

Bulletin Board

Preschool screening

Cheylin School District, in conjunction with Early Childhood Services staff, will be sponsoring hearing, vision, language and developmental screening for all children from birth to school age, on Wednesday, March 17. Though children entering kindergarten next fall must participate, parents are encouraged to bring all children not already in school.

The screenings are free of charge but appointments are needed and can be made by calling Cheylin Elementary School at (785) 734-2351.

Hospital board

The Cheyenne County Hospital Board will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, March 18 in the clinic basement.

Cheyenne County Commissioners

The Cheyenne County Commissioners will meet at 8 a.m. Monday in the commissioner's room at the courthouse.

Sappa Valley Shootout

The Sappa Valley Shootout Youth 3-on-3 basketball tournament will be held in Oberlin on Saturday, April 17 for students in grades three through 10. Entry fees are due to Sue Glodt by Wednesday, April 7. For more information or registration forms, contact Glodt at (785) 475-3383 or Barbara Olson at 475-3602 or 475-7015.

St. Patrick's Day celebration
Diamond R and the Association to Benefit Cheyenne County are having a St. Patrick's Day celebration and new member drive beginning at 6 p.m. on March 17.

AARP

AARP will meet at 2 p.m. March 11 at the senior citizen center. Roll call will be your favorite color. The program will be by Brent Rueb on the new paint store.

Hostess will be Ilene Raile. All are welcome.

Silent Witness Exhibit

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter in conjunction with Fort Hays State University, Decatur County Stand Against Violence and Logan County Stand Against Violence are cosponsoring the State of Kansas Silent Witness Exhibit. The Exhibit consists of 12 red, life-size Kansas victim silhouettes. The story of how each of their lives ended violently at the hands of their husband, ex-husband or intimate partner is displayed on the silhouettes.

The exhibit will be at Fort Hays State University March 15 through the 19th; in Oberlin at the Gateway March 22 through the 24th and in Oakley at the high school on March 25.

The goals of the Silent Witness Exhibit are remembering (to honor the women who were murdered in acts of domestic violence), awareness (to raise the awareness in our communities of the extent of domestic violence), advocacy (to help connect the public with local resources for ending the violence in their lives) and legislation (to encourage community and legislative action to end the violence in our society).

Additional information may be obtained by calling Julie Tschanz or Charlotte Linsner of Northwest Kansas Family Shelter at (785) 625-3055 or 800-794-4624.

Gerontology symposium

Colby Community College will offer the 20th annual Gerontology Symposium on April 5-6. Contact Community Services, Colby Community College for additional information.

Vet rep in St. Francis

Jody Tubbs, of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs, will be in St. Francis at 9:30 a.m. central time at the county clerk's office to assist veterans and their dependents with VA claims work on Thursday, March 18. If you are unable to con-

tact Ms. Tubbs in St. Francis, you may contact the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday. That phone number is (785) 462-3572.

Tax-aid available

AARP volunteers are helping taxpayers with middle and low incomes to file their tax returns at the St. Francis Library from 2 to 5 p.m. on Wednesdays; and at the St. Francis Senior Center from 2 to 5 p.m. on Thursdays. Those to call for an appointment are: Annette Erskin, 785-332-2304; Rowland Roelfs, 785-332-2490 or Wayne Keefer, 785-332-3428. Kari Meyer is also a tax aide and she is available on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Majestic, 405 S. River or call 785-332-3988.

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Alcoholic Anonymous/Al-Anon

Alcoholic Anonymous and Al-Anon open meeting, held at 8:30 p.m. Thursday at the Methodist Educational Building, upstairs. Contact 332-2078.

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides 24-hour-7 day-a-week services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available for women and children within the northwest Kansas area. For information or if you are in need of assistance, please call the toll-free number 1-800-794-4624.

South of McDonald By Sandy Binning

Leonard Vyzourek was a Sunday evening guest of Lee and Pam Vyzourek.

Amanda, David and Kathy Banister went on the Catholic Youth Organization weekend trip to Denver.

Josh Johnson took part in the St.

Singers to perform

St. Francis Community High School auditorium is the place to be this evening (Thursday) if you enjoy vocal and instrumental music. The Colby Community College Sunflower Singers and the Community College Jazz Ensemble will be presenting a program, sponsored by the Western Kansas Arts Association. Show time is 7:30 p.m.

The groups will perform a variety of entertaining selections. Many of the members in these ensembles are familiar to northwest Kansas families and these groups give outstanding performances with secular, pop and show tunes and old familiar standards. This will be a presentation to attend.

Admission is available at the door or with Western Plains Arts Association season pass.

This program is presented in part by the Kansas Arts Commission, a state agency and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency.

Jospeh Catholic Church, Bird City, Catholic Youth Organization trip to Denver Friday through Sunday.

George, Kathy and Amanda Banister attended the Cheylin-Tribune basketball games Friday. Afterwards they traveled to Topeka and were overnight guests of Lonnie and Stacey Martin. Saturday morning Amanda went to Washburn University and took the test for the Garvey Scholarship. The Banisters also watched Nichole Martin play basketball Saturday and then they returned home.

Tim Rieb of Brewster, Washington was a Wednesday through Saturday guest of Lavern and Bethel Goldt. Tim is Bethel's nephew.

Matt Goldt of Wichita flew in Friday to visit his parents, Lavern and Bethel Goldt.

Tim Rieb's mother, Barbara Rieb of Denver, was an additional Friday overnight guest of Lavern and Bethel Goldt.

