading coach, presented the cheerleading awards to Kelsey Davis, Blaire Heck, Shelby Culp, Katie Kinney, Taylor Blevins, Tori Ingram, Haley Loucks and Taylor Miles.

Mrs. Kayla Schoonover, head volleyball coach, and Mrs. Debi Clifton, assistant volleyball coach, presented the volleyball team with participation and letter awards. 275 All-Conference, All-District, All-District 16 Tournament Team and All-State awards were presented. Kelsey Davis, Hannah Elton, Lauren Geiger, Synthia Murphy, Kallie Schoonover, Morgan Burge, Laura Schoonover, Taylor Blevins and Abby Haer were awarded Academic All-State honors for achieving a GPA of 3.6 or above. Collectively, the entire team held a GPA of 3.8.

Mr. Brian Messer, football coach, along with assistant coach, Mr. Jason Tenney, spoke briefly to the crowd, thanking the players for such a great year and gave out the football awards. He reported that a unique opportunity existed this year for the underclassmen. All 26 football team members lettered this year. Because of the excellent play of the starters in each game, the rest of the football team logged, in many cases, more quarters of playing time than

the starters did. All-Conference, All-District 3, All-State and All-News Press Team awards were presented.

Korey Miles, head boys' basketball coach, and assistant coach, Mr. Jason Tenney, congratulated the team on a season that had exceeded all other seasons since 1981. Participation and letter awards were presented. Special awards voted on by the boys were presented as follows: **Most Improved-** Michael Whitman and Evan Gilland; **Hustle Award-** Pat Treece and James Schoonover; **Defensive Player-** Miles Clifton and Gage Rosier; **Leadership Award-** Cole Rosier and Patrick Treece.

First Team All-Conference Unanimous Selection and All-District 14 Awards went to Miles Clifton and Cole Rosier. Gage Rosier received second team All-Conference.

Head Girls' Basketball Coach Brooke Hogue, and assistant coach, Korey Miles, handed out participation and letter winner awards. The girls voted on special team awards and they were presented. **Most Valuable Player Award** went to Kallie Schoonover, **Defensive Player Award** went to Synthia Murphy and **Most Improved** went to Kelsey Davis. Kallie Schoonover received First Team All-Conference as well as All-District honors. Abby Haer was honorable mention All-Conference.

Miles Clifton and Kallie Schoonover were named on the All-State team the following day.

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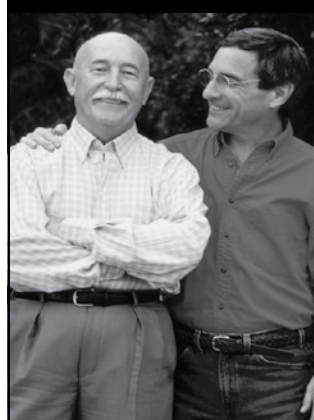
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**County Clerk  
Kathy J. Kunkel**

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**NOTICE OF PETITION FOR DETERMINATION  
OF HEIRSHIP**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HOLT COUNTY, MISSOURI,  
PROBATE DIVISION

**In the Estate of GARY W. SCHULTZ, Deceased.  
Estate No. CV 09J9-PR0-011**

**To All Persons Interested in the Estate of GARY W. SCHULTZ,  
Deceased:**

You are hereby notified that Suzan Schultz Moriarty has filed a petition for the determination of the heirship of the decedent, under Sec. 473.663 RSMo which will be heard in the Probate Division of the Holt County Circuit Court on May 5, 2009 at 10:30 a.m. at which time and place you should appear to protect your interests.

