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On this 30th anniversary of Kansas’ largest celebration, we pay special tribute to the past, present and future of Neewollah. A heart-felt thank you to all who shared their talents in the past, those who are contributing their time and energies to make 1988 a success and those who are committed to continuing the Neewollah tradition into the 21st century.

On behalf of the Board of Directors and each of the committees, thank you to all the people of Southeast Kansas who continue to faithfully support Neewollah. May the 1988 Neewollah be the best yet!!

Virginia Kelly
Generalissimo
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Presents

MY FAIR LADY

Books & Lyrics by ALAN JAY LERNER

Music by FREDERICK LOEWE

Adapted from George Bernard Shaw’s Play & Gabriel Pascal’s motion picture ‘PYGMALION’

October 21 & 22, 1988

7:30 p.m.

Independence Memorial Hall
MY FAIR LADY

The Story

MY FAIR LADY is based upon George Bernard Shaw's classic comedy Pygmalion which first appeared on stage in 1914. It has been revived numerous times since and is very commonly anthologized in literature and theatrical textbooks.

In Greek legend Pygmalion is a sculptor and king of Cyprus who falls in love with his original statue of an ideal woman. He begs Aphrodite to give his statue life and then proceeds to marry his creation. The name Pygmalion is used figuratively in the title of the play.

The story of Pygmalion is that of a phonetics expert, Professor Higgins, who transforms a cockney flower girl into a society lady. Shaw recognized that the English class system categorized people by their speaking habits. He wrote the play to point out the need for an expanded phonetic alphabet to broaden the language and help eliminate these class distinctions. It was a pleasant surprise that this goal also resulted in an extremely popular play.

The play was made into a movie which premiered in 1938 and starred Wendy Hiller as "Eliza" and Leslie Howard as "Higgins." Again Pygmalion proved to be a tremendous popular success.

Although viewed as prime material for transformation into a musical, it took 28 years for this to be accomplished. Alan Lerner and Frederick Loewe transformed Pygmalion into My Fair Lady with a March 15, 1956 Broadway opening. Rex Harrison portrayed "Henry Higgins" and little known Julie Andrews played "Eliza Doolittle." Moss Hart directed the production.

In 1964 Warner Brothers turned the musical into a film. Rex Harrison continued his role but Audrey Hepburn assumed "Eliza's" character. The movie won eight Academy Awards including best picture. My Fair Lady has continued to be one of the most popular and widely produced musicals in the history of the American stage. "Eliza" and "Henry" are pleased to grace the Neewollah stage and bring their special feelings and songs to this year's celebration.

CAST
(In Order Of Appearance)

BUSKERS 1 .................................................. Amy Bege
2 .......................................................... Leseley Simpson

MRS. EYNSFORD-HILL ....................................... Debbie Travis
ELIZA Doolittle ............................................ Anita Layton
FREDDY EYNSFORD-HILL .................................. John Surber
COLONEL PICKERING ....................................... Gary Mitchell
A BYSTANDER 1 ............................................. Curtis Wolfe
HENRY HIGGINS ............................................. Steve Layton
SELEY MAN .................................................. Gareld Payne
HOXTON MAN ............................................... Ken Rathjen
ANOTHER BYSTANDER 2 ................................. Jo Brookshire
1st COCKNEY ................................................ Charles Simmons
2nd COCKNEY ............................................... Ken Rathjen
3rd COCKNEY ............................................... Dale Carr
4th COCKNEY ............................................... Gareld Payne
BARTENDER, GEORGE 1 ......................... Burkes Sherwood
HARRY ......................................................... Dale Carr
JAMIE ........................................................ Charles Simmons
ALFRED P. DOOLITTLE ..................................... Steve Wilkin
MRS. PEARCE ............................................... Frances Lake
MRS. HOPKINS ............................................... Diane Murphy
BUTLER ........................................................ Gareld Payne
SERVANT 1 .................................................. Pam Vandeveente
SERVANT 2 .................................................. Debbie White
SERVANT 3 .................................................. Amy Bege
SERVANT 4 .................................................. Marli Rieck
MAN SERVANT 5 .......................................... Ken Rathjen
MRS. HIGGINS ............................................... Joan Veron
CHAUFFEUR ................................................ Curtis Wolfe
FOOTMAN 1 ................................................ Zach Webb
FOOTMAN 2 ................................................ James Winton
LORD BOXINGTON ......................................... Rob Hadley
LADY BOXINGTON ......................................... Diane Murphy
CONSTABLE ................................................ Jerry Jackson
FLOWER GIRL ............................................... Marli Rieck
ZOLTAN KARPATHY ......................................... R. J. Osborn
SIR REGINALD AND LADY TARRINGTON ........ Len and Shirley Rood
AMBASSADOR AND LADY THEMISTOCLES STEPHANOS .. Ray Rothgeb and Sara Burke
QUEEN OF TRANSYLVANIA .............................. Barbara Schmidt
BARTENDER 2 ............................................... Gareld Payne
MRS. HIGGINS’ MAID .................................... Debbie White

