

# Cheylin swim team takes first place in home meet

Thirty energetic swimmers have been getting up at the break of dawn and practicing very hard for the past two weeks. The hard practice and dedication paid off for them as they won their first meet of the season. It was also their home meet at the Bird City Pool on Tuesday, June 10. Members, parents and community members all pitched in to make the meet a success. The meet had been postponed from the previous Saturday due to very cold and unseasonable temperatures. The weather was beautiful on Tuesday and the Bird City swimmers finished the meet in first place with 341 points. The second place winner was Imperial with 325 pts., followed by Atwood with 312 pts. and in fourth place Benkelman had 305 pts. Individual meet results are as follows:

**Long Freestyle:** Stephanie Busse, 8/under girls, first place, 1:06.7, Ty Carmichael, 8/under boys, third place, 1:32.5, Teryn Carmichael, 9/10 girls, second place, 53.27, Whitney Churchwell, 9/10 girls, fifth place, 57.20, Craig Busse, 9/10 boys, third place, 1:00.8, Ethan Young, 9/10 boys, fourth place, 1:01.72, Taylor Leibbrandt, 11/12 boys, first place, 1:33.43, Caleb Baker, 11/12 boys, fourth place, 1:52.29 and Brandi Moore, 19/over women, first place, 1:20.9.

**Butterfly:** Taylor Leibbrandt, 11/12 boys, first place, 1:02.45, Sara Moore, 15-18 girls, first place, 39:8 and Kori Underwood, 15-18 girls, second place, 42:27.

**Backstroke:** Stephanie Busse, 8/under girls, third place, 33:38, Ty Carmichael, 8/under boys, second place, 44:8, Teryn Carmichael, 9/10 girls, fourth place, 32:33, Whitney Churchwell, 9/10 girls, third place,

29:90, Ethan Young, 9/10 boys, fifth place, 35:20, Sydney Busse, 11/12 girls, fourth place, 53:10, Nikki Johnson, sixth place, 56:40, Colleen Shrader, 13/14 girls, third place, 50:76, Alexis Weishapl, 13/14 girls, second place, 50:40, Kori Underwood, 15-18 girls, first place, 42:39, Brandi Moore, 19/over girls, first place, 41:9, Tina Sager, 30/over women, first place, 28:08 and Ron Roberts, 30/over men, second place, 23:95.

**Breaststroke:** Teryn Carmichael, 9/10 girls, second place, 32:83, Tia Sager, 11/12 girls, first place, 47:23, Sydney Busse, 11/12 girls, fourth place, 56:60, Nikki Johnson, 11/12 girls, sixth place, 58:3, Caleb Baker, 11/12 boys, second place, 1:02.3, Alexis Weishapl, 13/14 girls, sixth place, 1:02.7, Afton Krien, 15-18 girls, first place, 49:39, Andy Smith, 15-18 boys, third place, 49:9, Tina Sager, 30/over women, first place, 29:5, Dawn Miller, 30/over women, third place, 31:4 and Ron Roberts, 30/over men, second place, 25:26.

**Short Freestyle:** Forrest Burr, 8/under, fourth place, 31:35, Jessie Smith, 8/under girls, sixth place, 33:10, Ty Carmichael, 8/under boys, sixth place, 37:4, Whitney Churchwell, 9/10 girls, fourth place, 24:9, Ethan Young, 9/10 boys, fourth place, 24:8, Craig Busse, 9/10 boys, sixth place, 27:4, Tia Baker, 11/12 girls, second place, 38:83, Sydney Busse, 11/12 girls, fifth place, 43:8, Taylor Leibbrandt, 11/12 boys, first place, 42:60, Caleb Baker, 11/12 boys, sixth place, 48:11, Colleen Shrader, 13/14 girls, first place, 38:49, Sara Moore, 15-18 girls, first place, 35:25, Andy Smith, 15-18 boys, fourth place, 36:9, Brandi Moore, 19/over girls,

first place, 34:97, Sarah Smith, 30/over women, first place, 18:08, Dawn Miller, 30/over women, second place, 19:6 and Ron Roberts, 30/over men, second place, 20:0.

