BULLETIN BOARD



STERLING COLLEGE THEATRE students who assisted the 500+ high school students who attended the annual SC Theatre Workshop/Matinee last week. Each of the student assistants wore the new SC Theatre "Be Brilliant" T-shirt that day. A complimentary SC Theatre t-shirt was given to each high school student who attended the Workshops as well. The t-shirt project was funded through a grant from the Rice County Community Foundation and with support from the SC Enrollment Services Office.

SC Theatre Workshop Day celebrates 40 years

a milestone this year, celebrating the ticipate in workshops in the morning 40th anniversary of its Theatre Workshop and Matinee Day on Monday, March 10. This annual event, first established in 1985, continues to ignite a passion for theatre in high school students across Kansas by offering hands-on workshops and a professional-level stage production which this year was "Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream."

More than 500 students from 27 schools attended the landmark event, with participants traveling from as far east as Ottawa and Yates Center and as far west as Oakley and Ransom. Schools ranged in size from large 5A and 6A institutions to smaller 1A schools. Other participating high schools included Kingman, Abilene, Goddard, Salina South, Goddard-Eisenhower, Campus (Wichita), Emporia, Mulvane, Garden Plain, Hutchinson, Sterling, Clearwater, Hesston, Maize South, Lyons, McPherson, Circle, Hill City, Decatur Community, Canton-Galva, Chase, Central Christian and Prairie Hills Middle School.

Dennis Dutton, Sterling College's Arts Director, along with Arts Admissions Counselor Piper Harding, organized the day.

"This is always our biggest arts event of the year," Dutton said. "We have students from all backgrounds Keegan.

Sterling College Theatre marked who share a love of theatre. They parand then enjoy the shared experience of seeing a show together in the afternoon. The high school matinee audience is always our best—they laugh and cheer louder and longer than anyone else."

The morning was packed with engaging workshops designed to expose students to different elements of theatre production. Led by experienced faculty, alumni, and Sterling College theatre students, the workshops covered a range of disciplines, including: Musical Theatre: Singing & Dancing, led by SC Music Theatre Director Marisa Callan; Acting/Characterization, led by SC Theatre adjunct faculty Betsy Dutton; Makeup/Hair: Creating a Character, led by SC Theatre Artistic Director Lesa Brown; Stage Combat: Sabre, led by SC Technical Director Greg McGlynn; Creative Props, led by Guest Artist Erin Stansbury; Set Design, led by SC Theatre students Mari Inchaugria and Josh Allen; Lighting Design, led by SC Theatre student Noah Svaty; Improvisation, led by SC Theatre alum and Clearwater High School Director Lex Rhoadarmer; Costuming, led by SC Theatre student Aubrey Anderson and Theatre Games, led by SC Theatre students Kimberlie Skirvin and Kurt

SC to host ribbon cutting for C.S. Lewis Center

Sterling College has announced the official be launching the Lewis

"We are so excited to house.

This event will serve ribbon-cutting ceremo- Center here at Sterling as a local launch for ny for the C.S. Lewis College, and I hope to the center, primarily fo- entertained a group of Center, a new hub for give you as warm a wel- cused on introducing it his friends with a party

FYI

Aging Projects Inc. **Friendship Meals** Phone 620-680-1068 Thursday, March 20 -

beef stroganoff, carrots, banana, dinner roll and butter, chocolate cake, mashed potatoes, mixed milk or grape juice.

Friday, March 21 vegetable soup, ham and cheese sub sandwich with lettuce, tomato, mayo, Ambrosia fruit salad, milk or grape juice.

Monday, March 24 pork and noodle casserole, green beans, pears, or grape juice.

Tuesday, March 25 –

beans, peach crisp, milk or grape juice.

Wednesday, March 26 chicken and noodles, vegetables, orange, milk or grape juice.

Thursday, March 27 cranberry meatballs, rice, broccoli cauliflower salad, mixed fruit, dinner roll/butter, milk or grape juice.

Food Bank

The Sterling Food wheat bread/butter, milk Bank is open the first and third Tuesdays of every month from 8:30 room.

taco salad-lettuce, toma- to 10:30 a.m. and the first to, cheese, chips, refried and third Thursdays of every month from 5 to 7 p.m.

> For information contact, manager, Brigette Bennett, 620-200-3437 or treasurer, Fran Wolcott, 316-435-2473.

Wellness Center

The Wellness Center is open Monday through Thursday from 5 a.m. to 9 p.m., Friday 5 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday 7 a.m. to noon. The SRC board will meet Monday, April 7, 2025, at 6 p.m. at the high school conference

Silver Threads Senior Center by Loida Leone, Interim Director

Silver Threads **Senior Center** Loida Leone, Director 220 N 3rd, Sterling 620-680-1068

This month Silver Threads Senior Center celebrates Mardi Gras, St. Patrick's Day, Alfred Hitchcock Day and Tolkien Readings among other things. All individuals 55+ years of age are welcome to participate. We would love for you to come see. Call Loida at 620-680-1068 for questions or to volunteer.

Monday through Fridav except federal holidays at 10 a.m. coffee and fellowship is served. At noon Friendship Meals serves on site Congregate Meals and delivers

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Hoosier Schoolmaster," a three-act comedy written by Pauline Phelps. The play will be presented April 14 under the direction of Miss Marjorie Curry. Those in the according to the Kansas cast are Frances Calderwood, Lloyd Haney, Marilyn Heter, Robert McFarland, David Kilbourn, Jerry Partington; bridge locations about Bill Calderwood, Ben one-quarter mile apart Wegner, Donna Goodwin, Floyd Dill, and Sue Henry.

