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Kearney Public Hosts Authors By Shawna Lindner



Kearney Public Library & Information Center was pleased to have three outstanding children's authors visit our library this spring. Our first visit was from John R. Erickson who writes the "Hank the Cowdog" series. John R. Erickson is a fifth generation Texan, raised in the small Panhandle town of Perryton. He has a degree from the University of Texas, studied two years at Harvard Divinity School, and left Harvard three hours short of a master's degree in theology. After marrying Kristine Dykema in 1967, he spent 15 years writing in the early morning hours and working at odd jobs, including eight years as a ranch cowboy. After receiving hundreds of rejection slips from New York publishers, he started his own publishing company in his garage and self-published the first ten Hank the Cowdog stories. Hank the Cowdog is now a national character and his books and tapes have sold in the millions. Hank appeared in a thirty minute animated episode on "CBS Story-break" and the stories on tape were named the best children's audio books of 1993 by the American Audiobook Sellers Association. "Hank the Cowdog In Concert" was an entertaining 60 minute program, in which John R. Erickson brought to life the characters from his award-winning Hank the Cowdog series.

Gary Soto visited the library in early March. Gary Soto writes both children's picture books and books for young people. He also writes poetry. Much of what he writes about is his growing up experiences, reflecting his Hispanic heritage and culture. His young adult novel "Buried Onions" is being made into a major motion picture due out next spring. Gary spent the evening talking about what it is like to be an author, where he gets his ideas, and reading from his books.



Jean Craighead George and her illustrator Wendell Minor were the last to visit our library. Newbery Award-winning author Jean Craighead George is the author of many novels for children, including the Newbery Medal winner "Julie of the Wolves." She has written more than 100 books. Over the years, she has kept hundreds of pets, including a raccoon, a tarantula and various



kinds of birds. However, her first pet was a turkey vulture. Wendell Minor is the recipient of almost 200 awards for his paintings and cover art. His work can be found in permanent collections of the Norman Rockwell Museum, the Library of Congress and the NASA Art Collection at the John F. Kennedy Space Center. Minor has illustrated more than 30 picture books and more than 2,000 book covers. Wendell Minor and Jean Craighead George travel together to climb cliffs, hike trails and brave weather to ensure their books reflect the landscape and wildlife of the area where their story is based. Both are nature enthusiasts whose common goal is to create art and stories that will inspire young people to go out into the fields, woods and mountains to see and experience nature. Jean Craighead George and Wendell Minor were in Kearney studying the cranes. Her next book "Luck, the Sandhills Crane" is due out next year.

We enjoyed having the authors visit our library. Attendance at the library programs was outstanding! Over 800 people attended the presentations, with some driving over 3 hours to hear the authors speak.



Attention Conference Goers: You will want to grab your calendars and mark the following dates:

The Nebraska Library Association and the Nebraska Educational Media Association invite you to attend "Virtual Places, Physical Spaces - Nebraska Libraries Now", October 6-8, 2004, at the joint NLA/NEMA 2004 conference to be held at the Holiday Inn Midtown and Howard Johnson Riverside Inn in Grand Island Nebraska. Visit the conference web site at: <http://www.papillion.ne.us/~NLA2004/> for more information.



From ArchCommunicator Arch Lustberg on PowerPoint:

- It's become a crutch to help the less than apt presenter take the focus away from the speaker.
- If the picture doesn't tell the story better than you can, get rid of it. Certainly pictures of starving children or car crashes are more dramatic than any words, but most PowerPoint is without that drama.
- If companies spent as much money training speakers in the art of perfecting presentations as they spend on PowerPoint production, going to meetings would be a delight instead of a chore, a bore and a snore.
- What do we do best in the dark? Sleep and make love. But only one of these options is available in the meeting room.
- Many years ago a man said, "We remember 10 percent of what we hear and 15 percent of what we see." I'm convinced that man sold slides! My adage: "No one has the right to be dull."
- We've all seen the speaker who clicks on the overcrowded slide, turns to it, points and says, "Now, I realize you can't read what's on the screen..." Well, why in heaven's name is it up there if I can't read it and you know I can't read it?