**Individual Medley:** Stephanie Busse, 8/under girls, first place, 1:19.99, Forrest Burr, 8/under girls, second place, 1:26.56, Jacquelyn Ketzner, 9/10 girls, sixth place, 1:38.8, Tia Sager, 11/12 girls, first place, 1:40.51, Taylor Leibbrandt, 11/12 boys, first place, 2:11.14, Colleen Shrader, 13/14 girls, third place, 1:50.8, Sara Moore, 15-18 girls, first place, 1:34.1 and Kori Underwood, 15-18 girls, second place, 1:38.77.

**Medley Relays:** Stephanie Busse, Catlin Wright, Montana Rhymes and Sydney Busse, 11/12 girls, second place, 1:37.08, Alexis Weishapl, Tia Sager, Colleen Shrader and Nikki Johnson, 13/14 girls, third place, 1:22.85, Andy Smith, Ethan Young, Taylor Leibbrandt and Caleb Baker, 15-18 boys, first place, 1:41.03, Brandi Moore, Sara Moore, Kori Underwood and Afton Krien, 19/over girls, first place, 1:15.1.

**Free Relays:** Teryn Carmichael, Forrest Burr, Jacquelyn Ketzner and Whitney Churchwell, 9/10 girls, third place, 2:01.3, Stephanie Busse, Montana Rhymes, Catlin Wright and Sydney Busse, 11/12 girls, second place, 1:30.57, Caleb Baker, Taylor Leibbrandt, Ty Carmichael and Andy Smith, 15-18 boys, first place, 1:39.03, Brandi Moore, Kori Underwood, Afton Krien and Sara Moore, 19/over girls, first place, 1:07.1 and Tina Sager, Sarah Smith, Dawn Miller and Shayna Johnson, 30/over women, first place, 2:01.26.



A GROUP OF FARMERS tour the test plot at Wheat Field Day held on Wednesday.

## Wheat in county looks good

By Karen Krien

Roger Stockton, Kansas State University agronomist, met with a group of farmers on Wednesday for the county wheat tour. At the test wheat field, he said this was the 27th plot he had looked at this year and the wheat was looking good. However, he also warned that there was rust present.

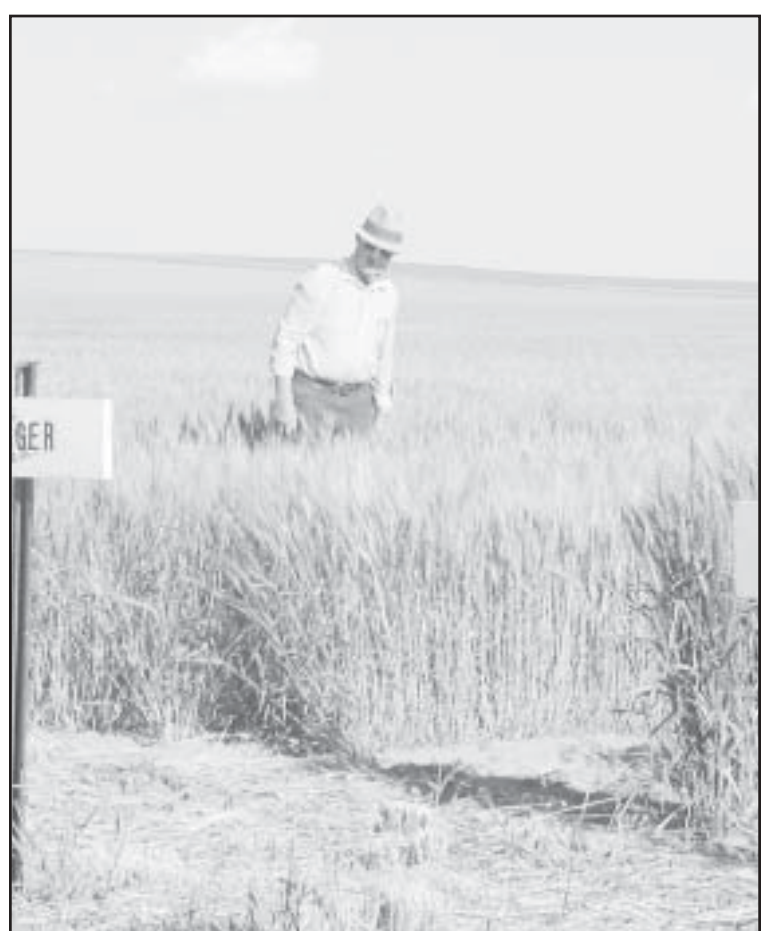
He said that the cool temperatures in the last few weeks has helped the wheat to mature but there was damage from the two days of 100-degree temperatures especially in certain varieties. The moisture has also helped the wheat crop and there was no comparison to last year's crop which suffered with drought.

