

Raider Press



June/July 2024



Ice Cream Social





Courtney Baker

Plans on entering the workforce.



Elvis Gregg



Scholarship: Kansas Star Casino Scholarship
Enlisted in the Army and will be going off to
basic training on June 3rd.





Eden Hesse



Attending Washburn University to study Music and English Literature
Receiving a music scholarship from Washburn University \$1500
Kansas Star Casino Scholarship



Maya Jones



\$1,000 Wheatland Electric Scholarship
\$6,000 Kansas Star Casino Scholarship
\$500 Dale E Misak Scholarship

She will be attending Harding University and majoring in graphic design.



Brenton Kelly



Attending Cowley County Community College for a Paramedic degree.
\$1500 Kansas Star Casino Scholarship
ACT Scholarship from Cowley County Community College



Filippo Leaondardi

Foreign Exchange student from Italy Returning back to Italy and finishing high school.





Fabrizio Leonardi

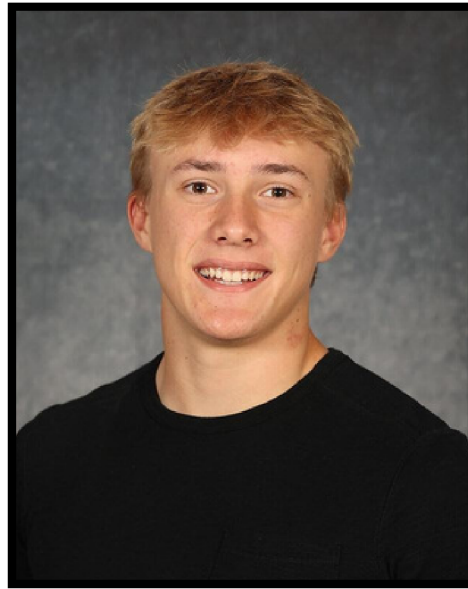
Foreign Exchange student from Sao Paulo, Brazil
After graduation: Studying Sports Media in college



Heidi McCurley

Finished course requirements and graduated in December.
Currently taking online classes and working.





Dalton Morrison

Attending Southwestern College in the fall.

Majoring in Liberal Arts.

\$5,000 Kansas Star Casino Scholarship

Football and Track Scholarship to Southwestern College



Faith Rash



\$1500 Kansas Star Casino Scholarship

Dean's Scholarship to Cowley County Community College

Plans to enter the workforce.



Gabriel Rodriguez



Plans on entering the workforce.



Kadence Wilson

Attending Butler Community College for Music Education
Receiving a books and tuition scholarship from
Butler County Community College
\$2500.00 Kansas Star Casino Scholarship



Raider of the Month

William Noland, an 8th grader at AJS, became the next "Raider of the Month" for May, 2024. The Activities/Athletics Department of Argonia Junior/Senior High School has decided to recognize one student a month who has demonstrated exceptional pride and integrity while competing in athletics or activities. Students are nominated by coaches and sponsors and, once a month, a student is chosen as "Raider of the Month."



William was chosen for the month of May after being nominated by Mrs. Hilger. She had this to say about William:

"He is ALWAYS opening the door for others in the morning without being prompted. He is helping others begin their day on a positive note. Way to be a positive leader and show Raider Pride."

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"I would like to nominate Courtney Baker for Raider of the Month. As a senior, Courtney has been very serious about her education this year and in her future plans."

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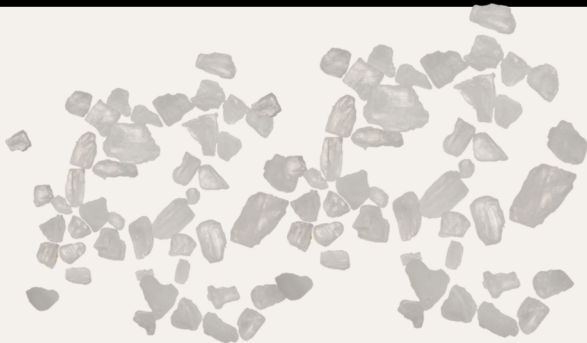


3rd and 4th Grade Fieldtrip

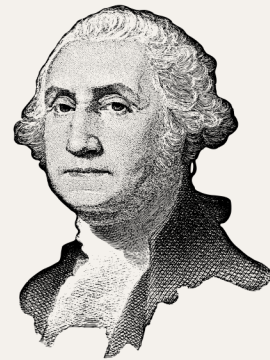
The Argonia 3rd and 4th grade classes traveled to Hutchison on Tuesday, May 7, 2024. We first toured Strataca, the underground salt mine museum. We went through the general tour of the museum learning about the process of mining and the machines used in mining. We also learned some history of the mine. Next, we did a dark walk using flashlights to walk farther through the mine. This part of the tour is only accessible to special groups! Finally we walked through a replica of Vaults and Storage which is a business that operates in the mine. This business stores documents, movie film, and other items to help keep them safe and preserved. When we came back up topside, we headed to Carey Park to eat lunch and play on their new playground equipment! We had perfect weather to hang outside for the afternoon. Thank you PTO for paying for our field trip!