(from Library Administrator's Digest, March, 2004)



2004 Summer Reading Program Workshop Report, by Gail Irwin

I attended the Summer Reading Program Workshop on March 26, 2004 at the Oconto Community Center with a scholarship from Meridian Library System. It was a fun and exciting day full of stories, crafts, songs, laughter, and lots of sharing time among the librarians attending. The site of the workshop was wonderful. We had lots of room for tables, our supplies and for trying out the action stories and games in the manual. The food was good and it was nice to have a kitchen handy. I enjoyed the fact that we had no stair to contend with.

I'm glad that Sally Snyder did the part of the program on why we do summer reading programs. It helped get me in the planning mode and cleared up my thoughts on our reasons for holding a reading program and for whom. It set in motion the things my library can do to make a difference to our young children. It helped me to decide on what outputs I wanted for our community and the outcomes I hope to achieve with the Summer Reading Program.

I was happy to hear about the partnerships happening across the State of Nebraska this summer for children completing their reading requirements at their library. This sponsorship with the Omaha Royals and the Nebraska College Savings Plan is wonderful. I'm excited about this and I know that our children will be also. What a great way to encourage our readers!

Jeannie Gardner was a great presenter. She was lively and fun. She did a great job of showing activities you could do each week with kids. You could have a whole program planned just by doing the activities she did at the workshop. I liked the amount of crafts for us to do at the workshop. It was fun to try out some of the stories and games. I really liked her mitten for telling stories/fingerplays. Her felt apron and Indian outfit was clever and would be easy to do. I enjoyed her ideas on getting boys interested in the program s that is a problem at times. If you hadn't looked at the Summer Reading Program Manual before the workshop, I'm sure that you

did after the workshop and seeing all the ideas she gave from it. I feel that she did a good job and definitely got me pumped and excited about the summer and working with the kids.

The one bad part of the workshop was that I did not win any of the great prizes. Darn, maybe next year I will be luckier! I felt that the prizes were wonderful and will work into the program theme for those who did not win them.

I always enjoy the sharing part of the program. I got many ideas to try and many new titles to purchase just by visiting with others.



Developing Confidence With Computer Hardware and Software, by Evelyn Ost

Attendance at the Developing Confidence with Computer Hardware & Software class on April 2, 2004 in Gibbon provided me with hands-on experience putting all the components of a computer together. This experience has increased my confidence and ability to replace parts on the 11 computers the library owns that are currently operational. My only concern now is my diagnostic skills.

Attendees were also provided with shopping tips. Office Max currently had on several buys saving dollars with the digital camera memory stick being free after rebate is submitted and the portable USB flash hard drive only costing \$9.99 after rebate. While I had seen the flash drive in use before by an adult education instructor, I was afraid to go out and buy for fear I would be buying something that wouldn't work on my computers but found out in class they can be used on all the newer computers that have the universal USB ports. A stop at Office Max was made on the way home and noted several other attendees shopping also.

The session ended with maintenance tips. Instructor also assured the students on the safety of allowing the public to bring in disks from outside the library and how to scan disks with Norton if unsure. This was something I had started allowing patrons to do but wasn't sure if I had

made an intelligent decision.

As you can see, I came away with a sense of confidence and knowledge that I did not have before attending the class. My time spent attending was very beneficial. As a bonus, I also invited the Ainsworth Director to travel with me, thus two libraries from the Meridian System benefited from this scholarship.



System Grants Awards

Craig Spanel of Nigel Sprouse Memorial Library in Callaway has been awarded the Helping Hands Award for his volunteer services in automation of the library and other library activities.

Donna Blocker of Cody-Kilgore High School has been awarded the Leadership Award for her work in the school media center.

Congratulations!



System Elects Board Members

New members on the Meridian Library System Board are as follows.

Penny Jeffrey—Oconto Public Library
Mary Koch—Gothenburg Public Library
Pam Miska—Ravenna Public Library
Judy Coan—North Loup Public Library



The Visible Library: Marketing and Advocacy By Penny Jeffrey

Attendance at "The Visible Library" workshop was a day well-spent. Pat Wagner was an engaging speaker who kept interest high throughout the day. She went through basic marketing strategies for public libraries. Attendees rated themselves and their respective libraries with quizzes on public relations, community research, and marketing activities. Then Ms. Wagner went through the quizzes and explained how we could improve.