**Petitioner's address is:** 50 Church Street, Montclair, NJ 07042

**The attorney for petitioner is:** Diane K. Hook, MORTON, REED, COUNTS & BRIGGS

whose address is 400 Jules Street, Ste. 320, St. Joseph, MO 64501

Date of First publication: April 2, 2009

**Karen L. Frede, Clerk  
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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

For default in the payment of debt secured by a deed of trust executed by John S. Balsamo, dated June 13, 2005, and recorded on June 14, 2005, in Book No. 366, at Page 122 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Holt County, Missouri, the undersigned Successor Trustee will on April 10, 2009, at 12:15 p.m., at the North Door of the Holt County Courthouse, Oregon, Missouri, sell at public venue to the highest bidder for cash:

All of Lots Fifty-five (55), Fifty-six (56) and Fifty-seven (57) in the O'FALLON VIEW, an addition to the City of Oregon, Holt County, Missouri, commonly known as 603 Maple Street, Oregon, MO 64473

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**NOTICE OF  
ACCESSIBILITY**

FURTHER NOTICE IS GIVEN that, where a regular polling place has limited accessibility, a disabled or elderly voter may be provided an alternative means of casting his or her ballot. Such means may include reassignment to an accessible polling place, curbside voting, assisted voting or voting by absentee ballot. A voter may apply for an absentee ballot in person or by mail, or may have a relative or guardian apply in person on his or her behalf. If a voter is permanently disabled, he or she may have the notary requirement for absentee balloting waived by filing a physician's statement concerning the disability. In addition, voters requiring assistance may be assisted by a person of the voter's choice.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION ON REGISTRATION AND VOTING:** Persons may contact their local county clerk by telephone at 446-3303 or by mail at P O Box 437, Oregon, Missouri 64473.

The Missouri Secretary of State's office provides a toll free number for persons with hearing impairments who have access to a Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD). TDD users may call 800-669-8683 to obtain information on polling places, absentee balloting, voter registration and other election-related services available in their local jurisdiction and from the State of Missouri.

**POLLING PLACES FOR HOLT COUNTY**

Precinct	Township	Location
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Northeast	Clay	Nodaway-Holt R-7 409 Hickory St. Maitland, MO
3. West	Bigelow-Minton	Big Lake Community Center 522 Lakeshore Dr. Big Lake, MO
4. Central	Benton-Liberty	City Hall 205 East Sixth St. Mound City, MO
5. Southwest	Forest	City Hall 301 Grand Ave. Forest City, MO
6. Southeast	Lewis-Hickory Nodaway-Forbes	T.J. Hall Building 104 S. Main St. Oregon, MO
7. Absentee & Early Voting		County Clerk's Office 102 West Nodaway St. Oregon, MO

The polling places will be open from the hours of 6:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. during which time any person properly registered to vote in the County will be given the opportunity to cast his or her ballot.

Done by order of the County Clerk of the County of Holt.

Kathy J. Kunkel

**OFFICIAL SAMPLE BALLOT  
GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION  
HOLT COUNTY, MISSOURI  
TUESDAY, APRIL 7, 2009**

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**

Notice is hereby given that the April General Municipal Election will be held in the County of Holt on Tuesday, April 7, 2009 as certified to this office by the participating entities of Holt County. The ballot for the election shall be in substantially the following form:

