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HAPPY FATHER'S DAY - JUNE 16



2019 BEE SAFE SAFETY FAIR

Since the late 1990's,

This year's fair was

and presenters. Approxi-

mately 180 students from



Catherine Tilghman, a student from Creek Valley, straps in for a ride in the crash test machine with the Nebraska State Patrol office.

Bridgeport, Creek Valley, Leyton, Sidney and the Panhandle Homeschool Co-op, joined us for the 2019 "Bee Safe" Fair.

The fair involves a coordinated effort from several organizations throughout the area. Nine, 20-minute safety-related sessions were presented, lunch was served, and we also had a Special Treat Station of Cotton Candy and Laffy Taffy Ropes. The catch phrase, "We are better together," certainly rings true for this group of presenters, and Wheat Belt is very grateful for their support and participation.

We have dedicated this issue to the fair, and hope you enjoy the pictures. If your school or organization would like us to do a presentation on electrical safety, please feel free to contact us. (Continued on 12-B, C & D)

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Congratulations to Brian Armstrong, our April "Lucky Winner!" He has been a Wheat Belt customer since 1995. Brian and fiancé. Ali Deems, have five children ranging from eight years of age to 21. He keeps extremely busy farming with his father on their multigenerational farm. In his spare time, he enjoys hunting and fishing.

Brian received a \$50 credit for his prompt payment. If you would like to be included in our next drawing, and avoid the \$5 delinquent fee, please send your payment before the 18th of the month. For your convenience, we offer several options: Automatic Bank Draft, Automatic Credit Card or Pay Your Bill Online using our secure Auto-Pay system. We also accept payments over the phone. Please give us a call or visit wheatbelt.com. select the Customer Services menu.

2019 Wheat Belt Safety Fair

"Bee Safe" Presentations by:

21st Century Equipment Farm Safety Black Hills Energy Gas Line Safety City of Sidney Electrical Safety Sidney Police Department Drug Awareness Sidney Veterinary Hospital Animal Safety South Platte NRD Water Safety **Union Pacific Railroad Operation Lifesaver** Nebraska State Patrol **Rollover Simulator/Seatbelt Con**vincer Wheat Belt PPD **Electrical Safety**

Quotes to Ponder

"Since I have gotten older, I have found the voices in my head remind me of my kids when they were young, when they are quiet, I don't know what they are up to." Unknown "I am so old. I can remember when it was ok to drink from the garden hose!" Unknown "I'm going to stop asking, How dumb can people get, because it seems they are trying to rise to the challenge." Unknown "We have always had a wireless connection, it is called prayer." Unknown "I thought growing old would take longer, you shouldn't have to put up with injuries from sitting too long or sleeping wrong - it just isn't right." Unknown Flag Day is June 14 - "I believe our flag is more than just cloth and ink. It is a universally recognized symbol that stands for liberty and freedom." John Thune "Blessed is the father that teaches his children through his own good actions." Unknown



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2019 Bee Safe Safety Fair





Our flag does not fly because the wind moves it ... it flies with the last breath of each soldier who died protecting it

FLAG DAY JUNE 14



Dominic Brown from Sidney Public Schools listens intently to Operation Lifesaver regarding railroad safety.

Children are never too young to start learning about safety and the dangers around them. Repetition is the best way to be prepared to react to a dangerous situation automatically.

Young children often do not realize the consequence of an unsafe act. The presenters have taken the time to develope a short program that is packed full of information, and also leaves time for a few questions.

The presentations are kept short so as to keep the children's attention, and we appreciate the presenters willingness to go through their programs multiple time.





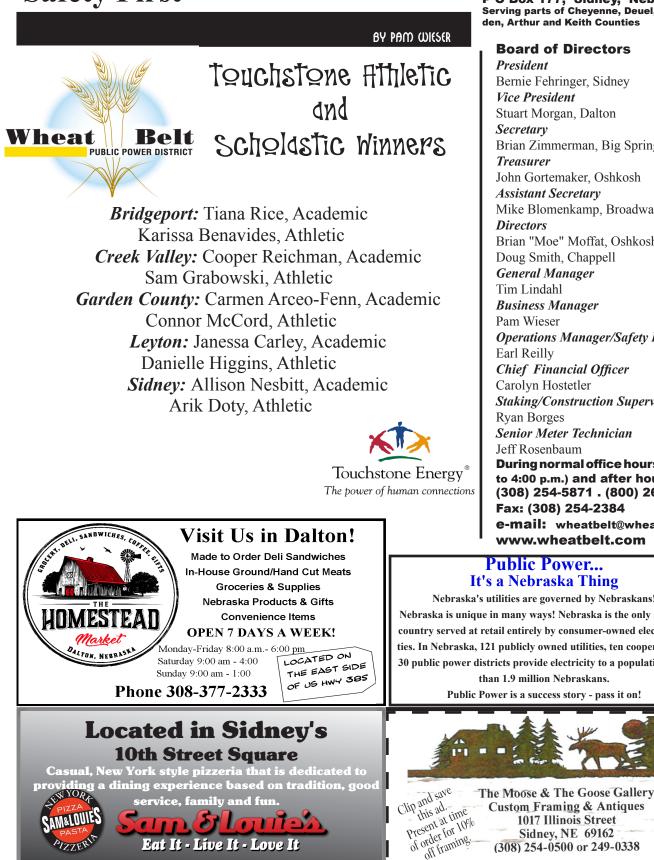
Wheat Belt demonstrates their Power Line Safety To Leyton Students





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