Mr. Stockton was concerned about the stripe and leaf rust which was present at the wheat test plot. He said that stripe rust shows up about every 50 years but this time, it is present for the second year in a row. He pointed out that the rust could be found in certain types of wheat such as Trego, Karl 92 and 2137.

He is looking for good yields in the wheat crop this year.

Mr. Stockton recommended hybrid seed, and noted that Jagalene, a cross between Jagger and Abilene, is looking good everywhere he had been. He said that this cross was resistant to both stripe and leaf rust as well as being mosaic resistant. This seed will be available this fall and he expected it to go fast.

Another variety that he had seen doing well was Thunderbolt which is crossed with Tam 107.



BOB BRUBAKER walks through the different various wheat.

He said that this seed was disease resistant, a good baking wheat and high yields. He expects to see Tam 107 retired.

### New test wheat plot

This was the first year that John Keller had planted the test plots. He said that it was about three times more work than he thought it would be. The plot was located about a mile east of Wheeler along

U.S. 36.

Mr. Stockton thanked Mr. Keller as well as Bill and Gary Leach who had hosted the wheat plots for many years.

This fall, Mr. Stockton is offering to put in no-till wheat test plots. He will do the planting on the producers test plot.

# AUCTION

Saturday, June 28, 2003--11:00 CDT

Sale Site: Bird City Legion Hall-Bird City, KS

### ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES

Redwing jars 2, 3, 4; Harrison crock bowl; 3 gal. salt glaze churn; 1 gal. jug; USA bean pot; Dobbs mixing bowl; Harrison crock bowl (3 towns represented); Oak buffet with Queen Anne legs (real nice); (3) slate boards; 1909 shaving razor; 1937 Celluloid dresser set (mirror, brush, comb); (2) Beam's whiskey decanter (never been opened); Western Electric Co. telephone; picture & frames; Alladin B Beehive lamp; Hull L4 6 1/2" vase (excellent); Barn lanterns; antique tools; Dazey butter churn; End of Trail picture; Horse collar & harness; pitcher pump; Structo toy fire truck, auto transport, grader, & livestock semi; Hubley toy dump truck, wrecker & stake bed; Misc. metal toys; shoe lasts; cream cans; old wagon; fly rod & equipment; tinker toys; sewing box; traps; wooden nail keg; pelouze store scale; 1950's toy musket cap gun; carrom board; oil lamps; advertising pen collection; Cat's Meow Village (10 yr. collection); Home interior Christmas animals; Home interior sticking hangers; other misc. home interior items; collection of dolls.

### FURNITURE & DISHES

Queen bed with Hollywood frame and mattress & box springs; Hickory Lane sofa & matching chair; Large entertainment center; kitchen table; (2) heavy duty metal office desks; round table; (2) wing chairs; Twin bed & mattress; vitamaster air exercise bike; Denise Austin Lean machine; Sportscraft air hockey table; metal shelving; 4 display cabinets; wall shelves; (2) wicker hampers; green depression; gold rimmed glasses; misc. dish sets.