<p><b>SOUTH HOLT R-1 SCHOOL DISTRICT</b></p> <p><b>PROPOSITION 1. TO CHOOSE BY BALLOT TWO MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR A TERM OF THREE YEARS.</b></p> <p><b>FOR BOARD MEMBERS THREE YEAR TERM Vote for TWO</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> JIM KELLY <input type="radio"/> LaDONNA JONES <input type="radio"/> BILL KILLIN <input type="radio"/> MERI MARKT <input type="radio"/> TONY BRAGG <input type="text"/> Write-in <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>SKIDMORE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT</b></p> <p><b>FOR BOARD MEMBER SIX YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> LESLIE LINVILLE <input type="radio"/> RICK ALLEN <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>CORNING SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT</b></p> <p>Choose by ballot, one who shall serve as board members for a three year term.</p> <p><b>FOR BOARD MEMBER THREE YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> RUSSEL GRUNDEL <input type="radio"/> DEAN BIERMANN <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>
<p><b>CRAIG R-III SCHOOL DISTRICT</b></p> <p><b>Proposition 1. To choose by ballot, two who shall serve as members of the Board of Education of said school district for a term of three years each.</b></p> <p><b>FOR BOARD MEMBER THREE YEAR TERM Vote for TWO</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> RONNIE HAER <input type="radio"/> ROXANE PETERS <input type="radio"/> REBECCA L. MONROE <input type="radio"/> JOHN K. DOUGHERTY <input type="radio"/> DAVID TRAUERNICHT <input type="text"/> Write-in <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>SKIDMORE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TAX LEVY INCREASE</b></p> <p>Shall the board of directors of the Skidmore Fire Protection District be authorized to increase the annual tax rate from 21 cents to 30 cents on the hundred dollars assessed valuation to provide funds for the support of the district?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR THE PROPOSITION <input type="radio"/> AGAINST THE PROPOSITION</p>	<p><b>CITY OF OREGON</b></p> <p><b>FOR WEST WARD ALDERMAN TWO YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> STEVEN ROGERS <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>
<p><b>BIGELOW INDEPENDENT ROAD DISTRICT</b></p> <p><b>FOR BOARD MEMBER THREE YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>SOUTH UNION INDEPENDENT ROAD DISTRICT QUESTION</b></p> <p>Shall the South Union Independent Road District of Holt County levy an additional tax rate of 35 cents on the hundred dollars valuation for a period of four years? In accordance with RSMo.-137.570</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p><b>CITY OF OREGON</b></p> <p><b>FOR EAST WARD ALDERMAN TWO YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> TROY M. COTTON <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>
<p><b>CITY OF MOUND CITY FOR ALDERMAN NORTH WARD TWO YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>FOR ALDERMAN SOUTH WARD TWO YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> ED DEARMONT <input type="radio"/> ROGER HORN <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>CITY OF CRAIG FOR SOUTH WARD Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> SHIRLEY PAULSON <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>
<p><b>FOR ALDERMAN NORTH WARD ONE YEAR UNEXPIRED TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>QUESTION</b></p> <p>"Shall the twenty-four cent tax levy on one hundred dollars valuation for the purpose of general operations and street improvements and repairs, which was approved by voters on April 5, 2005, be continued for another four-year period in the City of Maitland?"</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p><b>FOR BOARD MEMBER ONE YEAR TERM Vote for THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN L. KILLIN <input type="radio"/> VERA L. HAYWORTH <input type="text"/> Write-in <input type="text"/> Write-in <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>
<p><b>CITY OF MOUND CITY FOR ALDERMAN SOUTH WARD TWO YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> DUANE A. NAUMAN <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>CITY OF FOREST CITY FOR WEST WARD ALDERMAN Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> KENNETH PLUMMER <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>VILLAGE OF BIG LAKE FOR TRUSTEES TWO YEAR TERM Vote for TWO</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> GARY KECK <input type="radio"/> DENNIS SAUNDERS <input type="text"/> Write-in <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>
<p><b>CITY OF MAITLAND FOR MAYOR TWO YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> MARK RUSSELL <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>CITY OF FOREST CITY FOR EAST WARD ALDERMAN Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>FOR TAX COLLECTOR TWO YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> SHIRLEY MARKT <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>
<p><b>FOR TAX COLLECTOR TWO YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> SHIRLEY MARKT <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>CITY OF CRAIG FOR NORTH WARD Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> BOB LAWSON <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>	<p><b>FOR ALDERMAN NORTH WARD TWO YEAR TERM Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOE SHIPPS <input type="radio"/> CLIFF ROSS <input type="text"/> Write-in</p>

**County Clerk & Election  
Authority Certification**

I, Kathy J. Kunkel, County Clerk and Election Authority within and for the County of Holt, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and accurate listing as certified to me by the political subdivisions of Holt County, Missouri, of the ballot questions for which qualified voters residing within said subdivisions are entitled to vote at the General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, April 7, 2009.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal. Done at the Office of the County Clerk, Oregon, Missouri, this 17th day of March, 2009.

