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The Clay Center City Rec. orange boys T-Ball team consists of (I to r): Coach Mike Hays, Colt Phillips, Dawsyn Elder, Cashdyn Qualls, Joe Koster, Kade Lund, Asher Schooley, Wade Koster, Drake Willman and Coach Lane Koster. (Ryan D. Wilson/Dispatch)



The Clay Center City Rec. red boys T-Ball team consists of Cash Canfield, Colson Gelino, Beau Mall, Easton Richter, Pryor Roberts, Walker Roberts, Joel Ware, Brody Whitaker and Vincent Young. They are coached by Jake Roberts and Calebo Gelino. *(Ryan D. Wilson/Dispatch)*



The Clay Center City Rec. gray boys T-Ball team consists of (I to r): DeClan McCann, Atticus Ott, Bennett Scott, Paul Bergsten, Thayer Carlson, Cohen Blackwood, Caisyn Schulte, Killian Ott, Coach Trey Schulte. (*Ryan D. Wilson/Dispatch*)



The Clay Center City Rec. royal blue boys T-Ball team consists of (I to r)front row: Bo Wallace, Ace Wallace, Brantley Helms, Sawyer Hamel; back row: Coach Justin Lehman, Burke Lehman, Nolan Anderson, Levi Hedberg, Rylan Wietharn, Konnor Gotham, Assistant Coach Anna Hamel. (*Ryan D. Wilson/Dispatch*)



The Clay Center City Rec. light blue boys T-Ball team consists of: Kyson Beals, Dax Campbell, Owen Cannizzo, Coleson Cox, Kane Gregory, David Hall, Daniel McKain, Dawson McKain, Colt Merle and Wyatt Merle. They are coached by Kinsey Cox and Autumn Cannizzo. *(Ryan D. Wilson/Dispatch)*



The Clay Center City Rec. green boys T-Ball team consists of: Kaden Charbonneau, Xander Duncan, Jeremy Green, Alexander Lips, Oliver Lips, Paul Rohovit, Justin Shaver, Jedsen Siemer-Sharp and Daxton Todd. They are coached by Zane Shaver and Austin Last. *(Ryan D. Wilson/Dispatch)*



The City Rec. Girls Green T-ball Team consists of (I to r) front row: Ellie Peterson, Addison Seirer, Piper Pfizenmaier, Kinsley Speltz, Everleigh Wirtz; back row: Coach Brett Hubka, Coach Karli Hubka, Hattie Hubka, Isla Peterson, Scarlett Gibbs, Assistant Coach Harper Hubka, Coach Seth Wirtz. Not pictured: Brooklynn McKain. *(Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)*



The City Rec. Girls Orange T-ball Team consists of (I to r) front row: Macie Charbonneau, Oakley Tungl, Jillian Browne, Alanah Nikkel; back row: Coach Rachel Nikkel, Coach Kylee Nikkel, Maelyn McAnany, Ellie Carlson, Camryn Crowl, Stella Wurtz, Maelie Dolan, Coach Kaylee Charbonneau. (Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)

The Clay Center City Rec. Royal Blue Girls T-Ball Team consists of (I to r) front row: Nora Lehman, Rowyn Richter, Tessa Liby, Liv Stark; back row: Coach Dani Bristol Lehman, Shepard, Brinley Jensen, Lucie Cutshall, Berklee Jones, Maylee Jensen, Coach Liz Richter.



(Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)



The City Rec. Girls Light Blue T-ball Team consists of (I to r) front row: Coach Greg Doman, Coach Laurel Affolter, Maddox Affolter, Reighlyn Snyder, Mae Urban; back row: Andi Urban, Jamison Liby, Devlyn Knitter, Ada Doman, Denley Farris, Coach Shannon Farris. Not pictured: Mika Thomas. *(Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)*