Larry Eugene Marker

Meals on Wheels. If interested in eating with us we request that you make a reservation 24 hours ahead of time at 620-680-1068.

Mondays from 9:45 a.m. to noon, retired nurse Deb Scott offers a foot clinic for anyone in the community. Appointments need to be made with her at 620-509-7153.

On Tuesdavs after lunch we play bingo and dominoes on alternate weeks. On Wednesdays we play board games.

Mondays and Thursdays at 9 a.m., the Silver Threads van offers rides going to businesses in Sterling. For Mondays call Les at 620-727-4274

Seneca at 620-204-1746. Reservations need to be made a day ahead for these Sterling Stops.

Wednesdays from 10:30 – 11ish a.m. we have chair exercises, led by Verlinda Poor.

Throughout the month we do crafts, celebrate birthdays, fun holidays, go on trips and to special events. We'd love for you to join us.

Other highlights:

March 21 - Alfred Hitchcock Day celebration

March 25 – Tolkien Readings

March 26 - 10:15 a.m. Blood pressure and blood sugar clinic

March 27 – Minute to and for Thursdays call Win it game after coffee.

Guardrail work to begin on U.S. 56

ment project in Rice County on U.S. 56 will start around March 31, Department of Transportation.

Installation work will take place at two on U.S. 56 - the first is between 10th Road and 11th Road and the second is just east of 11th Road.

The project is expect-

A guardrail replace- ed to last until around the end of May, weather permitting.

During the work, traffic will be guided with a temporary signal. Motorists should be prepared to slow down in the construction zone and traffic will be reduced to a single lane.

L & M Contractors Inc., of Great Bend, is the primary contractor for the \$568,000 project.

literary exploration, spiritual engagement and scholarly study dedicated to the works and legacy of C.S. Lewis. The ceremony will take place on Monday at 10 a.m., inside Mabee Library on the Sterling College campus.

The C.S. Lewis Center is designed to encourage engagement with Lewis's literary, theologicontributions. Through reading groups, academic research, public lectures and student-led discussions, the center will serve Sterling College students and faculty, the broader Sterling community and Lewis scholars regionally and beyond. The center will host monthly book discussions, readings, guest speakers and conferences, offering a dynamic space for learning and dialogue.

come to the center as the to the Sterling College College and community have already given me to Sterling. We would be delighted if you could join dedication ceremony is us as we celebrate this author, his legacy and the worlds and words he left behind for us to continue to explore," said Dr. Sarah Waters, director of the C.S. Lewis Lewis's legacy. Center.

The cal and philosophical ceremony will feature remarks from Sterling its offerings, including College President Scott Rich, Dr. Sarah Waters and faculty and student representatives.

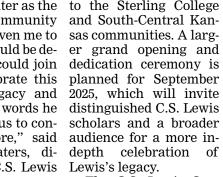
> The Sterling Chamber of Commerce will feehouse. participate in the official ribbon cutting, and guests will have the opportunity to explore the center, view a special book exhibit featuring the complete works of C.S. Lewis, and enjoy refreshments provided by Clive's Staples Coffee-

of Kansans believe government should be required to publish public notices in print and digital newspapers as a service to the community

" The right of the people to keep a free & transparent press is obligatory for us citizens. Public notices belong in newspapers!

Leavenworth County resident

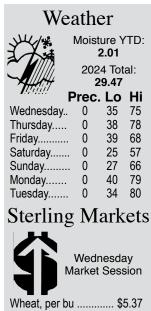
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The C.S. Lewis Cenribbon-cutting ter at Sterling College will continue expanding plans for a C.S. Lewis Conference next spring and a collaborative summer reading program with Clive's Staples Cof-

> The event is open to the public, and all are invited to attend.

Saturday celebrating his 10th birthday.





Amy E. Dillon

Petitioner

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Public Notices

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICE COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA M. LEBSACK, Deceased.

Case No. 23 PR 46

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed on the 5th day of March, 2025, in this Court by Amy E. Dillon, Executrix of the estate of Patricia M. Lebsack, deceased, praying for a final settlement of the estate; approval of the acts and proceedings of the executrix; and allowance for attorney fees. You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 7th day of April, 2025, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on such day, in such Court, in the City of Lyons, in Rice County, at which time and place such cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICE COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

NEIL T. GROTH, deceased Case No. 25 PR 11

NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this Court by Linda Groth, as the spouse of Neil T. Groth, deceased, praying for the determination of the descent of all property, real and per-sonal, or interests therein, owned by the decedent at the time of his

death; and you are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 14th day of April, 2025, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. of said day, in said Court, in the City of Lyons, in Rice County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

> LINDA GROTH Petitioner

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICE COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF KENNETH R. WIENS. Deceased

Case No. 25 PR 12

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on the 14th day of March, 2025, a Petition for Probate of Will and Issuance of Letters Testamentary, appointing Deberah L. Wiens, Executrix, was filed in this Court by Deberah L. Wiens, spouse of Kenneth R. Wiens, deceased.

All creditors of the above-named decedent are notified to exhibit their demands against the estate within four (4) months from the date of first publication of this notice, as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

> Deberah L. Wiens Petitioner

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