{SEAL}

Kathy J. Kunkel  
County Clerk and Election Authority

**Notice of  
Open Meeting**

Notice is hereby given that Kathy J. Kunkel, Election Authority for Holt County, will convene the Verification Board for the April 7, 2009 General Municipal Election, at a meeting to be held at 10:00 a.m. April 8, 2009 at the Holt County Courthouse, Commissioner's Room, 102 West Nodaway St., Oregon, MO.

The tentative agenda includes:  
Convening the Board  
Verification of the count  
Certification of election results  
Adjournment

Representatives of the news media may obtain copies of this notice by calling:  
Kathy J. Kunkel, Holt County Clerk,  
P.O. Box 437, Oregon, MO 64473,  
Phone: (660)446-3303.



## Community play provided top-notch entertainment

*Continued from front*

Local talent performing as characters in the play were Shawna Farr, Paul Grant, Jamie Johnson, Judy McIntire, John Miller, Jonathan Miller, Susan Miller, Stan Seitz, Larry Thomas and Sheri

Wright. The play was directed by Mound City elementary principal, Jan Seitz. Lights and sound were conducted by Mound City freshman Elijah Poe. Mike and Jennifer Heck commented, "We have great talent here" - show-

ing the talent was well recognized and appreciated.

Advertising brought people from as far as St. Joseph while area towns were very well represented. The State Theater continues to provide quality entertainment for a rural community.

Jonathan Miller, State Theater Arts Council president, said that another community play could be in the works for

the Fall of 2009 or Spring of 2010. Interest is high right now, however, many factors will play into the timing of the next play.

Play director, Jan Seitz, was asked how the opening night performance went and she enthusiastically stated, "They aced it!"

She also added, "The greatest thing was seeing them have fun and enjoying the audience's reaction."

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**Judy McIntire-** The deceptive real estate agent Courtney Parfait, falls to pieces as Stan Seitz, a not-too-bright police officer, attempts to read her her rights.

## Celebrity Waiter Dinner

*Left*

**Tiffany and Riley Lewis-** Enjoy the Celebrity Waiter Dinner held at the Fairfax school gym on March 28.

*Below*

**Katie Kinney and Josie Bomar-** Mound City high school students were waitresses.



**The Scream-** A famous painting by Edvard Munch was replicated by Michael Whitman and Josh Russell in an art class at Mound City school. The painting was a "forgery" and part of the set for the recent community play.

## Mound City art students participate in set design

Students from Mrs. Kenney's Advanced Art class participated in set design for the recent community play by replicating famous paintings.

Elementary principal, Jan Seitz, was also directing the community play and needed special artwork for the walls

of the set. She directed her desire to Mrs. Cate Kenney, Mound City's art teacher.

Mrs. Kenney challenged her Advanced Art class students to choose something they loved and then research the artist. After the initial research was done, the chosen paintings were presented to Mrs. Seitz. She made the final decision as per set design needs and set the students to work.

The forgery project turned into much more than anyone anticipated. Mrs. Kenney said, "We hesitate to flat out copy famous artwork, so we decided to call them forgeries." However, the students enjoyed themselves so much that Mrs. Kenney is planning a future teaching unit around researching and making forged paintings.

This project will allow the students to concentrate on actual painting technique as colors and design are already done for them.

Seven paintings were "forged" for the community play set involving twelve students. Becky Salinas and Tiffany Kunkel paired up to forge *Composition with Red, Blue, and Yellow* originally by Pieter Cornelia Mondrian. *The Sleeping Gypsy* originally by Henri Rousseau was forged by Montana Schawang and Kassy Wallace. Ryan Price and Patrick Treece took on Salvador Domingo Felipe Jacinto Dali I Domenech's *Persistence of Memory*. The famous Georgia O'Keefe painting, *Red Poppy No. VI* was forged by Alana Poe and Laura Schoonover. Samantha DeVought was able to take on Victor Vasarely's *Konal Ksz* and Hailea Miller worked on Peter Max's *Love 1968*. Edvard Munch's *The Scream*, pictured above, was forged by Michael Whitman and Josh Russell.

Currently the paintings remain with the State Theater's set supplies to possibly be used in future plays.

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