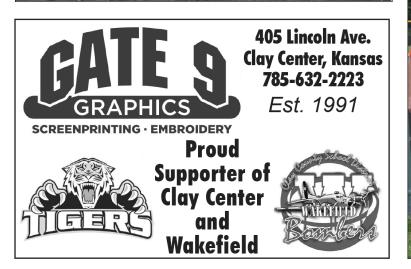


The City Rec. Girls Red T-ball Team consists of (I to r) front row: Treedyn Miller, Abigail Gierhan, Bailey Lund, Breckyn Chestnut, Rosie Vincent; back row: Coach Dawson Miller, Ada Hood, Karsyn Blackwood, Ripley Miller, Saige Wietharn, Lucy Vincent, Coach Mark Carson. (Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)



The Clay Center City Rec. Pee Wee Baseball plays in the Mustang league with Abilene, Centre, Chapman, Council Grove, Herington, Solomon and White City. The team includes, front row (I to r): Jaxton Jesse, Carter Bloom, Mylo Colton, Pistol Lehman, Waylon March; back row: Assistant Coach Sam Hedman, Coach Tony Sisk, Van Monroe, Dominic Sisk, Alex Hood, Grady Michaud, Jameson Browne, Jayce Crawley, Coach Kristen Sisk. Not pictured: Jaxson Stewart. (Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)





City Rec. red boys machine pitch team consists of (I to r) front row:Maverick Hoover, Carson Elder, Brandt Thomas, Maddox Schwab. Back row: Coach Eric Anderson, Finn Hammond, Isaiah Anderson, Hagen Washa, Dierks Davis, Lincoln Farris, Coach Ryan Thomas. Not pictured: Colt Wohler and Michael Domingo. (Ryan D. Wilson/ Dispatch)



The Clay Center City Rec. royal blue boys machine pitch team consists of (I to r) front row: Aden Pfizenmaier. Owen Stark. Parker Pfizenmaier. Levi Roberts. Atticus Parry; back Row: Coach David Roberts, Barry Pfizenmaier, Kane Keierleber, Copper Phillips, Lane Schurle, Bowynn Oppenheimer, Hunter Jensen, Coach Joshua Phillips. (Ryan D. Wilson/





The Clay Center City Rec. orange boys machine pitch team consists of (I to r) front row: Zayne Cummins, Gabriel Lenhart, Vernon Young, Yates Weller, Axyl Cummins; back row: Coach Justin Weller, Dayton Richardson, Lynkyn Schulze, Eli DeBauche. Colton Crowl, Cohen Canfield, Grady Lang.

(Ryan D. Wilson/ Dispatch)

The Clay Center City Rec. orange girls coach pitch team consists of (I to r) front row: Brynna Pigorsch, Jemma Cannizzo, Laramie Clark, Dawnae Wright; back row: Coach Chelsea Charbonneau, Nathalya Charbonneau, Tynlee Hittle, Dixie Hunter, Savannah Melton, Etta Hood, Coach Rachel Pigorsch

(Melanie Musselman/ Dispatch)





The Clay Center City Rec. red girls coach pitch team consists of (I to r) front row: Clara Baumann, Jerica Beaver, Sydni Liby, Coach Billie Beaver; back row: Coach Amber Beaver, Ellie Beaver, Braelyn Marrs, Millie Davis, Callie Baumann, Brooklyn Ryals, Coach

(Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)

Nicole Liby.



The City Rec. light blue girls coach pitch team consists of (I to r) front row: Haddie McCann, Remington Mall, Maggie Lenhart, Raegan Richter; back row: Coach Nicole Ruhge, Paisleigh Ruhge, Kwinlee Helms, Madalyn Young, Kendall Smith, Emma Lund, Assistant Coach Becky Schurle. (Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)





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The Clay Center City Rec. royal blue girls coach pitch team consists of (I to r) front row: Maiara Hoyle, Zoe Wright, Oaklyn Charbonneau, Maycie Michaud, Brynne Wenzl; back row: Coach Kaylee McCann, Aiyana Hoyle, Cheyenne Pope, Olivia Medina, Kloie Wilson, Coach April Pope; not pictured: Madelynn Shoemaker.

