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### Center Valley Dist. # 12

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# COUNTRY SCHOOL LEGACY: Humanities on the Frontier

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## HISTORIC SITE FORM

State Nebraska County Arthur

Location (in miles & direction from nearest town) 15 miles East of Arthur

Is this the original location? No

Name of building & origin of name \_\_\_\_\_

Name & number of the district Centervally Dist #012

Date built 8-1958 Years in use \_\_\_\_\_

Who built it? A contractor or the community?

Does it look like it came from a plan book or was it designed by the community? By community

Names of former teachers: Pat Vinton, Harold Steinhilber, Ola Miller, Dorothy Pueppka, Jacquelyn Johnson, Bernice Fejt, Karol Cooney, Charles Enyat, Margaret Kostman

Names of former students (family names only): Don Thompson, Bob Sizer's, Mitchells, Knotts, Markeson's, Cullinan's, Mc Nutts, Dalip Brown's, Griffis, Pueppka's, Arensdorf's, Strong's, Johnson's, Karp, Stowers, Sage's, Reichenberg

Name & address of person in charge of building: Board members of District 012, Ken Reichenberg, Mary Fran Stover

Who is the owner? School Dist. 012



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COUNTRY SCHOOL LEGACY HISTORIC SITE FORM

Architectural Features:

Size of building \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Windows (four pane, six pane, etc.) 7-

Number of doors (entrances) two

Number of classrooms two

Bell tower or cupola no

Materials used (wood, brick, stone, etc.) Steel

Type of roof Steel

Outhouses no - Cave &

Playground Equipment Slide, Swings, teeter totter

Color of building & trim steel gray

Coal shed or stable yes

Teacherage no

Flagpole yes

Other architectural features: none

Anything left inside? no

Narrative Information: Did any special events happen at the school? What stories do people remember?

*It was built on a school section <sup>without permission</sup>. Later the board had to condemn the land to get use it or move the school house.*

Current condition & use: Good condition -

District records available: yes  no \_\_\_\_\_ where stored \_\_\_\_\_

Black & white photo taken: yes  no \_\_\_\_\_

Old photos available: yes  no \_\_\_\_\_

Does the building have any state or national historic designation?

Name & address of surveyor part McPherson Co & part Arthur Co. date \_\_\_\_\_