We spent some time going through the development of a strategic plan for our libraries, from the necessity of having a plan through each step of setting the formal plan to paper.

In my opinion, one of the most interesting and practical parts of the day was Ms. Wagner's critique of actual promotional materials brought by attendees. She noted what was done well with each brochure, bookmark, handout, etc. and then gave very concrete tips on how to make them even better.

In these times of decreasing budgets and having to defend the necessity of libraries, Ms. Wagner's workshop could be used by all library directors, no matter the size of their libraries. I highly recommend it.



CREATE YOUR OWN ONLINE RESOURCES PAGE

Libraries can now easily create their own online resources page. We have designed a simple form that librarians can fill out that will generate a customized page. After the page is created it will need to be saved to your local computer. It can then be put on the library's Web site or it can be accessed off of a local computer.

Get started by going to: <http://www.nlc.state.ne.us/nebraskaccess/toolbox/yourownpage.html>. A sample of the completed page is shown in the black box. Below the sample is the form you can use to customize your own resource page. The form will allow you to select a background color and the color of the text headings. You can also add the library's name, contact information and a link back to your web site. Libraries that purchase other resources, such as netLibrary or SIRS, can add up to five additional links.

Before you get started make sure you read the directions! If you have questions or problems please contact Allana Novotny at 402-471-6681, 800-307-2665 or anovotny@nlc.statene.us.

EXCALIBUR AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING PUBLIC LIBRARIAN

The Public Library Section of the Nebraska Library Association is accepting nominations for the Excalibur Award for Outstanding Public Librarian. This award honors the career accomplishments of a public librarian who has demonstrated an outstanding record of service to his/her local library and to the library profession. The following categories suggest areas in which the nominee may have rendered significant service. Preference will be given to those nominees who have achieved excellence in more than one of these areas:

- Development of outstanding service in field(s) of expertise, e.g. reference, children's, technical, administrative.
- Involvement in statewide library service.
- Record of library leadership in local community, regional area or in the Nebraska Library Association.
- Encouragement of community/institutional support for the library.

The nominee must be a member of the Public Library Section of the Nebraska Library Association. The 2004 Nomination Committee members are: John F. Dale, (chair), Ruth Strassler and Verda Bialac.

Nomination Form

Please send a statement of nomination with a description of the nominee's contributions to any Excalibur Nomination Committee member. Supporting letters of nomination and other materials may also be submitted with nomination. Deadline for nominations is August 1, 2004.

Person Nominated _____

Library and Address _____

Telephone Number _____

Nominated By _____

Address _____

Telephone Number _____

Send nomination forms by August 1 to:

[Current Excalibur Award Committee Chair:

John F. Dale

Lincoln City Libraries

Bennett Martin Public Library

136 S. 14th

Lincoln, Nebraska 68508]

Deadline for nominations is August 1, 2004

“We’re all in this personnel thing together, aren’t we?”

Municipal clerks, Board members, Librarians: Mark your calendars for a public library-related personnel workshop coming to your part of Nebraska in July 2004. Maggie Stine and Jack Schultz, two attorneys with labor expertise from the law firm of Harding, Schultz & Downs, will present a jam-packed workshop at four locations across the state.

If you have ever been kept up nights by worrying about:

- Performance evaluations, recruitment and hiring
- Wages and benefits
- Conflicts of interest
- Disciplining
- Termination
- Volunteers
- Board powers
- Grievances
- The “open meetings” law
- “At will” employees
- Personnel policies, etc.

then this is the workshop for you. Come one, come all: city, township, or village clerks; library board members; and library directors. You will learn and be able to share information with others in your community about how to handle personnel issues. These workshops are sponsored by the Nebraska Library Commission, in cooperation with the Regional Library Systems, and supported by the Institute of Museum and Library Services under provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act, as administered by the state of Nebraska.

