

Salt Hawk Talk '61

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Lost Us or Moved?

Be sure to let us know or you will miss out on the good news! Hint: If you forget Kay or Dean's Email go to our web page and bookmark it! Drop Dean note or share your news & celebrations.

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Thanks for Newsletter articles, notes & photos: Hutch News, Google, HCC, Hutch Post, KHUT & KWBW Radio, Observer-Reporter News, Pieter Miller, Ed Kumoroski, Cosmosphere & SpaceWorks.

No Known Losses for March!

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Black Hawks shared by KHUT Radio



Must see video access below.



http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z9TJXyeYKrE&sns
...a few days later they flew back into town and over our house.

Attracted a lot of attention & was
quite a Spectacle!

### Pay It Forward ~ Make A Donation

Don't Forget HHS Memorial Scholarship Fund
Donations are Tax Deductible!
Our Scholarship Fund Needs Our Participation!
HHS '61 Memorial Scholarship Fund
Send checks to: % Hutch Foundation PO Box 298
Hutchinson KS 67504-0298

#### What's New?

## End of an era: Last Kroger jet leaves Hutchinson for good

http://www.hutchnews.com/news/local\_state\_news/article\_2e7e4511-1415-5edb-a63a-df4cc6bdcae7.html



When a Learjet 35 zipped into the sky from Hutchinson Municipal Airport on Thursday morning, it marked the end of an era. For the first time in more than 60 years, Dillon Stores or its parent company, Kroger, will not have a corporate aircraft based in Hutchinson.

Renovation of Wiley Building revives talk of man who rode horse on roof in 1941



A horse and its rider, Rudy Krehbiel, are seen on top of the Wiley Building in 1941 during the Prairie Powwow celebration in Hutchinson.

http://www.hutchnews.com/news/local\_state\_news/article\_a1240e71-92df-5da4-a60e-48dbac3db48c.html?mode=jgm



Greatly Visible Project ~ Kudos for 'Lowen Sign' of Hutchinson ~ Watch for them on streets in your area soon!

~" Your kids are becoming you.....but your grandchildren are perfect! (?) "~



HCC Women's BB Team took 2<sup>nd</sup> in the NJCAA Division 1 Championship Round!
Congratulations!



Sadly it was announced 4-4-14 that The Ladies NJCAA BB Tourney will Leave Salina



Story on the eBay sale
Of Kansas Landmark Hotel
went far and wide!
Here is picture and access
to article found in a
Washington PA paper shared
by our oldest daughter.
Observer-Reporter of
Washington PA

http://www.observer-reporter. com/article/20140222/LIFESTYLES /140229767

There are several pictures available for viewing. The



Main article was originally from Hutch News but was Still accessible at the time of this printing. 

after the 2015 NJCAA Ladies Basektball Tourney.

Wiley Tour of Renovation brings back memories for City Commission & Landmarks Committee...multiple sources & sites...if no results from the url's, do a search on Wiley Building. <a href="http://www.hutchnews.com/news/local\_state\_news/article\_11232fe2-aedc-5d47-a238-90e0dc184e1c.html?mode=jgm">http://www.hutchnews.com/news/local\_state\_news/article\_11232fe2-aedc-5d47-a238-90e0dc184e1c.html?mode=jgm</a> When completed there will be 23 one bedroom apartments ranging from 675 to 896 sq ft., 38 two bedroom apartments from 852 – 1126 sq ft and 12 three bedroom apartments 1237 – 2363 sq ft. Some apartments will be rented at fair market price while others will have reduced rates for low & mod income individuals or families.

\*There was no mention of the penthouse apartments in this story.

Below are various photos taken from Hutch News Stories when posted. Most of these latest pics are from a tour of City Dignitaries.



















Understand this project is ahead of schedule and all is going well!

## Spaceworks midway through conservation of Apollo F-1

rocket engines: www.hutchnews.com/news/local\_state\_news/article\_0661fc46-240d-5c11-af29-12edcd6cb663.html (article was still available online at this time) ...If N/A check these sties for more info on the Activities & Restoration Projects: Pics & Excerpts below

Nearly a year after several flatbed trucks arrived in Hutchinson with mangled Saturn V rocket engine parts recovered from 14,000 feet beneath the surface of the Atlantic Ocean, the Cosmosphere's SpaceWorks division is about halfway through the process of cleaning, stabilizing and conserving an important part of the history of man's journey to the moon.

SpaceWorks was far enough along with two pieces, a heat exchanger and an injection plate, to ship them to New York last week for a ceremony in which the recovery team bankrolled and put together by <a href="Mazon.com"><u>Amazon.com</u></a> CEO Jeff Bezos was honored with a Citation of Merit by the Explorers Club

Each Saturn V rocket was powered by five F-1 rocket engines. Each engine was 19 feet tall, 12 feet in diameter and weighed 18,000 pounds.

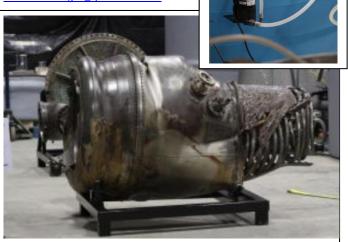
"There have been preliminary conversations with NASA about the artifacts," Remar said. "But at this point there has been no determination about which museums will be able to acquire artifacts."

