

Plainville Memorial Library News

By Library Director: Jami Dewey

The heat returned outside last week, but inside the library, we are in full FALL mode!

Monday morning, adults enjoyed coffee and visiting before a program with Ketino Beam, a professional health coach from Phillipsburg. Ketino shared tips on reclaiming energy, improving clarity, and restoring vitality through nutrition and natural strategies.

During “I MATTER” Monday, LEGO Club held a build challenge to create something that could get you from one place to another. Laura and Briley from Midwest Family Pharmacy served as judges. Congratulations to Thomas Tanguay, first-grade winner; Eli Werner, second-grade winner; Jentry Teeter, third/fourth-grade winner; and Nora Rudman, fifth/sixth-grade champion! The creations are on display at the library, so stop in and “check out” these talented builders’ work.

Guitar Club continues to meet Mondays at 5:00 p.m. Students in grades 4th–12th are welcome, and guitars are available!

Tuesday, I joined the S.H.G.S. kindergarten through third-grade classes for monster fun. We read a story and painted colorful monsters using forks and plenty of creativity!

Wednesday was the library’s first Heartland Community Foundation Give Fest. I enjoyed spending the day at Plainville Township Hall, watching county fifth-grade students learn about giving back, and visiting with community members who support local organizations.

I am proud to share that the library received



PHS TEACHING CLASS students who volunteered at Story Time. Pictured from left: Maddie Dintino, Kinsley Atchinson, Corbyn Meyers, Brilynn Trump, and Addison Bacon.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Rooks County Transportation Service is submitting an application for capital and operating assistance for transportation under the U.S.C. 49-5311 (rural public transportation) of the Federal Transit Act. The application will be for capital funds to replace vehicle(s) in our current fleet and for operating funds to help provide transportation services in the area. Written comments and questions in regards to this application are encouraged and will be accepted until November 5th, 2026 and should be sent to: Johnna Lambert, Transportation Manager, at Rooks County Transportation Service, P.O. Box 389, Plainville, KS 67663.

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29 gifts during Give Fest, including gifts from fifth-grade students, local supporters, online donors,

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Rooks County Transportation Service receives Federal Transit Administration (FTA) operating dollars. This funding is utilized for the purchase of fuel, insurance, equipment maintenance and storage. This agency is seeking Kansas Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) certified companies as potential vendors for these services. Please contact Johnna Lambert at (785) 688-4429 if you are a DBE or are interested learning more about the DBE program.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ROOKS COUNTY, KANSAS
PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of
Deighton Leon Atkisson, Deceased

Case No. RO-2026-PR 00026
Chapter 59

NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by Alyson Morrison, adult child and one of the heirs of Deighton Leon Atkisson, deceased, requesting:

Descent be determined of the following described real estate situated in Rooks County, Kansas:

The Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of Section 21, Township 6 South, Range 18 West of the 6th P.M. in Rooks County, Kansas; and

The Southwest Quarter (SW/4) of Section 24, Township 6 South, Range 18 West of the 6th P.M. in Rooks County, Kansas.

and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by decedent at the time of death. And that such property and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by the decedent at the time of death be assigned pursuant to the terms of the “Valid Settlement Agreement” dated September 10, 2026.

You are required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before November 16, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. in the Probate Division of the District Court of Rooks County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail to file your written defenses, Judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

ALYSON MORRISON
Petitioner

Submitted by:

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ANNA MUIR serving the Cardinal Cabinet after school snack Monday.



LEGO JUDGES from Midwest Family Health Laura Hinger and Briley Gosselin.



NEW LIBRARY STAFF KATE LINDSEY leading the rhythm stick at Story Time on Wednesday last week.

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ROOKS COUNTY, KANSAS

In The Matter of the Estate Of
Donny Wayne Burlison, a/k/a Don W. Burlison a/k/a Don Burlison a/k/a Donny W. Burlison, Deceased

Case No. RO-2026-PR-29

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
(Filed Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59)

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are notified that on October 2, 2026, a Petition for Probate of Will and Issuance of Letters Testamentary under the Kansas Simplified Estates Act was filed in this Court by Benjamin Wayne Burlison and Aaron Ray Burlison, Co-Executors of the Estate of Donny Wayne Burlison, deceased.

