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LHS students to be let out of school early on Friday
Liberal High School will have an early release for all students and faculty on Friday. Students and faculty will be released at 12:37 p.m. Friday 5, due to Liberal High School hosting the Liberal Ambassador Truck Pulls.
Students will be released after 5th hour (lunch) on Friday and be expected to leave the building at that time. Since the early release is only for the high school, there will not be buses any earlier than normal.
Students may attend the track meet and normal time for bus arrival, or will need to make other arrangements for transportation.
FRIDAY
Bowl For Kids' Sake strikes next month
The annual fundraising event to benefit Big Brothers Big Sisters of Seward, Haskell and Stevens Counties, kicks off Friday and Saturday at Apr Lanes in 2010 N. Kansas Ave. in Liberal.
Bowl For Kids' Sake is the largest source of funds for the non-profit organization which serves local children who are facing adversity. The Bigs provide mentors for these children in need. Community members are asked to gather a team of friends, family, co-workers or church members to raise pledges for the cause and then come to bowling to celebrate their efforts.
Children with mentors show improved school performance, positive attitudes about school and improved relationships with family and friends.
For more information or to get involved in the event, go to www.bowlsaturday.org or call 624-8000.
FRI. AND SAT.
College, high school bands to entertain in free concert
The Sweeps' Sweet Sweep Band and the Liberal High School Jazzmen will perform at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Seward County Community College/Area Technical School Showcase Theater in the Shark Hanscotten Building.
The concert is free but seating is limited.
TUESDAY
Senior center serving food during election
The Liberal Senior Center will have a concession stand set up from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Seward County Activity Center during the general election.
TUESDAY
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Casey Donahew entertains at SHOWDOWN Concert
Casey Donahew Band lights up the crowd Saturday night at James Phelps Auditorium during the Country Showdown Concert. The sold-out show was part of the Liberal Senior Club's annual Country Showdown competition. For more photos of the event, see PAGE 10A LIFE photo/Chris Dominicke
Seward County
County looks at fairgrounds upgrades
By ROBERT PIRCE
Leader & Times
Officials with the Seward County Fairgrounds are looking to bring other upgrades to the facility.
Chris Hoffman is a public address system of the radio station. Only one fall was reported for the system from Bell Communications of Mayfield, Ky.
The dates will be one of two fairgrounds upgrades looked at during tonight's Seward County Commission meeting and according to information in the agenda packet, the financial impact would be only for the cost of the FS system.
The fall from the Wm Sound company came to at last Sun (Sun) $12,000. The item is pending approval of the compensation, and the fair recommendation approval of the agenda and going forward with the purchase.
The second item is for a $2,000 sign for the fairgrounds facility itself, as with the FS system, only
See TRIGGER/Page 3A
TURPIN, OKLA., CHILDREN FIND EASTER EGGS GALORE
Turpin children take to the football field in the Beaver County community Saturday morning for the town's annual Easter egg hunt to gather the thousands of eggs spotted throughout the field. For more photos, see page 3A. *All photo/Kaiser Pierce*
DINOSAURS INVADING LIBERAL
After a million year absence, dinosaurs are returning to Kansas and can be seen at the Mid-America Air Museum.
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