ENSEMBLE
Edith Austin, Orville Austin, Kathi Barbi, Josef Barbi, Sara Burke, Jim Clubine, Vanessa Dennis, Steve Hudson, Mary Lou Palmer, Linda Simmons, Ann Smith, Bonnie Tucker and Joanne Wilkin.
Synopsis of Scenes

The place is London, the time is 1912.

ACT I

Scene 1. OUTSIDE THE OPERA HOUSE, COVENT GARDEN.
   A cold March night.
Scene 2. A TENEMENT SECTION—TOTTENHAM COURT ROAD.
   Immediately following.
Scene 3. HIGGINS' STUDY.
   The following morning.
Scene 4. TENEMENT SECTION—TOTTENHAM COURT ROAD.
   Three days later.
Scene 5. HIGGINS' STUDY.
   Later that day.
Scene 6. NEAR THE RACE MEETING, ASCOT.
   A July afternoon.
Scene 7. INSIDE A CLUB TENT, ASCOT.
   Immediately following.
Scene 8. OUTSIDE HIGGINS’ HOUSE, WIMPOLE STREET.
   Later that afternoon.
Scene 9. HIGGINS' STUDY.
   Six weeks later.
Scene 10. THE PROMENADE OF THE EMBASSY.
   Later that night.
Scene 11. THE BALLROOM OF THE EMBASSY.
   Immediately following.

ACT II

Scene 1. HIGGINS' STUDY.
   3:00 the following morning.
Scene 2. OUTSIDE HIGGINS’ HOUSE, WIMPOLE STREET.
   Immediately following.
Scene 3. FLOWER MARKET OF COVENT GARDEN.
   5:00 that morning.
Scene 4. UPSTAIRS HALL OF HIGGINS' HOUSE.
   11:00 that morning.
Scene 5. THE CONSERVATORY OF MRS. HIGGINS’ HOUSE.
   Later that day.
Scene 6. OUTSIDE HIGGINS’ HOUSE, WIMPOLE STREET.
   Immediately following.
Scene 7. HIGGINS' STUDY.
   Immediately following.
Synopsis of Musical Numbers

ACT I

Why Can't The English? ................................................................. Henry Higgins
Wouldn't It Be Loverly? ............................................................... Eliza and Cockneys
With A Little Bit Of Luck ........................................................... Doolittle and Cockneys
I'm An Ordinary Man ................................................................. Henry Higgins
Reprise: With A Little Bit Of Luck ............................................. Doolittle and Cockneys
Just You Wait .............................................................................. Eliza
The Servants' Chorus ................................................................. Servants
The Rain In Spain ...................................................................... Eliza, Henry, and Pickering
I Could Have Danced All Night ............................................... Eliza
Ascot Gavotte ............................................................................ Ensemble
On The Street Where You Live .................................................. Freddy