Workshops will be offered at the following four Nebraska locations:

- Tuesday, July 20, 2004 – Wilson Public Library, 910 Meridian, Cozad
- Friday, July 23, 2004 – Platte River State Park, 14421 346th St., Louisville
- Monday, July 26, 2004 – Schuyler Public Library, 1123 A St., Schuyler
- Thursday, July 29, 2004 – Alliance Public Library, 1750 Sweetwater Ave., Alliance

Each workshop will run from 9:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. local time, either Central or Mountain. Cost to attend: \$10 for first person registered from each town; \$5 for each additional person from the same town. For example, if your city clerk, a library board member, and the librarian attend, all three will participate and have lunch for \$20. Lunch will be provided onsite. Make checks out to the Nebraska Library Commission. **Payment must be received by July 10 to complete registration.**

Each person participating in either the Public Librarian or Board Certification process will receive 5 CE credits. Continuing Education (CE) Credits are issued by the Nebraska Library Commission as part of the Nebraska Public Librarian or Board Certification Program.

Send payment with registration form, including location and sandwich preference for each participant, to: Jacquie Crocker, Nebraska Library Commission, The Atrium, Suite 120, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, NE 68508-2023. Call her at 800-307-2665 or 402-471-4037, fax: 402-471-2083, or e-mail reservations to jcrocker@nlc.state.ne.us. **Payment must be received by July 10 to complete registration.** For questions concerning the workshop content, please contact Richard Miller at the above address or by e-mail at rmiller@nlc.state.ne.us.

Personnel Workshop July 2004 Registration Form

Name and position of each attendee: _____

Library _____

Street Address _____

City _____ ZIP code _____

Phone _____

Location attending (please choose one):

____ Wilson Public Library (Cozad), July 20

____ Platte River State Park (Louisville), July 23

____ Schuyler Public Library, July 26

____ Alliance Public Library, July 29

Amount enclosed \$ _____

(Calculate fee by starting with \$10 for the first person from your town and adding \$5 for each additional person.)

WEB SITES OF THE MONTH

Crochet Pattern Central: This site offers links to free crochet patterns and to tutorials for those who wish to learn the craft. Searchable, or you can browse by subject (such as animals, flowers, and holidays) for hundreds of patterns. From a crochet enthusiast and hobbyist.

<http://www.crochetpatterncentral.com/>

I Hear America Singing : "This Web site invites visitors to experience the diversity of American performing arts through the Library of Congress's unsurpassed collections of scores, sheet music, audio recordings, films, photographs, maps, and other materials." The site features special presentations on selected topics from material in the library's collections. Includes essays, images, and sound files. Searchable, or browsable by topic or material type.

<http://www.loc.gov/rr/perform/ihas/>

Back of the Box Recipes: This commercial site is devoted to the recipes found on food packaging, initially created to spur demand for brand-name products. The site features printable recipes in a variety of categories, such as appetizers, desserts, one-dish meals, pasta, poultry, rice, beans, salads, seafood, soups, and diabetic, holiday, and low-fat dishes. Most recipes come directly from food packaging; a few are reader-suggested recipes using brand-name products.

<http://www.backofthebox.com/>

Citation Style Guides: This site is a convenient reference tool for students who need to write bibliographies using specific citation styles. Modern Language Association (MLA), Chicago (Turabian), American Psychological Association (APA), and American Anthropological Association (AAA) styles are featured. Presents examples of specific citations and links to other Web sources explaining the citation styles. Includes examples of electronic reference formats. From the Seattle Central Community College Library.

http://dept.sccd.ctc.edu/cclib/Research_Tools/Citation_Style_Guides/

PUBYAC Home: Since 1993, the PUBYAC (PUBLIC libraries, Young Adults, and Children) electronic mailing list has provided vital support to public library staff working with young adults and children. The Web site offers information about the history and workings of this service, list archives (requires list subscription), electronic list tips, and other information for subscribers and library school students. From children's librarian Shannon VanHemert.

<http://www.pallasinc.com/pubyac/>

Kids' Planet: This site for children features fact sheets on over 50 endangered species, as well as classroom resources (on wolves, sea otters, and Florida black bears), games, and environment protection activities for children. From the Defenders of Wildlife, a wildlife conservation organization.

<http://www.kidsplanet.org/>

Read Write Think: This site aims to "provide educators and students with access to the highest quality practices and resources in reading and language arts instruction." The site features searchable and browsable lesson plans for grades K to 12. Also includes annotated Web links and interactive student materials. A partnership between the International Reading Association (IRA), the National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE), and the MarcoPolo Education Foundation.

