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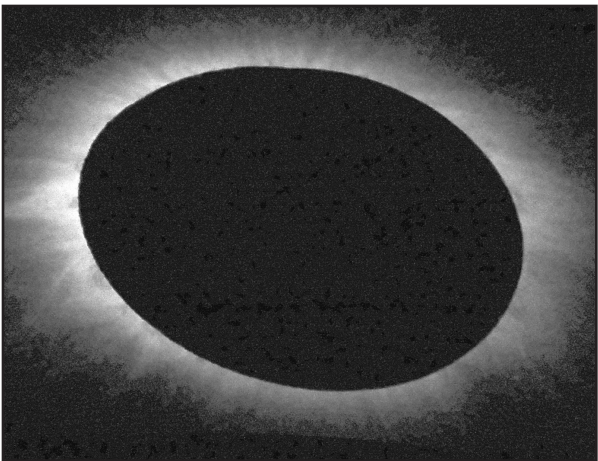
Science fair attendees experience eclipse

Colorful constellations lit up the sky inside the Edgerton Explorit Center's portable planetarium when it was set up in the auditorium of Stapleton Schools, Monday evening, February 27, to coincide with the science/history fair. Student exhibits were on display in the Bronco Room and members of the 2017 Total Solar Eclipse on the Range committee served hot dogs and desserts. Lunch proceeds went into the eclipse fund.

Several groups were able to experience what they can expect during a total solar eclipse. The planetarium is capable not only of showing the daytime and nighttime sky, but also prerecorded full dome planetarium shows.

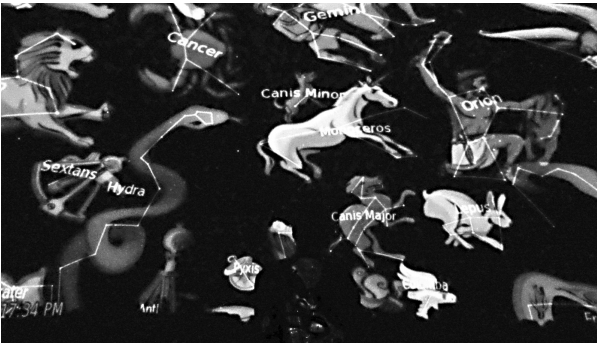
Images are projected using a video system equipped with a fish-eye lens. The planetarium is part of a series of educational activities and events centered around the August 21, 2017 total solar eclipse, the path of which crosses Nebraska.

"Interest in the eclipse will be incredibly high and we want to make sure people are ready for it," said Edgerton educator and "mad scientist" Dan Glomski.

