

Roxy McNutt wins “Pet Pals” Contest

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It was the biggest reader interaction contest ever for our newspapers. A total of 314 votes were cast on the Creative Printers Facebook page, or via emails, text or personal calls.

Roxy McNutt, a 6-year-old Newfoundland’s photo and write-up was sent in by her owner Ashlyn McNutt of Tryon, daughter of Wayne and Amber McNutt. Roxy garnered 95 votes.

Roxy is very sweet and very protective of her human siblings. She is affectionately referred to as the referee of the house, physically separating them when she feels like they are getting too rough with each other. Roxy loves the water, but it is nearly impossible to go swimming with her anywhere close as she will continually try to rescue you. Roxy and Ashlyn appreciate all the votes.

Ashlyn will receive \$100.00 in Stapleton Chamber bucks donated by Stockman’s Veterinary Clinic of North Platte.

Second place went to Miss Kitty, a bulldog, whose information and picture was submitted by

owners, Harry and Connie Russell of Stapleton. Miss Kitty garnered 58 votes. The Russells receive \$50.00 in Stapleton Chamber bucks donated by Creative Printers.

Third place went to Maverick Davis, owned by Jennifer Davis of Stapleton. In his bio, Maverick wrote he was very vocal and has to be the center of attention wherever he goes. Jennifer said Maverick is a great blessing. Maverick had 42 votes. Jennifer will receive a free one year subscription to The Stapleton Enterprise/McPherson County News compliments of Creative Printers.

Also receiving a lot of votes was Walt Lanka with 31. His picture was submitted by Sandy Lanka. Walt helps John on the ranch near Stapleton.

Thirty-five pet pictures were featured in “Pet Pals” and in addition to dogs and cats there were Nigerian dwarf goats, a silver polish chicken, and a buckskin colt. Thanks to everyone who submitted pictures and to our advertisers who helped make the feature possible.



COURTESY

Ashlyn and Roxy McNutt pose for the camera after getting the news they won the “Pet Pals” contest sponsored by The Stapleton Enterprise/McPherson County News, Thomas County Herald and Stockman’s Veterinary Clinic.

Valentines for Veterans



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Members of the V.F.W. Auxiliary Unit #8258 met at the Veteran’s Memorial Building last week to make Valentines for veterans who currently reside in North Platte and Callaway nursing homes. Those creating a beautiful variety to send off were, l-r: Mary Munson, Nancy Lashley-Harris, Ann Hopkins, Mary Ewoldt and Joan Farmer. This is just one of the projects completed throughout the year by the organization.

Vet’s Club schedules annual chili cook-off contest

Vet’s Club manager Velda Cassell has announced the annual chili cook-off contest will be held at the club, Saturday, March 9. Entries need to be in by 6:00 pm. Judging will take place at 6:30 p.m. Open to the public for tasting at 7:00 p.m. The two divisions will be hot and mild. There will be karaoke and card games. \$5.00 cover charge.

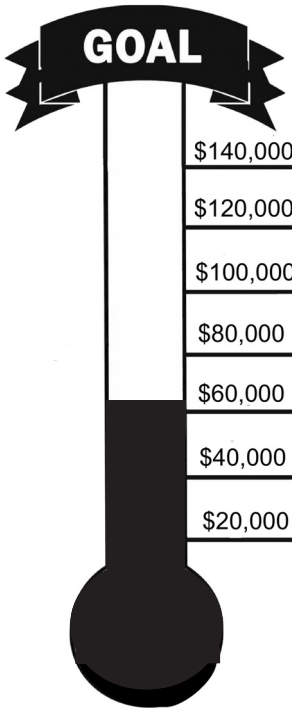
The Stapleton Area Chamber of Commerce is teaming up with Community First Bank to sponsor the annual Easter Egg hunt in the Stapleton Park. See page 13 for details and sign up to win a bike!

Let’s make a



for our kids!

\$158,000



Total Raised
as of February 7, 2024

\$62,326.62

Thank you!

New donors include:

- Donation Jars (December): \$92.80
- Scrap Metal Drive (December): \$516.29
- Charles & Peggy Haskell: \$300.00
- Glow Dance: \$250.00
- Donation Jars (January): \$56.65
- Scrap Metal Drive (January): \$271.56
- Pop-Up Thrift Shop: \$1,515.63
- Carnival: \$761.00
- Bud & Chris Harvey: \$100.00
- Jason & Sadie Trimble: \$100.00
- Jeremiah Johnson: \$100.00
- Wilma Salisbury: \$100.00
- Jon & Fran Hill: \$100.00

To donate to the SPLASH PAD PROJECT, please make your check out to the Village of Stapleton and write splash pad on the memo line. Drop your check off at the Village Hall in the Stapleton Community Center or mail it to: Village of Stapleton, P.O. Box 133 Stapleton, NE 69163

Stapleton Golf Association’s Steak Dinner & Raffle

The Stapleton Golf Association will be holding their steak dinner and raffle, Saturday, February 24 at the Stapleton Community Center. Social hour is at 5:00 p.m. and the meal served at 6:30 p.m. Cash bar by Herbie’s Speakeasy. The steak dinner is \$40.00 per person.

Two guns will be raffled off. A Ruger Precision Rimfire .17 hmr and a Ruger Security Nine 9 mm Pistol. Tickets are \$10.00 each or 10 for \$80.00. You do not need to be present to win. There will be silent auction items. Proceeds go towards golf course improvements.

For more information, or to purchase raffle tickets you may contact Chayton Crow at 308-530-8667, Scott Gaites at 308-636-8308 or Skip Hecox at 308-529-1861.

Weather

DATE	HI	LO	MT
3	44	33	.27
4	41	35	.44
5	42	34	.08
6	49	34	.02
7	48	34	0
8	60	37	0
9	51	24	T

OBSERVATIONS
The wind was recorded at 40 mph at 2:23 p.m. on February 8. Wind chill was measured at 21 degrees at 5:30 a.m. on February 9.

Herbie’s Leap Year Tasting - Feb. 29

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