ACT II

You Did It ..................................................................................... Pickering
Reprise: Just You Wait ............................................................... Eliza
Reprise: On The Street Where You Live ..................................... Freddy
Show Me .................................................................................... Eliza
Get Me To The Church On Time ................................................ Doolittle and Cockneys
A Hymn To Him ......................................................................... Henry Higgins
Without You ............................................................................... Eliza
I've Grown Accustomed To Her Face ....................................... Henry Higgins
Starring

Anita Layton as Eliza Doolittle

The lead role of Eliza Doolittle is played by Anita Layton. This year’s involvement marks the third production for her on the Neewollah stage. She previously played Julie Jordan in Carousel and Guinevere in Camelot. Other musicals Anita has appeared in include Little Mary Sunshine, Kiss Me Kate, Gypsy, and Oklahoma. Her life is filled with music as she teaches music at Independence Middle School and is harpist with the Bartlesville Symphony Orchestra. Anita and Steve Layton are the parents of two daughters, Kate and Sarah.

Steve Layton as Henry Higgins

Steve Layton is not new to Independence or to Independence stage productions. He is a product of the Independence school system and returned after receiving his Masters degree from Tulsa University. He is associated with Equinox Oil Company. Steve has had lead roles in Oklahoma, Camelot, Kiss Me Kate, Gypsy, My Fair Lady and Bye Bye Birdie. He is an active member of the Presbyterian Church and Rotary club but cites his hobbies as golf, golf and golf. Playing opposite his wife makes the 1988 Neewollah production something special for the Layton family.
Co-Starring

Gary Mitchell
Col. Pickering

Steve Wilkin
Alfred Doolittle

John Surber
Freddy Hill

Frances Lake
Mrs. Pearce

Joan Veron
Mrs. Higgins
Supporting Cast
Rehearsal Shots
Production Support

Stage Manager .......... Tom DeScioli
Lighting ................. Don Crawshaw
Sound .................. John Koschin
Costume Mistress ........ Dolly Cook
Makeup Coordinator ...... Dee Dee Schabel
Publicity & Program ... David Torbett
                      Rachel Torbett
Prop Chairman .......... Deanna Sanders
Set Designer ............. Sharon Viets
Set Construction Chairman ... Dale Belcher
T-Shirt Designer ........ Janelle Null
Hair Chairman .......... Beverly Hight
Cast Party Coordinator ... Susan Clubine
Rehearsal Accompanists .. Dan Frizane
                      Debbie Harrison

Committees

Set Construction
  Tom Mavers
  Gary Macy
  Paul Viets
  Beryl Gross
  Linda Jensen
  Stan Myer
  Tom DeScioli
  Jo Farr
  Kathy Vining
  Bill Farless
  Roger Knop
  Lyle Springer
  Dana Gorman
  Mike Clark
  Richard Affolter
  Tom Schwartz

Props
  Leslie Coder
  Liz Reynolds
  Cheryl McClure
  Cheryl Boyer
  Cindi Sherwood
  Lori Patterson

Costumes
  Martha Allison
  Elsa Hester
  Charlene Williams
  Carole Farthing
  Peggy Worl
  Pat Neeley

Cast Party
  Wayne Sullivan
  Mary Stuckey
  Lewis Stuckey

Make-up
  Nancy Waggoner
  Laura Chandler
  Joyce Watson
  Kathi Barbi
  Joyce Smith

Hair Committee
  Connie Kahler
  Shelley Bell
  Getta Mundy

Set Painters
  Joy Barta
  Eenie Fitzpatrick
  Odie Wilson
  Kurtis Viets
  Grace Viets
  Mike Clark
  Paul Viets

Set Painters
  Roxie Schlatter
  Shanelle Deater
  Jill Warford
  Janelle Null
  Rachel Worlington
  Jo Farr
  Susan Hill
  Kathy Vining
  Anne Rasnick
  Teresa Hoffman
  Pam Hines
  Darlene Watson
  Vera Livingston
  Jose Leon
  Melanie Greaves
  Beryl Gross
  Rachel Gonzalez
  Glenna Myers
Production Staff