3rd and 4th Grade Fieldtrip Continued...



5th Grade News



Fifth grade learned about the American Revolution this year. We ended our unit with a Living Wax Museum filled with historical figures from the revolution. Great work!!!



4th Grade News

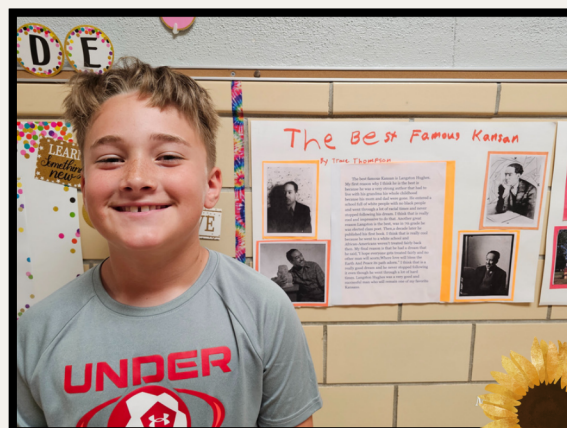
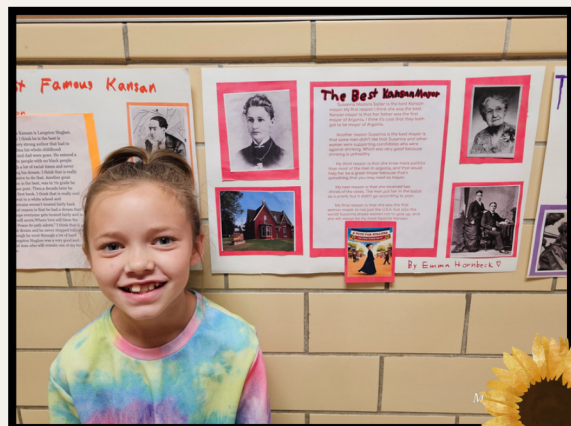
The Argonia 4th grade wrapped up their Social Studies State Assessment Project for the year. For this project, we integrated writing into our social studies.

We learned about persuasive writing and we studied 12 famous Kansans. After learning about the famous Kansans, they had to choose their favorite and do further research. After gathering research, they had to read through their research searching for facts to support their opinions. We then organized our information based on what we learned about persuasive writing. Finally, we were ready to write our persuasive article! After going through the writing process, we typed our final copies and made posters to display our Famous Kansans. We concluded the project by visiting the Salter Museum here in town.

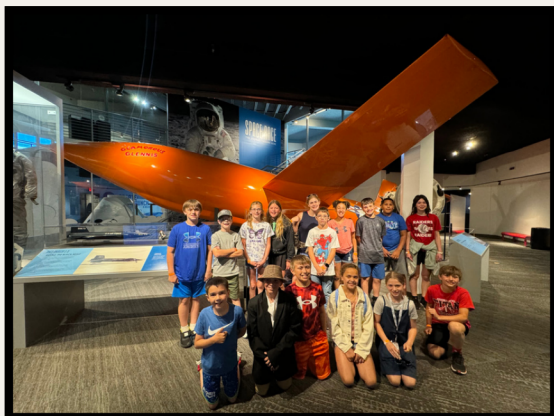
Audra Downey



Famous Kansans Articles



Fifth grade went to the Cosmosphere for our field trip!
We enjoyed a planetarium show, Dr. Goddard's laboratory and the museum!
We love space!



FREE DEVELOPMENTAL SCREENINGS

For Children Ages Birth through 5

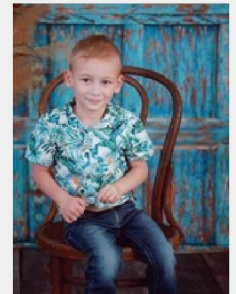
Monday
Aug 12, 2024
8:30 - 10:00 am
Argonia Elementary
School

Contact Gaylene
Larson to schedule
appointment

Email:
glarson@argonia359.org

Phone:
(leave message)
620-435-6311 x1

Argonia School
Enrollment dates:
August 1 & 2



Benefits of Developmental Screenings

- Assist your child in preparing for school
- Celebrate your child's development
- Provide information to support your child's development
- Identify areas where your child might need additional support or learning opportunities

The screening will include various areas of development including communication, gross & fine motor skills, problem solving, and social skills.

On Monday, August 12th, 2024, from 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m, Sumner County Educational Services and Parents As Teachers will offer a free developmental screening to children, ages birth through 5. If you are interested in how your child is growing and developing, please call the elementary school office at 620-435-6311 x1 to schedule an appointment. Over the summer the office will be closed. Please leave a voicemail, or email Gaylene Larson at glarson@argonia359.org to schedule your appointment.

Parents of children ages birth to 2.5, you will meet one on one with a provider, and will be asked about how your child is developing. Parents of children ages 2.6 and up, there are 4 stations that your child will go through, so please plan to spend about an hour at the screening. If your child is currently enrolled in Argonia's preschool, or is on an IFSP/IEP, it is not necessary to have him/her screened. If you have any questions or concerns, please talk with your child's teacher.

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