<http://readwritethink.org/>

EveryRose: The Rose Reference Database: Extremely slow and temperamental, but very comprehensive database of thousands of roses, including many high-quality photographs. Search or browse by name, color, class, height, width, growth habit, bloom season, or fragrance. Database records include ratings from the American Rose Society (ARS) and user comments, and notes if the rose is an AARS (All-America Rose Selection). Site includes rose sources, clubs and associations, public gardens, and much more.

<http://www.everyrose.com/>

Mostly Medieval: “Here you will find information on heraldry, myths and legends, religion, medicine, and other aspects of life in Britain during the Middle Ages.” The site includes a calendar of holy days and festivals, ballads with synopses, and clip art. “The majority of the information contained in these pages is the result of research undertaken prior to and continued during the writing of a novel set in 13th century Scotland.”

<http://skell.org/>

How Everyday Things Are Made: “If you’ve ever wondered how things are made--products like candy, cars, airplanes, or bottles--or if you’ve been interested in manufacturing processes, like forging, casting, or injection molding, then you’ve come to the right place.” This site shows “how various items are made. It covers over 40 different products and manufacturing processes, and includes almost 4 hours of manufacturing video.” Includes a discussion forum. From the Alliance for Innovative Manufacturing, Stanford University.

<http://manufacturing.stanford.edu/>

Librarian Action Figure: The Web site for the doll that caused a storm of controversy in librarianship. The doll, whose arm moves up in a “shushing” gesture, is based on a real-life librarian and prolific book reviewer, Nancy Pearl, the author of “Book Lust.” Is she dowdy, or merely sensibly dressed? Insulting, or amusing? And where did she get those comfy-looking shoes?

<http://www.mcphree.com/laf/>

Days of Infamy: December 7 and 9/11: This intriguing site compares and contrasts two very similar projects separated by 60 years: “man in the street” audio recordings made in the days immediately following the attack on Pearl Harbor and after the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks. Includes audio of the interviews, discussions, transcripts, and additional interviews with “prominent, thoughtful Americans who’ve lived through both attacks,” including folk musician Pete Seeger and U.S. Senator Daniel Inouye. From Minnesota Public Radio.

<http://www.americanradioworks.org/features/daysofinfamy/>

After a Disaster: Repairing Your Home: This site offers brief “tips for consumers who may be facing major repairs after a disaster hits home” for avoiding “crooked contractors” and “recognizing a home repair rip-off.” From the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

<http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/conline/pubs/alerts/distalrt.htm>

Balloonhq.com: This site invites you to “join the pop culture” and learn all about balloons from their history and manufacture to how to twist them into animals and other decorations that will amaze and delight. Also includes information about balloon science, a description of balloons in “pop culture,” lists of games featuring balloons, and photos of balloon creatures. Searchable.

<http://www.balloonhq.com/>

U.S. Apple Association: The Web site for this industry association features educational and consumer information about apples. Includes descriptions of apple varieties, recipes, statistics, fun facts, children’s activities, research studies on apples and health, lesson plans and educational materials, and industry information.

<http://www.usapple.org/>

Certification Requirements for 50 States: This site provides links to teaching certification requirements for each state. It also includes links to online position announcements and other related sites. From the University of Kentucky College of Education.

<http://www.uky.edu/Education/TEP/usacert.html>

Death Among the Books: Bibliomysteries for Book-lovers “Librarians, authors, publishers, and book dealers are featured in these charming mysteries.” A short, partially annotated, bibliography from the Manchester (Connecticut) Public Library.

<http://library.ci.manchester.ct.us/ra/readlists/bibliomysteries.html>

How to Clean Anything: This site contains more than 1,000 tips from a “group of cleaning professionals” for cleaning your house, yard, vehicles, pets, and belongings. Also features stain removal ideas, a glossary of cleaning terms, a directory of cleaning service providers, and feature articles. Searchable.

<http://howtocleananything.com/>

The Wilbur and Orville Wright Papers: This presentation of almost 50,000 images “documents the lives of Wilbur and Orville Wright and highlights their pioneering work which led to the world’s first powered, controlled and sustained flight. Included...are correspondence, diaries and notebooks, scrapbooks, drawings, printed matter, and other documents, as well as the Wrights’ collection of glass-plate photographic negatives.” Also features a timeline and family tree. Searchable and browsable. From the American Memory Project of the Library of Congress.