Steve DeFever
Producer

Sue Woods
Director

Martha Payne
Production Coordinator

Ray Rothgeb
Chorus

Don Farthing
Conductor

Sara Burke
Choreographer
Orchestra

Don Farthing — Conductor

Jan Friesen .................. Flute
Ginny Romans ................ Flute
Laurie Boyd .................. Clarinet
Mike Pearson .................. Clarinet
Don Linde .................... Oboe & English Horn
Pam McDaniel ................ Bassoon
Mark Dice .................... Trumpet I
Terry Harper ................ Trumpet II
Dale Williams ................ Trumpet III
Tom Porter ................... Horn I
Sharon Toomey ................ Horn II
John Byrne .................. Trombone II

Dan Frizane ................ Trombone II
Duane Bechtle ................ Tuba
Michael Havay ................ Violin I
Judy Jones .................. Violin II
Susan Johnson ................ Violin III
Lexie Knuth ................ Viola
Wilma Bryner ................ Cello
Phyllis Wiles ................ Cello
Carolyn Clark ................. Bass
Bob Hille .................. Percussion
Melissa Rose ................ Percussion
Stephanie Harris ............ Keyboard
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In 1927 Independence Building and Loan resources were more than $1,000,000.00

In 1930 Vivian Vance sang a blues number. She went on to co-star in "I Love Lucy" as Ethel.

Independence Savings & Loan Assoc. changed its name May 5, 1939 to First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

Who has directed the most Neewollah plays?

1960 - "The Music Man"
1962 - "Fiddler on the Roof"
1970 - "Grease"
1976 - "Grease" (revival)
1982 - "The Music Man"
1985 - "Grease"
1990 - "Grease"
1996 - "Annie"
2001 - "The Sound of Music"
2016 - "River of No Return"

Neola Hamsher of Parsons was named Queen Neelah in 1958. She was the first out of town queen.

Did you know that Roy Clark performed as a free street act in 1962, 63, 64, 65, 68 and 84?

Did you know that Neewollah was not held from 1932-34 and 1936-47, then again from 1950-57.

The total assets of First Federal Savings & Loan in 1960 were $4,862,006.

In 1963, First Federal remodeled building.

In 1964 Conway Twitty and Glen Campbell played for dances at the Sugar Shack and the 4-H building.

Who has been in the most Neewollah productions?

Tim Johnson, he has 36.

The 1975 total assets of First Federal Savings & Loan have grown to $21,232,108.

Which Governor crowned the most queens?

- Dania Brown - 1973
- Lynne Dittoe - 1974
- Leila Davila, 1947 - Ruth Phillips
- Pam Boroine, 1970 - Nancy Held
- Susan Welle - 1967 - Dina Taylor

The average house payment in October 1976 was $350.

Did you know 4 plays have been repeated? They were "Oklahoma", "The Music Man", "The Sound of Music" and "My Fair Lady".

First Federal moves into new home in 1979, our total assets now approaching $48 million strong.

Only one person has been Generalissimo 3 times. Jerry Webb.

In 1987 First Federal paid over $6,836,861 in dividends.

Our total assets now more than $103,000,000.00.

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Savings & Loan
Association

Myrtle at 8th • Independence, Kansas
Queen Neelah XLVI
Shelly Nelson
Coronation of Queen Neelah XLVII

Prelude - "IHS Strolling Strings"

Emcee Bob Farley

Contestants #1-9 presented

Selected Talent Numbers

1. 

2. 

Contestants #10-18 presented

Selected Talent Numbers

1. 

2. 

3. 

Contestants #19-26 presented

Selected Talent Numbers

1. 

2. 

3. 