(Melanie Musselman/ Dispatch)





July 23 to July 27, 2005 • Clay County Fairgrounds

Wednesday, July 23 9 a.m. — 4-H Individual Projects, Interior Design, Reading, Shooting Sports, Sports Fishing, Wildlife, Vet Science Judging, Club Bench Judging, Open Class Clothing and Textiles Judging, Event Center

9-11 a.m. — Enter 4-H and Open Class Floriculture, Horticulture & Crops, Event Center

9:30 a.m. — Open Class Ceramics, Crafts and Paintings Judging, Event Center

10 a.m. — Open Class Foods Judging, Event Center

10:30 a.m. — 4-H Woodworking Judging, Open Class Woodworking Judging will follow, Event Center

11:30 a.m. - 4-H Floriculture Judging, Event Center

12 p.m. — 4-H Foods Judging, Event Center

12:30 p.m. —Open Class Floricul-ture Judging, Event Center

1 p.m. — 4-H Horticulture and Crops Judging, Open Class Photography Judging, Event Center

1:30 p.m. — Open Class Horticul-

ture and Crops Judging, Event Center 4 - 6:30 p.m. — 4-H & Open Class Bake Sale, Event Center

4:30 p.m. — Beef Carcass Scanning, Beef Barn

6 p.m. — Swine Judging, Hogan Arena

6 - 10 p.m.— Carnival Attrac-tions by Great Plains Amusements Thursday, July 24

8:30 a.m. - 4-H Pet Division Check-in, Event Center

9 a.m. –4-H Pet Judging, Event Center

9 a.m. — Meat Goat Judging, Hogan Arena

10 a.m. — Dairy Goat Judging, Hogan Arena

11 a.m. — Sheep Judging, Hogan Arena



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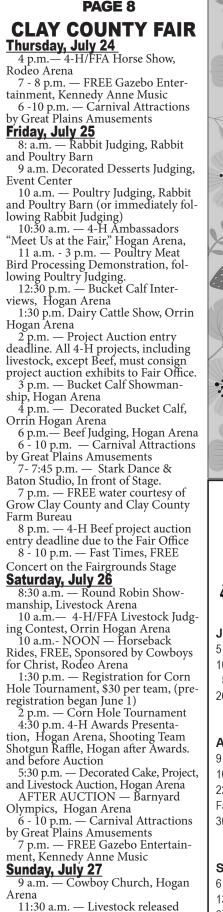




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The 4 Gems is an a cappella quartet which formed in May 2016 made up of Deanna Barleen, Lead, Clay Center; Trina McCarty, Baritone, Manhattan; Cathy Scroggs, Bass, Manhattan; an Susan Tiffany, Tenor, McPherson. The 4 Gems quartet has sung in a variety of venues including the National Anthem for the Kansas City Royals as well as K-State sport activities, Clay County Arts Council concert series, and for numerous other church, community, and civic groups. In addition to a large Christmas repertoire, the group has a variety of musical selections ranging from funny to more traditional. **Check them our at our pre-fair concert!**

Sunday, July 20th @ 7 p.m. Location: Clay Center United Methodist Church in Family Life Center



11:30 a.m.- 2:30 p.m.- Fair-

grounds livestock area clean-up 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. — All other exhibits released, clean-up to follow

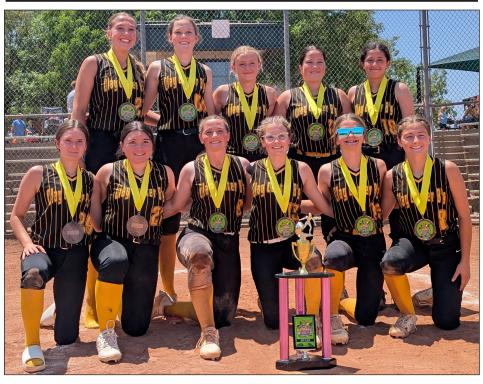








Summer All-Stars 2025 Tuesday, June 17, 2025 9





Clockwise, starting upper left:

(Photos courtesy of Clay Center B's coaches and parents)

10U Clay Center B's: Front row (I to r): Kymber Kasten, Elsa Pope, Tenley Rott, Kinley Gregory, Danilyn Mitchell, Teagan Snyder, Drew Gisselbeck; middle row: Eastyn Kirchner, Brier Chaffee, Elizabeth Paillet, Brooklyn Ross, Lairyn Pyle; back row: Coaches Kyle Kirchner, Dawn Richter, Tanna Kasten.