<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/wrighthtml/wrighthome.html>

**MINUTES - Meridian Library System Board
April 30, 2004 Broken Bow Public Library**

A motion was made by Joan Birnie to have Joan Davis act as President for today's meeting in the absence of President Kristina Owen and Vice-President Stacy Vogel. Motion passed.

Call to Order: Joan Davis called the meeting to order at 10:10 a.m .

Roll Call: Members present included K. Joan Birnie, Linda Bowden, Darlene Catlin, Joan Davis, Maxine Erpelding, Gail Irwin, and Sally Wagner subbing for Rosalyn Lamb. Also present were Sharon Osenga, System Administrator, and Christie Behle, Administrative Assistant.

Approval of Agenda & Previous Minutes: Motion made by Darlene Catlin, second by Gail Irwin, to approve the agenda for today and the minutes from the previous meeting.

Correspondence: A Thank You note was shared with the Board from Arcadia Township Library.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's Report was reviewed. The System should not have to take money from the savings account this year as was expected. Line item for the system car is over budget due to needed windshield replacement, new tires, and the increase in gas prices.

Administrator's Report:

Training: Workshop Reports and Evaluation Results are included in Board Packets for the following workshops: Basic Book Repair, Print and Online Reference Resources, Mini-Follett, Summer Reading Program, and Developing Confidence with Computer Hardware and Software.

Annual Meeting: A flyer for the Annual Meeting is included in Board Packets. It has been scheduled for Thursday, June 3rd in Cozad. A program of Living History will be followed by a catered lunch and the annual meeting.

Classes: Sharon and Christie attended classes on Access and Excel.

Librarians' Survival Packet: The completed Librarians' Survival Packet was passed around for Board Members to review.

Library Director Updates: Shelton Public Library has a new librarian, Michelle Self. She will be meeting with Sharon soon.

System Administrators: The new Administrator for the Northeast Library System is Kathy Ellerton. Kevin Leapley has resigned from Republican Valley Library System.

Schedule Highlights: Sharon shared highlights of her schedule for the prior two months.

Business:

Board Elections: Different terms are needed so that terms can be staggered to meet the by-laws requirements. We need 2 people for 3 years, 1 for two years and one for one year terms. Running for a 3 Year Term: Pam Miska, Ravenna Public Library; Judy Coan, North Loup Public Library; and Christine Walsh, Kearney Public Library & Information Center. For a 2 Year Term: Mary Koch, Gothenburg Public Library. For a 1 Year Term: Penny Jeffrey, Oconto Public Library. Postcard ballots will be sent out with information for the annual meeting.

Internet Filters: The System office must purchase an internet filter. Net Nanny has been recommended for a price of approximately \$25. A motion was made by Gail Irwin, second by Darlene Catlin, to approve the purchase of Net Nanny. Members discussed purchasing separate programs versus site licenses. Roll call vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

PHD/Dolphin Policy: A proposed policy for the Follett Portable Hand Device/Dolphin unit is included with Board Packets. This is used mainly for inventory. Motion by Gail, second by Joan, to approve the policy as written. Motion passed.

By-Laws/Policy Changes: The By-Laws and Policies Committee met prior to the Board Meeting. Minor changes of spelling and grammar, and a clarification regarding signing checks were proposed to the By-Laws. Proposed changes to the Policies: spelling, newsletter sent 6 times/year, bulk mail 300 rather than 200, updated rent amount and lease date, mailing list has been changed to include only the presidents of the other systems' boards. Board will need to consider the issue of the system car being replaced every 5 years since the budget may not allow for this. Motion by Gail, second by Darlene, to approve the committee's changes to the By-Laws and Policies. Motion passed.

Budget Discussion: Some possibilities for cuts to the budget for next year include hours for Administrative Assistant and the purchase of Golden Sower books. This adds up to approximately \$3000. Sharon submitted a request to the NLC for a new copier. The current one is 12 years old. A new one would collate which is important for large workshop packets. We also requested bags for the Accu-Cut dies.

Sally reported on the remodeling of the Ord Library.

Adjournment:: The Annual meeting is set for 10:30am June 3rd in Cozad.

Motion by Darlene to adjourn the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Christie Behle, Administrative Assistanat

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