INTERMISSION

Neelah Deb Dance

Farewell by Queen Neelah XLVI

Announcement of Category Winners

Miss Originality

Miss Photogenic

Miss Congeniality

Miss Fashion

Miss Beauty

Miss Personality

Miss Poise

Miss Talent

Announcement of Finalists

2nd Runner-Up

1st Runner-Up

Crowning of Queen Neelah XLVII
Our Fair Queen XLVII

Dina Baker
Judy Johnson Appliances

Tamra Baker
Westervelt, Carson & Miller

Tonya Burris
Independence Daily Reporter

Christine Cornett
ACC

Deborah Crawshaw
Crawshaw Electric

Kim Fitzpatrick
Sandy's Interiors

Monica Marple
Barbi Investment

Kristin Michaelis
Security Abstract

Lisa Montgomery
DeFever-Osborn Drugs

Sarah Peterson
Tracker Boats

Holly Stover
M-E-C Co.

Lisa Strahm
Union Gas System

Mindy Terry
Pizza Hut

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Ladies' Neelah Candidates

Kaki Borklund
Pat's Studio

Barbara Bryant
Glass House Floral

Robin Grimes
ARCO Pipe Line Co.

JoAnna Kramer
Jayhawk Cleaners

Deborah LeRoy
Captain's Chair

Kyle Maloan
Fashion Boutique

Laticia Pendleton
Dairy Queen (Neodesha)

Tamithia Powell
Caney Drugs

Susan Schwatken
K. G. & E.

Lori Stockton
Hasselmann's Florist

Carie Welch
Classic Catering

Tiffany Wetmore
Hackney & Sons

Teresa Wishall
Weinberg's Western Wear

Have an enjoyable Neewollah and a happy Halloween
Coronation Entertainers

Master of Ceremonies

Bob Farley

A native of Independence and a graduate of IHS and ICJC he was active in college and community theatre. After serving in the U.S. Army he moved to Los Angeles and landed his favorite stage role in "The Show-Off". He organized the Transamerica Occidental Players, and directed and appeared in many of their productions. He has been active in stand-up comedy theatres and for the past 15 years has performed with the Variety Arts Radio Theatre.

Strolling Strings

Judy Jones, Director

Violin — Elaine Baldwin, Bridget Hille, Aimee Knuth, Cindy Johnson, Jeannie Overfield, Cheryl Shelby
Viola — Lexie Knuth, Stacy Stevens
Cello — Mindy Blumer
String Base — Brian Council, Jeanna Rathgen

Talent Emcees

Al Cline
General Manager
KGGF Radio

Tracy Lynne
KGGF — KQQF
Coffeyville, Kansas
Coronation Entertainers

1988 Neelah Debs

Front Row
Cynthia Nelson
Betsy Watson
Julie Lair
Lora Lapen
Jennifer Hagen

Back Row
Ann Wehmeyer
Amy Brown
Teresa Wallingford
Julie Reynolds
Brandy Wood

1988 Stage Escorts

Jim Leiker
Mike O'Malley
Kevin Leeseberg
Steve Meyer
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Klar's Jewelry is giving each queen candidate a special gift.

### Pageant Judges

- **LeAnne Taylor**
- **Jack Bunds**
- **John Sanders**
Queen's Pageant

Coordinating Committee

Dr. and Mrs. Stewart Crow
Directors

Valerie DeFever
Candidates Chairman

Kathy Meyer
Publicity

Patti DeSciozi
Assistant
Candidates Chairman

Chairpersons .............. Stewart and Ann Crow
Candidates Chairman ......... Val DeFever
Assistant .................... Patty DeSciozi
Publicity Chairman ............ Kathy Meyer
Neelah Debs .............. Debbie Oakleaf, JoAnne Wilkin
Punch Party Chairman .......... Sharon Viets
Window Display Chairman ...... Patty Dick
Tea ....................... Virginia Hedquist
Madeline Tweedie, Barb Wilkin
Talent ..................... Sharon Paugh
Brunch ..................... Charlotte Muse
Reception-Dance ............. Dianne Lovett
Coronation Production ........ Rachel Torbett
David Torbett

Coronation Construction and
Hand Props ........ Colleen and Keith Confer
Glenda and Larry Pendleton
Luncheon ................. Jody Kawulok
Judges Committee .......... Patsy Boulanger
Queen's Committees

