

**TASTE OF CHINA**  
 SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 10 AM - 2 PM  
 EAST IN THE COUNTRY HOTEL

**CELEBRATE ALL VETERANS DAY**  
 Saturday - Eat, Drink & Be Merry at the 10th Annual Veterans Day Dinner at the Grand Hyatt  
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**Ground Hog Supper at Emeritus at Liberal Springs**

Ground Hog Supper at Emeritus at Liberal Springs. The event is a fundraiser for the Liberal Springs Community Center. The supper will be held on Saturday, February 1st, at 6:00 PM. The menu includes a variety of delicious dishes. Tickets are available for purchase. For more information, contact the Liberal Springs Community Center.

**Students to 'blast disasters' at LEGO expo Saturday**

Air museum hosts free event. Students will be able to build their own disaster relief projects. The event is free and open to the public. It will be held at the Air Museum on Saturday, January 25th. The museum is located at 1000 W. 10th St. in Liberal, KS. For more information, visit the Air Museum's website.

**Liberal's Stanley Wilbers dies from injuries suffered in Wednesday morning crash**

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**Construction start-up on 63 homes set for June**

Housing includes duplexes, single-family homes. Page 6A

**Optima, Okla., awarded REAP Grant to rehabilitate water well**

Optima, Okla., awarded REAP Grant to rehabilitate water well. The grant will be used to fund the rehabilitation of a water well in the town of Optima. The well is currently in poor condition and needs to be repaired. The grant is part of the Rural Economic Assistance Program (REAP). For more information, contact the town of Optima.



**Massive pileup on I-94 kills 3, more than 20 hurt**

A massive pileup on I-94 near Liberal, Kansas, resulted in three fatalities and more than 20 injuries. The accident occurred on Friday, January 24th, at approximately 10:30 AM. The cause of the accident is still under investigation. The Kansas Highway Patrol is currently investigating the crash. For more information, visit the Kansas Highway Patrol's website.



**Herb Alpert's totem sculptures on display in NYC**

Herb Alpert's totem sculptures are on display in New York City. The sculptures are part of a collection of totem poles that Alpert has created. They are currently on display at the Museum of Modern Art in New York City. The sculptures are made of wood and represent various animals and figures. For more information, visit the Museum of Modern Art's website.