All creditors of the decedent are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of first publication of notice under K.S.A. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Benjamin Wayne Burlison and Aaron Ray Burlison,
Petitioners

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and even someone from Edmond, Oklahoma! We are so grateful for everyone who supports our library throughout the year. Your generosity helps us provide a welcoming place where everyone matters and belongs, with opportunities to read, learn, use computers, relax, and enjoy after-school snacks in a safe environment. Thank you for making this possible!

While I was next door, Mrs. Krob's teaching class and Kate Lindsey led Story Time. The children enjoyed a story, craft stations, and dancing. Our community is always ready to step up when needed. Thank you for making Story Time special for our youngest readers!

Thursday morning, our friends from Red Bud Village visited for a Christmas ornament craft. Everyone created an ornament for

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Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 25-2022, of a vacancy in the membership of the Board of Education of Unified School District No. 269, Rooks County, Kansas, and that such vacancy shall be filled by appointment of the Board of Education for the remainder of the unexpired term not sooner than fifteen (15) days following publication of this notice.

Such vacancy exists by reason of resignation of Marissa Jones, who represented board member district #2.

By order of the Board of Education, Unified School District No. 269, Rooks County, Kansas, October 7, 2026.

/s/ Debra L. Walburn
Interim Clerk,
Board of Education

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CORBYN MEYERS from PHS reading during Story Time.



KETINO BEIM, Professional Health Coach at Monday's Adult Social/Coffee Hour.



LARRY CHESNEY from Red Bud Village with the ornament he made for the Governors Ornament Contest.



DR. IAN KOVAK at a special Thursday edition of Talk With A Doc.

the Governor's Ornament Contest. Projects included a button snowman, tractor, Christmas tree, elf scene, diamond-art display, fabric gift with a bow, and even a feathered turkey! It is always a joy to welcome our Red Bud friends.

Thursday also brought a special Talk With a Doc program featuring Dr. Ian Kovach, the new orthopedic doctor at Rooks County Health Center. He graciously spent an hour

answering questions and sharing information. What a wonderful addition to an already outstanding hospital staff!

Stop by the library to explore our books, newspapers, magazines, public computers, play area, reading spaces, and meeting areas. Whether you want to learn, connect, relax, or feel welcome, there is a place for you here!

Your community. Your Library. Your Place to Belong.

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ROOKS COUNTY, KANSAS

IN THE INTEREST OF:

Name: A.N. Case No. 26 JC 2
Year of Birth: 2008 A minor child

NOTICE OF HEARING-Publication
Pursuant to K.S.A. 38-2237

TO: Dallas Nuss
and all other persons who are or may be concerned

You are hereby notified that a Motion for Finding of Unfitness has been filed in this court. The Court may find that the parent is unfit by reason or conduct or condition which renders the parent unable to care properly for a child, the conduct or condition is unlikely to change in the foreseeable future, the parental rights of the parent should be terminated, and a permanent custodian should be appointed for the child.

A hearing on the Motion is scheduled for the 2nd day of November, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. BY ZOOM. At the hearing the Court may issue orders relating to the care, custody and control of the child. The hearing will determine if the parent should be deprived of their parental rights and the right to custody of the child.

The parent(s), and any other person having legal custody are required to appear before this Court on the date and time shown, or to file your written response to the Motion with the Clerk of the District Court prior to that time. Failure to respond or to appear before the Court at the time shown will not prevent the Court from entering judgment as requested in the Motion finding the parent unfit, and/or entering an order permanently terminating the parents' parental rights.

An attorney has been appointed as guardian ad litem for the child: Mackenzie McCoy (785) 425-0344. You have the right to appear before the Court and be heard personally, either with or without an attorney. The Court will appoint an attorney for any parent who desires an attorney but is financially unable to hire one. The Court may order one or both parents to pay child support. An attorney has been appointed for you: Dakota Coomes (785) 540-5266

Date and time of hearing: November 2, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. BY ZOOM.

Place of hearing: Rooks County District Court – Please contact the Clerk at 785-425-6718 for the Zoom link.

Clerk/Judge of the District Court
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