Neelah Debs
Jo Ann Wilkins, Debbie Oakleaf
Co-Chairman

Coronation Production
Glenna Pendleton, Coleen Confer, Rachel Torbett, Co-Chairman; Phyllis Hawkins, David Torbett, Co-Chairman; Keith Confer, Larry Pendleton
(Not pictured) Charles Hawkins, Terry and Kim Emert, Bonnie Tucker

Talent
Front—Dee Dee Schabel, Betty Sue Lair, Debbie Wetmore
Back—Sharon Paugh, Chairman; Jean Lundt
(Not pictured) Barbara Taylor

Queen's Tea
Virginia Headquist, Chairman; Barb Wilkin, Babs Shephard
(Not pictured) Madeline Tweedie
Queen’s Committees

Luncheon
Jan Leupold, Connie Weibe, Vava Sayers, Jackie Kawulok, Jodi Kawulok, Chairman; Cheryl Arnwine, Marge Rodrick
(Not pictured) Sheila Thompson, Laurie Lewis

Punch Party
Sharon Viets, Glenna Myers, Deana Sanders, Roberta DeVore, Jackie Layton, Chairman

Reception — Dance
Mary Hugo, Diane Lovett, Chairman, Greta Moore, Jean Leedy, Mary Beth Peterson, Brenda Brown
(Not pictured) Elaine Read

Brunch
Debbi Head, Jana Taylor, Charlotte Muse, Chairman; Davi Borklund, Phyllis Higgins
Queen's Committees

Window Displays
Peggy O'Malley, Staci Pollock, Margi Hadley, Jennifer Hugo, Mary Muninger, Patty Dick, Chairman
(Not pictured) Pam Hines and Sharon Lewis

Judges Committee
Patsy Boulanger, Chairman; Billie Coble, Marsha Pasternak
(Not pictured) Lisa Uttinger

Summer Socials
Carol Baker, Staci Pollock, Jennifer Hugo, Sherri Hill, Sharon Thompson, Cyndy Sherwood, Barbara Schmidt, Greta Moore
(Not pictured) Cheryl Killins, Terry Jones, Lisa Uttinger, Lynn Bryant, Terry Cain, Angela Wester, Jaci Hafner
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The Bellamy Brothers

David and Howard Bellamy were born in Darby, Florida and through their father gained a solid country background in addition to pop and rock influences. Their first big break came in 1974, when Jim Stafford recorded David's song "Spiders and Snakes". Two years later Howard and David had their own hit, "Let Your Love Flow", which went to Number One in the pop charts. "If I Said You Had A Beautiful Body Would You Hold It Against Me" was the first of the Bellamy Brothers' 12 Number One Country singles.

Their new album on MCA Records, Crazy From The Heart, shows their musical tastes that range from country blues to rock and roll to pop balladry.
History of Neewollah

In October 1919, the townspeople of Independence decided to do something about the young people raising havoc on Halloween night. They decided to hold a parade with floats in order to get the youth involved in something constructive. Everyone had such a good time it was determined to make it an annual event.

In 1920, it was called the Mardi Gras of the Midwest. In 1921, a contest was held to find a name for the celebration. Mrs. Hart Goodloe, wife of an Independence physician, won the contest with the name Neewollah.

The first queen’s contest was held in 1923 and she was named Queen Neelah. Neewollah continued until 1931 when due to the depression it was discontinued.

In 1935 it was tried again, but was a financial failure due to lack of interest.

Neewollah was revived again in 1948 and 1949, but was not financially successful and that was thought to be the end of Neewollah.

One day in 1958, Jerry Webb and Jim Halsey, old school friends, were sitting in DeFever-Osborn drug store and they decided to revive Neewollah. Jim Halsey lined up some entertainment and Jerry Webb raised some money. Little did people know in 1958 Jim Halsey would go on to become the most successful country and western manager in the United States.