16U Clay Center B's: Front row (I to r): Bree Lund, Avery Baer, Maizy Gurney, Brooklyn Gordon, Ericka Johnston, Bryn Lund; back row: Jaylin Roush, Izzy Rogge, Maranda Nix, Bria Link, Brenna Gibson. Not pictured: Coaches Shanell George, John Link, Matt Nix.

13U Clay Center B's: Front row (I to r): Layla Aggson, Tayleigh Taylor, Khenzly Cannizzo, Sophie Buckley, Aubrie Rogge; back row: Alayna Hoover, Avalin Sandoval, Bri Langvardt, Trystinn Baxter, Lydia Voelker, Peirson Walli. Not pictured: Skylah Garst, Head Coach Jason Kling, Assistant Coach Janene Aggson and Assistant Coach Kurt Voelker.

8U Clay Center B's: Front row (I to r): Emika Badsky, Leona Baer, Kyper Shannon, Charlee Canfield, Kora Schmale, Micah Braddy, Emmie Griffiths; back row: Vada Aggson, Jovey Beswick, Taryn Cummins, Adilynne Nelson, Kwalynn McMahan, Kaisley Kidwell, Piper Rott. Not pictured: Coaches Jessica Badsky, Kenyon Badsky, Kayla McMahan, Amy Levendofske, Kinzee Charbonneau, and special guest coach Shanell George. The team competed in their last tournament of the season, State Championships of Kansas USA Softball in Manhattan and finished in the top four.

14U Clay Center B's: Front row (I to r): Ellie Griffiths, Makayla Colton, Josie Weller, Aubrey Pfizenmaier, Cara Hammond, Bailee Williams; back row: Coach Mark Carson, Jayde Richter, Maggie Lutjemeier, Shae Berroth, Charlotte Wert, Alivia Meier, Coach Colby Richter, Coach Brad Pfizenmaier.



10U CRAZE SOFTBALL: Front row (I to r): Harper Graham, Gracie Pfizenmaier, Logan Thomas, Madi Cyphers; back row: Hallie Taylor, Aubrey Schwab, Kendall Sorell, Hannah Schaefer, Ames Langvardt, Emersyn Easterberg, Ava Mesalles, Annika Smith. Not pictured: Coaches Jericho Fief, Michelle Langvardt, Bridget Schaefer. *(Courtesy photo)*



8U CCABA Tigers: front row (I to r): Owen Lippert, Bronson Affolter, Atticus Parry, Eli DeBauche, Rhett Wietharn, Wade McAnany; back row: Axtyn Gregory, Kolter McMahan, Ryan Rothfuss, Korbin Kirchner, Kaanen Bowser, Coye Dumler. *(Courtesy photo)*

12U B's: Front row (I to r): Tymber Charbonneau, Dixie Moore, Margot Young, Azure Pfizenmaier, Layla Liby; back row: Coach Kylie Gesslein, June Davis, Harper James, Myla Greene, Devyn Schou, Coach Dolan Rosenow. Not pictured: Hadley Easterberg, Lillia Matheney, Addison Willis.

(Courtesy photo)



(Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)





12U CCABA Tigers Orange: front row (I to r): Corbin Lippe, Briscoe Lehman, Logan Mulligan, Chance Affolter; back row: Brenden Bowser, Jase Kloft, Kiefer Sand, Keaton Bowser; not pictured: Thade Pfizenmaier.

(Courtesy photo)

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REC. SOFTBALL: Front row (I to r): Adelynn Robbins, Harmony Trembath, Shaylee Baker, Azure Meireis, Janae Wohler; back row: Addison Bowser, Lola Graham, Alizeah Gray, Kaydence Wells, Claire Deetjen, Coach Christoper Deetjen. Not pictured: Claire Tadtman, Madoline Cutshall, Assistant Coach Jacob Cutshall.