Ty and Teryn Carmichael were Saturday guests of their grandparents, Jim and Cheryl Banister.

Lynn and Rita Officer spent Friday until Wednesday visiting with Mark and Dawn Officer, making

the acquaintance of their new grandson, Caleb Daniel, in Broken Arrow, Okla. While there, they also visited with Michael and Erin Officer. Marilee, Mark and Seth Gundlach, also joined them in Broken Arrow for a family visit.

Mickey and Brenda Weiser and children were Sunday guests of Henry and Eldean Cahoj.

Ashley Wahrman of Plainville was a weekend guest of Tom and Kelly Dewey.

The Shay children were Wednesday afternoon guests of their grandparents Charlene and Joe Kramer.

George and Kathy Banister attended the boys Regional basketball game at Jennings Monday evening.

Tuesday evening, George and Kathy Banister, Karlyn Atchison and Amelia Banister all attended the girls basketball game in Atwood.

Amanda Banister attended the State Wrestling Tournament in Hays Friday and Saturday.

Lavern and Bethel Goldt visited with Loraine Fenner and Barbara Rieb in Goodand on Friday.

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STEPHANIE HUBBARD and Megan Sramek do their studies during home ec.

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For the Record

Real Estate

Gary E. Rose, et ux, to Melvin John Keller, the NW1/4 of Sec. 6-5S-39W in Cheyenne County.

Ron Wilson, et ux, to Leonard G. Richard, et ux, the N1/2 of lot 9 and the N1/2W1/2 of lot 10 in block 58 in St. Francis.

Leonard G. Richard, et ux, to Candace L. Hetrick, lots 5 and 6 in block 32 in St. Francis.

Darrel L. Johnson and Kim L. Johnson, quit claim to First National Bank, St. Francis, a tract of land in the NW1/4 of Sec. 27-3S-40W; a tract of land in the NW1/4 of Sec. 27-3S-40W in Cheyenne County.

Gordon R. Ross, et ux, to James M. Milliken, et ux, an undivided 1/2 interest in and to lots 47 and 48 in block 17 in St. Francis.

Zweygardt and Sons, Inc., a Kansas Corporation to Keith A. Zweygardt, a tract of land in the NE1/4 of Sec. 27-3S-40W in Cheyenne County.

Scott Jordan to Jay Befferman, the N86' of lot 13 in block 29 in St. Francis.

Cap 27, LLC, a South Dakota Limited Liability Company to Cheyenne Feeders, LLC, the NE1/4 of Sec. 6-5S-39W; the E1/2 of Sec. 31-4S-39W in Cheyenne County.

Oren G. Evans, et ux, to J. Melvin Rose, et ux, the W1/2NE1/4; the SE1/4NW1/4 and the E1/2SW1/4NW1/4 of Sec. 25-1S-39W; a parcel of land part of the N1/2NW1/4 of Sec. 25-1S-39W in Cheyenne County.

Mark Magley, et ux, to Lorraine Duke, all of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 43 in Bird City.

Ardene R. Wilkens to Todd M. Briney, et al, a tract of land in the SE1/4 of NW1/4 in Sec. 29-3S-38W in Cheyenne County.

McDonald News By Vera Kacirek

Sunday visitors of Amelia Banister and Karlyne Atchison were Kenneth Bandel of Arvada, Colo., Ruben and Bernice Bandel of St. Francis, Steve and Martha Pettibone of Kanorado and Doris and Herb Weed of Wray, Colo.

Dave Johnson was a Monday overnight guest of his parents, Ray and Marlene Johnson.

Kasey Sabatka was a Saturday lunch guest of Laddie and Vera Kacirek.

Lori Denny and Lakin of Colby were weekend guests of Greg and Cheryl Wilkinson. On Saturday all went to McCook to visit Jamie and Shalyn Harris and help Jamie celebrate her birthday.

Kenny and Phyllis Wilkinson were Sunday evening visitors in the Greg Wilkinson home to visit with Lori and Lakin Denny.

Vance and Betty Lewis were visitors of Lenora Spicka this past week.

Chanda Sabatka of Manhattan spent the weekend with R.J. and Susie Sabatka. She was a Saturday visitor of Laddie and Vera Kacirek, Kasey and Jennifer Sabatka, Raphael and Agnes Sabatka.

J.B. and Brenda Loker and grandchildren, Logan and Emily were Saturday visitors of Tunney and

Leila Loker.

Tunney and Leila Loker visited in the J.B. Loker home on Sunday to visit with Brian and Tracy Loker and children of McCook.

Gary and Penny Loker entertained on Sunday with a birthday celebration for Leila Loker. Guests were Dennis and Lila Howard, Chris and Dana Howard and Mitchell, J.B. and Brenda Loker, Les and Tish Loker, Brad and Tammy Loker and Zack, and Jim and Lois Morelock.

Extension office plans Agronomy meeting

The Cheyenne County Extension office has planned a Coffee Shop Agronomy Meeting at 10 a.m. on March 15 at the Equity meeting room. This will be an informal question and answer session for area producers.

Some topics of conversation might include different options for abandoned wheat acres, or possible crop rotations on irrigated land. However, anything is open for discussion.

"We will have Roger Stockton,

Area Extension Crops and Soils Specialist, on hand to field questions and concerns of the area producers," said Tye Faulkender, county director. "This meeting should be very informative, as well as enjoyable, and we hope to see you there."

Coffee, tea and cookies will be served.

Any questions can be directed to the extension office at 332-3171.

SHOWTIME: 7:30 p.m.

1 hour 46 min.

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Wednesday, March 17

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