The Kiddie Parade was started in 1958, the play, “Picnic”, by hometown celebrity, William Inge, was performed at Memorial Hall. The celebration lasted three days with Jim Halsey bringing in some free street acts, one being a young unknown named Roy Clark.

Over the past 30 years, 1958 to 1988, Neewollah has grown into a week long celebration and the largest celebration in Kansas. The people of Independence and Southeast Kansas are to be thanked for their commitment each year to the success of NEEWOLLAH.

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1961 Annie Get Your Gun
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1958 Neola Hamsher
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1966 Rosemary Sicks
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- 5:00 p.m. | Sam Bidwell, Wichita, KS — Now Music and Country
- 6:00 p.m. | Nisha Elkins, 13 year old from Lumberto, TX
  (formerly Neodesha) — Now Music
- 7:00 | Sooner Revue, Music Country USA, Grove, OK — Variety Acts, Music All Styles
- 7:45 p.m. | Independence Community College, Independence, KS — Variety/Music
- 8:45 p.m. | Surprise Guest

**Saturday, October 29**
- 9:00 a.m. | Dallas Darling, Wichita, KS — Body Builder, Feats of Strength
- 9:45 a.m. | Rebecca Jim, Vinita, OK — Indian Dancers
- 1:00 p.m. | Sooner Revue, Music Country USA, Grove, OK — Variety/Music
- 2:00 p.m. | Kendra Lee, Tulsa, OK — Country Music
- 3:00 p.m. | VIP, Colorado Springs, CO — Variety Music
- 4:00 p.m. | Shanna Lynette & Desperado, Girard, KS — Country Music
- 6:00 p.m. | Harvest, Independence, KS — Now/Country
- 7:00 p.m. to open | Surprise Guest
- 8:00 p.m. | Born Again, Independence, KS — Religious

Frisbees Throw each night and Saturday, some with money attached.

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**T-Box Convenience Store**
- 6 a.m. - Midnight Daily
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Can You Guess??

1. Queen (________________________) Name
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2. How Many Past Queens Can You Name
   ________________________________________

3. Camelot Stars _______________________

4. Which Neelah Deb became Queen 2 years later ______

5. Kiddie Parade and who
   ________________________________________
**Neewollah Program**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30**

"PICNIC" on stage Memorial Hall starring HAL HAMLTON (from CBS TV's serial "As The World Turns") all seats reserved, curtain 8 pm.

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31**

QUEEN CORONATION & STAGE SHOW Memorial Hall 8 pm. Crowning of Queen Neelaeh XVII by Capt. George Ducking, Stage show presented by CHARLIE SPYK & His Famous Orchestra.

QUEEN'S BALL 10 pm until 1 am Civic Center Ballroom with CHARLIE SPYK & His Orchestra.

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1**

10 am SPANKEY MACFARLAND KOVT & Our Gang Comedy Team will lead this year's GIANTIC MASH-GUARD PARADE thru the downtown streets of Independence.

11 am FREE SHOW Corner PENN & LAUREL, HUBERT CASTLE, World's Famed All-Night-Horse Artist will perform on his800-foot long middle of the street! HUBERT will be back for two more free shows during the day.

1 pm FOOTBALL INDEPENDENCE COMMUNITY COLLEGE vs. HUTCHINSON JR. COLLEGE, RIVERSIDE STADIUM, DON'T MISS THIS!

1:30 pm FREE SHOW HUBERT CASTLE back for 30 minutes of more brevity-thrills on the tightrope. CORNER PENN & LAUREL.

2:30 pm FREE SHOW HANK THOMPSON & His Brutus Valley Boys, America's No. 1 Western Band will swing out with Western Style Music for a 30 minute free show at the corner of PENN & MYRTLE on the ROCK ISLAND BANDSTAND. HANK will do all of his big recording hits... DON'T MISS HIM!! More later, too!

2:30 pm SPORTS CAR DEMONSTRATION on BLOCK N. PENN.

3 pm FREE SHOW Famous JAY MCMAHAN and his Orch., featuring RCA Victor recording artist JIMMY WITHERSPOON to 45 minute free show at the corner of PENN & MYRTLE on the ROCK ISLAND BANDSTAND.