### APPLIANCES

Coronado chest freezer; console stereo with record player; RCA console T.V.; RCA T.V.; Emerson VCR.

### YARD & GARDEN

Murray 18hp riding mower 46" deck (very good); '02 Toro Wheel Horse Recycler 12.5hp 32" dek, rear bagger (like new); Murray puch mower; Snapper self-propelled mower.

- 16'x8'x7' high covered utility trailer
- 8' Overhead Camper

### MISCELLANEOUS

14" tires & rims; measuring wheel with gauge; outdoor lights; picture frames; decorating greenery; records; Misc. kitchen supplies; Misc. jewelry; single speed boys bicycle; misc. christmas decorations.

Auctioneer's Note: We have a nice selection of antiques collectibles, and miscellaneous. This is a partial listing. Many more items are expected. we will be taking consignments up till sale day. **Lunch will be served.**

## Rambat Auction

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## South of McDonald By Sandy Binning

### Introducing

Mark and Marilee Gundlach, of Denton, Texas, are proud to announce the birth of their son, Seth Allen. He was born Sunday, June 15 at Denton Regional Hospital weighing six lbs. and was seventeen inches long. Maternal grandparents are Lynn and Rita Officer of McDonald and paternal grandparents are Bruce and Nancy Gundlach of Flower Mound, Texas. Great grandparents are Eunice Officer of McDonald, Donna Walker of Irving, Tex., Lorraine Newlin of Lewisville, Tex. and Betty Dewey of Seward.

Rod, Lisa and Josh Johnson attended the Chase County Junior Beef Classic at Imperial, Neb June 14 where Josh was a participant and

earned the honor of being the top Junior Beef Showman.

Debbie and Kathy Banister attended the Dickman Family Reunion in Grinnell Saturday.

Steve and Kathy Heiman and Sarah were Saturday overnight and Sunday dinner guests of George and Kathy Banister and family.

Amanda Banister returned home late Friday from Girls State.

George and Kathy Banister attended Debbie's softball games Tuesday and Thursday.

Kelly Basnett was a Tuesday through Thursday guest of Debbie Banister.

Dean Bruning of Robinson was a weekend guest of Jerry and Sandy Binning and sons.

Joe Kramer spent a few days in Ozawkie with his parents, WA and

Ellen Kramer.

Lavern Goltl was taken to the Goodland Hospital Friday. He is now a patient there.

Barbara Reib and Karyn Retilo of Denver were weekend guests of Bethel Goltl. They attended some of the Ochsner Reunion in St. Francis.

Lynn and Rita Officer and Eunice Officer were in Great Bend Friday through Sunday. They attended a family Bridal Shower for Erin Brandt.



## DOWNTOWN repair & auto sales



1998 GMC Z71 4x4, Extended Cab (Third Doors) Pewter, Cloth Seats, Loaded, 56,000 miles



1999 Chrysler Sirius LXI, 4-Door; Leather Seats, Loaded, Pewter, 51,000 miles



1999 Dodge Ram 4x4, Black/Silver; 5-Speed, Regular Cab, Loaded, 93,000 miles, Clean Truck



1998 Chevy 4x4, Extended Cab, Navy, Loaded, 77,000 miles



1996 Bonneville SE, 4-Door, Black, Loaded, 93,000 miles, Super Clean!



1998 Chevy Monte Carlo Z34, Maroon, Leather Seats, Loaded, 79,000 miles, Great Buy!



1997 Ford Thunderbird, V8, Silver, Sun Roof, Cloth Seats, Loaded, 77,000 miles, Excellent Condition!



2000 Pontiac Monte Carlo, Midnight Blue, Loaded; 2-Door, 41,000 miles, Beautiful Car!



1990 Chevy Z71 4x4, Regular Cab, You won't find a nicer '90 model pickup!

We Also Have These Two Mini-Vans!



1996 Ford Windstar \$2,650



1993 Pewter Dodge Grand Caravan \$2,250