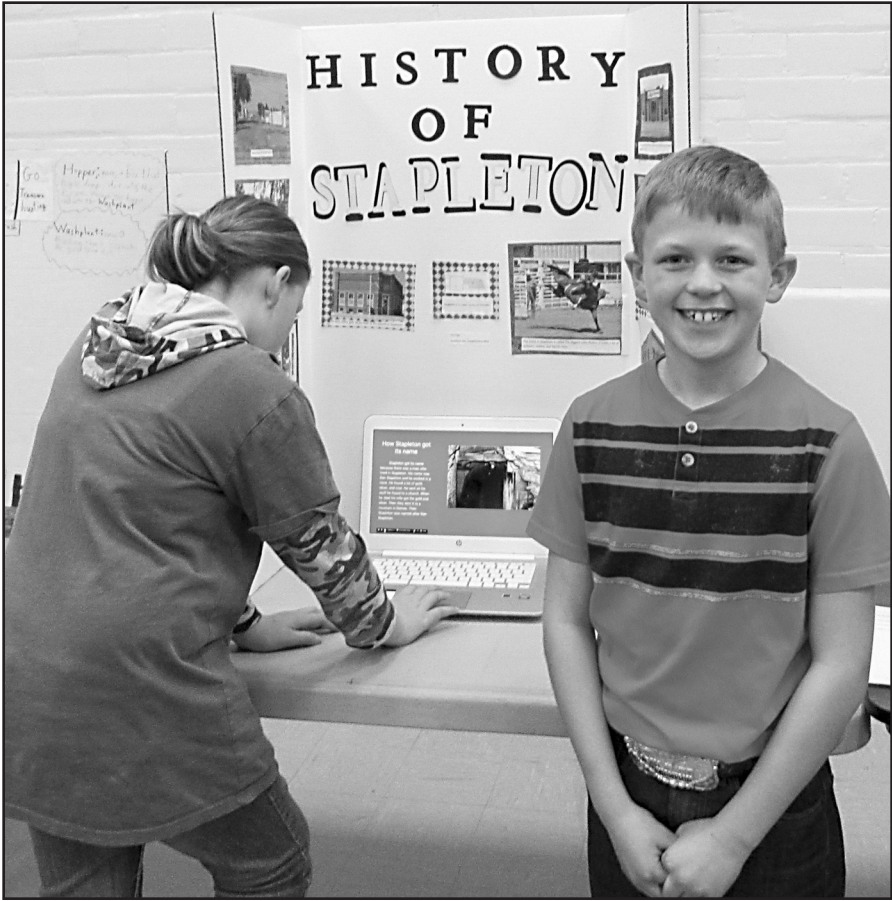


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What to expect during the 2017 Total Solar Eclipse was shared inside the portable planetarium when the Edgerton Explorit Center came to Stapleton.



Constellations were identified and colorful images helped viewers with names when viewing the night sky. Some of the best star gazing can be found here in the wide-open spaces of the Sandhills.



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Cayson Johnston's "History of Stapleton" exhibit was well received at Stapleton Public School's science/history fair held Monday evening, February 27, in the Bronco Room. Students showed creativity and hard work in a variety of projects on display for the public. Additional students are featured inside this issue on the "What's Happening At Stapleton Public Schools" page.



Daylight Savings
Time Begins
Sunday, March 12

Cooperative Grocery Store Opens March 12

Groceries will be back in Stapleton with the opening of the Stapleton Cooperative Market & Deli. A sneak preview will be held Sunday, March 12, from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m., at which time everyone is invited to enjoy refreshments and check out the newly revamped grocery store. You will be able to purchase groceries during the "sneak preview."

The store will be open full service hours on Monday, March 13. Hours are 9:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday; 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Saturdays; and 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. on Sundays.

Amanda Weems has been hired as the new manager. She and her husband, Clayton, live south of Stapleton with their two children, Baily, four, and Coye, one. Several employees have been hired to assist in the store.

The reopening of the former Main Street Market & Deli has been a 14-month undertaking. Jim Crandall, Associate Director of the UNL Nebraska Cooperative Development Center came

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Stapleton Cooperative Market & Deli manager, Amanda Weems, with the first load of groceries for the store that will be reopening in Stapleton.

Stapleton & McPherson County discuss Jr. High sports cooperative

Informational meetings to discuss a junior high sports cooperative between Stapleton and McPherson County were held February 27 in Stapleton and March 2 in Tryon.

McPherson County and Stapleton administrators and activity directors have met this year and discussed the benefits of working together on junior high sports.

The enrollment in

Grades 7-8 next year at McPherson County will include five boys and six girls making it difficult to field a team even with bringing up the sixth graders to play.

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25-year employee honored on retirement

Janet Boeser, 25-year employee, was honored on her retirement with an open house on her last day of work, Tuesday, February 28, at the Country Partners location south of Stapleton.

Janet started working for the Logan County Cooperative in October of 1991 under manager, Dennis Herbaugh. She has also worked under manager, Dale Holibaugh. Logan County Co-Op became CPI in February of 2012 and was purchased by Country Partners in September of 2016. Jason Faling is the current manager. She has worked side-by-side with Janet Barnum in the office for the past 15 years.

Janet was working part-time at the Bank of Stapleton, Logan County Courthouse and the Logan County Co-Op when she was offered a full time position at Co-Op. She accepted and has been there ever since.

"Technology is definitely the biggest change that I've seen here," Janet said. "I'm going to miss working at the co-op, but it's going to be fun being able to spend time in my garden. I have enjoyed my co-workers, board of directors and managers over the years, and certainly the customers. This is what I'm really going to miss."



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Janet Boeser was honored with a retirement party Tuesday, February 28, at her last day of work at Country Partners. Boeser has been employed at the cooperative for 25 years.

Along with adding a bigger garden spot, Janet will have more time to spend with her family. Husband, Vern, is owner of Boeser's Construction. Their three sons and their families live close by. Bernie and wife, Audrey, live in North Platte. They have three children, Trig, Penny and Cecelia. Luke and Tara live west of Stapleton. They have two children, Avery and Tate. Chaney and Roni are at Callaway with their two children, Quinton and Taygen. Amber Webster of Sta-

pleton has been hired as parttime help in the office. Her fiancé, Mitch Tatman, works on the railroad and they have three children. Abilene, 7, is a first grader at Stapleton Public Schools. Dalton is four and Raymond, three. The family purchased the house of Audrey and the late Art French and closed on it in December. Amber is the daughter of Marie and Layne Pyzer of North Platte, and the granddaughter of Robert Kramer of Stapleton.

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