4 pm MAMMGHTH NEEWOLLAH PARADE! This is the main event that everybody has been waiting for. OVER 40 units long, with colorful floats, bands, drwm corps, drill teams, antique cars, beautiful queens, novelty units and saddle clubs... OVER 2,000 taking part!

6 pm FREE SHOW More of HUBERT CASTLE's spectacular work on the tight rope. He is the world's greatest and don't miss him.

6:30 pm FREE SHOW HANK THOMPSON & BAND back for some more rocking Western Style music that has made this troubadour world famous and helped him sell over 20 million phonograph records.

8 pm NEEWOLLAH ROYALITIES OF '58 starring VAUGHN McROOEE, JOHNNY LONG & HIS ORCHESTRA & FOUR TOP TV ARTISTS On Stage Memorial Hall with all seats reserved.

9 pm 'till 1 JAY MCMAHAN-JIMMY WITHERSPOON DANCE... PHYS. ED. BLOOM, Assailed of King's Men Club.

10 pm TWO BIG DANCES IN MEMORIAL HALL VAUGHN McROOEE-JOHNNY LONG ORCHESTRA, IN THE Civic CENTER Ballroom, BIG WESTERN DANCE with HANK THOMPSON & HIS BRASS VALLEY BOYS, MEMORIAL HALL UPSTAIRS BALLROOM, FREE ALL DAY LONG... BURNS-WORTH CIRCUS, in miniature, CORNER PENN & MAIN.

Miss Neola Hamsher of Parsons, representing that city's American Legion Post, ruled over Saturday's Neewollah celebration after being crowned Queen Neelaeh XVII on Friday night. Miss Hamsher has the honor of being the first out of town Neelaeh to be chosen.

(Reporter Photo)

**Carnival Sets Up Eight Rides Here**

Everybody comes to Neewollah, even a carnival passing through on its way to Joplin decided to stay for the celebration. The Thomas Shows, owned and managed by R. B. Thomas, Lennox, S. D., have set up eight rides on Locust Street between Penn and Eighth.

The rides are operating this afternoon and will open Saturday about 9:30 or 10 a.m. a Thomas Shows spokesman stated.

The rides include a rock-n-plane, dodge-em-cars, ferris wheel, octopus, kiddie cars and tanks, helicopter and merry-go-round.

**Neewollah Parades**

10 A.M. - 4 P.M. Saturday

**Estimate 60,000 Jam City**

4:00 p.m. FREE MAMMOTH NEEWOLLAH PARADE

Queens - Beautiful Floats - Marching Units - Over 30 Bands
ACC "Witches" You A Happy Halloween and A "Spook-tacular" Neewollah . . .
Neewollah 1988
Schedule of Events

Friday, October 21
   My Fair Lady
   Memorial Hall — 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 22
   Neewollah Run “88”
   1-Mile Walk — 10:00 a.m.
   Riverside Park
   5K TAC Certified Run — 10:30 a.m.
   Laser Light Show — 7:00 p.m.
   My Fair Lady
   Memorial Hall — 7:30 p.m.

Monday, October 24
   Queen’s Talent
   Memorial Hall — 6:30 p.m.
   Laser Light Show — 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 25
   Queen’s Coronation
   Memorial Hall — 7:30 p.m.
   Laser Light Show — 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 26
   Opening Night of Carnival
   Great Pumpkin Contest
   Street Acts

Thursday, October 27
   Ray Price
   Memorial Hall — 7:30 p.m.
   Laser Light Show — 7:00 p.m.

Friday, October 28
   Kiddie Parade
   from Memorial Hall — 4:00 p.m.
   Street Acts
   Laser Light Show — 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 29
   Grand Parade — 11:00 a.m.
   Street Acts
   Janie Frickie &
   The Bellamy Brothers
   Memorial Hall — 7:30 & 10:00 p.m.
   Laser Light Show — 7:00 p.m.

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