(Melanie Musselman/ Dispatch)







13U CCABA Tigers: front row (I to r): Coy Chaffee, Kadyn Siemers, Easton Cyr, Hunter Graham, Colton Cyr; back row: Emmett Peterson, Jebrick Reed, Brady Frederick, Corbyn Blackwood, Ryder Schwab, Reid Young. *(Courtesy photo)*



12U CCABA Tigers Black: front row (I to r): Brogan Craig, Cooper Schwartz, Reece Richter, Jase Ferguson, Brayden Speltz, Karson Beals; back row: Gunner Girard, Wyatt Weller, Holte Taddiken, Witten Ricketts, Landon Ryals, Kasen McMahan. *(Courtesy photo)*



14U CCABA Tigers: front row (I to r): Kelby McMahan, Braden Leitzel, Reece Auld, Kody Schmale; back row: Chase Urban, Ian Berggren, Brayden Burnett, Brennan Zahm, Tyler Holmes. *(Courtesy photo)*



11U CCABA Tigers: front row (I to r): Clay Richter, Tyson DeBauche, Owen Pfizenmaier, Kale Marrs, Bayler Langvardt, Jace Bergstrom; back row: Coyer Canfield, Collin Rothfuss, Kane Gisselbeck, Beckam Pinter, Boland Baker, Grady Crimmins. *(Courtesy photo)*



9U CCABA Tigers: front row (I to r): Cole Lippe, Jace Cannizzo, Archer Pfizenmaier, Cash Brummet, Evan Lippert, Brody Crimmins, Kash Baumann; back row: Doak Pyle, Jax Reed, Colin Beaver, Karter Beals, Benjamin Parsley, Mason Langvardt. *(Courtesy photo)*



10U CCABA Tigers: front row (I to r): Emmett Girrens, Will Pfizenmaier, Layton Schwartz, Sawyer

 Griffiths, Pratt Taddiken, Logan Michaud; back row: Taber Badsky, Jarrison Reed, Hayes Urban, Otto

 Luke, Bryce Weller, Myer Gibson..

 (Courtesy photo)





Dedication of the **Cathy Haney Research Library Thursday, July 3** 2 to 4 p.m. with dedication ceremony at 3 p.m. Food, Drinks, Hats

-Clay County Museum 518 Lincoln Ave Clay Center 785-632-3786 www.claycomuseum.com/events Clay Center Tiger Sharks competed in meets in Beatrice, Neb., on June 1, Concordia, June 7, and Crete, Neb., June 14. The rest of their schedule includes the home meet hosted in Clay Center, June 21; and Champions Meet, Fairbury, Neb., June 28. The team includes, front row (I to r): Tessa Liby, Sydni Liby, Rylan Wietham, Saige Wietham, Savannah Pfizenmaier, Delilah Luke, Devlyn Knitter, Finn Hammond, Gabe Lenhart, Wade Koster, Rhett Wietharn, Owen Stark, Isaiah Anderson, Abigail Cott, Ripley Miller, Treedyn Miller, Emika Badsky, Ella Gillard; middle row: Gabe Borgerding, Ezra Sterling, Kyson Badsky, Grady Michaud, Ellery Garner, Rory Mellies, Lincoln Schnell, Hudson Cott, Taber Badsky, Myer Gibson, Blake Bergsten, Colin Beaver, Ella Mellies, Tynlee Hittle, Maggie Lenhart, Dane Kissinger, Gavin Gillard; back row: Coach Jenna Beaver, Luke Gibson, Carson Cott, Jaxon Beaver, Layla Liby, Janessa Bergsten, Jaelyn Michaud, Bailee Williams, Assistant Coach Madeline Crutcher, Will Crutcher, Assistant Coach Eisaac Girton, Drew Hoffman, Asher Sterling, Carter Young, Margot Young, Laura Hoffman, Rosie Larson, Assistant Coach Jenna Fickes. *(Melanie Musselman/Dispatch)*

