COMMUNITY NEWS

COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS

Monday, June 23 >

• Morrill Public Library Happenings: Toddler Storytime at 10:30 a.m.; Knitting Club at 6 p.m.

Tuesday, June 24 >

• Morrill Public Library Happenings: Kids Krafts at 10 a.m. for elementary school aged children in the large meeting room; K-State and Extension will teach STEAM and

Gardening for elementary and older students in the large meeting room from 11a.m. to noon; No Hunger Summer free lunches for kids age 18 and younger in the large meeting room from 12-1 p.m.; Teen Tuesday - crafts for middle school age and older in the large meeting room from 1-2 p.m.

Wednesday, June 25 >

Coffee With Friends at 9:30 a.m. at Vintage

Hiawatha youth qualifies for top 20 in Ranger Rick contest

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Hiawatha World

A Hiawatha youth qualified for a Ranger Rick Jr. Ranger Contest.

Seven-year-old Beau Schuetz learned about this contest from his grandmother, Debbie Schuetz. What made Beau Schuetz a candidate for this contest was his love for deer hunting and fishing, as well as being in the great outdoors.

When spending time at his grandmother's, he enjoys outdoor activities such as turkey hunting. Beau Schuetz also enjoys camping and campfires.

"Deer hunting's fun," he said. He also likes hunting deer because he gets to spend time with his father.

The winner of the Jr. Ranger contest will be win \$20,000, which Debbie Schuetz said would be for Beau Schuetz's education. The winner will also win a chance to meet Emmywinning biologist and wildconservationist Jeff life Corwin and also be featured in a Ranger Rick magazine



Beau Schuetz poses with a deer he hunted out in a field.

and earn the title of 2025 Jr. Schuetz by visiting jr-ranger. Ranger.

do if he was selected as the winner to celebrate?

Beau said. "We might go camping. Or we might go out and eat. And I hope it's camping."

Readers can vote for Beau

org/2025/beau-0c11. Beau Schuetz is the son of

Kale and Brookyln Schuetz of Hiawatha.



Scan this code to visit Ranger Rick Jr. Rick Site and place a vote Park, 400 Kansas Ave., Hiawatha.

• Morrill Public Library free event - special presentation on bees and honey from Miss D's Honey Bees at 10 a.m. in the large meeting room.

 New Beginnings Weight Loss Group meets in the basement of Presbyterian Church at 7th and Kickapoo on Wednesdays at 3:30-4:30 p.m. for weight in, meeting 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Come through alley door on south side. For questions, call 785-294-0923.

Thursday, June 26 >

• Morrill Public Library Happenings: Preschool Storytime at 10:30 a.m.; Creative Hour @ the Library at 2 p.m. with a second evening session at 5:30 p.m. - email jmay@ hiawathalibrary.org or call 785-742-3831 to sign up.

Fourth of July fun coming to Robinson

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The Robinson Community is preparing for the upcoming Fourth of July festivities with the traditional activities for the whole family.

The day will start out with a walk/run at 7 a.m. (Registration at 6 a.m.). A pancake breakfast sponsored by the 4th of July Committee and Robinson Lions Club will run from 8 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Registration for the Car/ Tractor show will begin at 10:30 a.m., and judging will be at 1:45 p.m.

Registration for the Derby car races will begin at 10:30 a.m., and the races will start at 1 p.m.

The traditional parade will be at 4 or 4:30 p.m., depending on the length of the Derby car races.

And, the Robinson Lions Club homemade ice cream and cake social will begin at 5:30 p.m., running until approximately 9 p.m. The fireworks display will follow. Jesse Kimmi from Everest will again present the fireworks. Last year's show was excellent, and we are looking forward



Robinson resident Art Mallott makes ice cream in the rain.

display.

Again, there will be a variety of vendors to add to the day's activities. A concession stand will be open from 10 a.m. - 10 p.m. with a good selection of street dance following the fireworks, playing from 10 p.m. until midnight. Plan to stay and enjoy the great music. Members of the band are Wendell Ganstrom, Bryan Soden, Nathan Maze, Dave

What would Beau Schuetz

"We may go swimming,"





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