Parts shown in tanks of de-ionized water and low concentrations of chemicals.

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Home sites for more information: Kansas Cosmosphere: <u>www.cosmo.org</u> SpaceWorks:

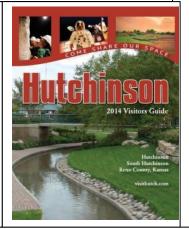
www.cosmo.org/re_spaceworks.htm



Hutchinson Visitors Guide 2014 Available to

View & read online: >>> www.hutchnews.com/pdf_ff12 a1e4-b4fa-11e3-9c5b-001a4bcf887a.html





Cottonwood Hills Golf Course is Revived, will reopen in 2015 ~ Wichita banker-led group buys Cottonwood Hills course www.hutchnews.com/news/local_state_news/article_cf7c98e4-826a-58c0-a7ba-

<u>bbcd17e253cf.html</u> (See Excerpts & Jest of story below, just in case N/A)



Drayton Alldritt, managing member of S&S Cottonwood, LLC., said that the group has purchased Cottonwood Hills Golf Course and they plan to reopen it in the spring of 2015.

Aldritt is a Wichita-based executive with Bank of America Merrill Lynch's global commercial banking unit, and managing member of the newly formed S&S Cottonwood, LLC. That entity recently bought the course and surrounding land at East Fourth Avenue and Buhler Road – about 619 acres combined – from the Bank of Camden, in Tennessee.

The 18-hole Cottonwood Hills was completed in 2007 and named by Golf Magazine as one of the top 10 new golf courses to play. Financial problems, however, led to a sheriff's sale in 2012.

The course was designed by professional golfer Nick Faldo's design company, and even though it sat idle, the course was built "the right way" and is in surprisingly good condition, Alldritt said Friday during an interview at the golf course.

Alldritt has known Lane Neville, the former Hutchinson resident and Arizona developer who first spearheaded the Cottonwood Hills project, for about 10 years. They met because Alldritt had business interests in Arizona.

Cottonwood Hills was a "challenging" course and a "quality course" when it first opened, said local golfer Chad Wintz. A reopened Cottonwood will be a nice addition to the golf community, Wintz said. ~

TSW Products changes it's name

Longtime Hutchinson manufacturer TSW Products Co. will change its name April 1 to Takako America Co., taking the name of its parent company in Japan.



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"The new name will reflect the evolving focus and quality standards of the company," said David Lansdowne, executive vice president of the Hutchinson plant, adding, "And this name change will help identify and associate with the global aspect of our parent company, Takako Industries of Kyoto, Japan, and sister company, Takako Vietnam Co., LTD, of the Singapore Industrial Park in Vietnam."

Takako Industries is a wholly owned subsidiary of KYB Corporation, headquartered in Tokyo, Japan. It founded the Hutchinson plant, at 715 Corey Road, in 1990, and it has served as the manufacturing base of Takako Industries in the Americas since that time.

The local plant, which employs 136 people, makes precision component parts for piston pumps that go into a wide variety of machinery for customers in the United States and internationally.

"The name change will help our customer base identify and associate with the world-class quality organization that Takako Industries is known to be around the world." Lansdowne said.

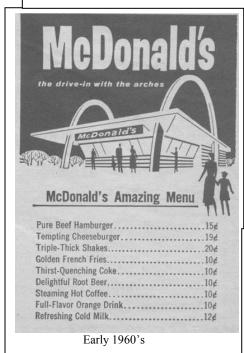
The company earlier this month announced a \$3.8 million, 34,000-square-foot building expansion, which it expects to finish this year and eventually add 10 to 15 jobs.

www.hutchnews.com/news/local state news/article 08d66ef3-952d-55fb-81e6-3828d6d70df7.html (If avail)

Do You Remember?

A few things that might stretch your memory banks and bring back a few fond memories of good times!



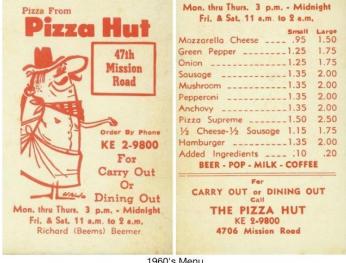




'KPL' Ready Kilowatt pin







1960's Menu



Promotional clicker Welles Dept Store mid 60's

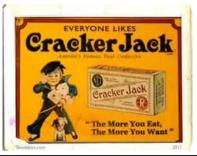


...later Peel's Beauty Supply, now Centric Beauty Salons



Carey Park Boat House



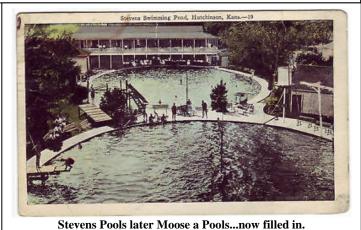




3rd & Plum. Katz Drug - later OSCO







~" Old is good in some things: Old Songs, Old movies, and best of all, OLD FRIENDS! "~