

# Bulletin Board

**American Legion Auxiliary**  
The American Legion Auxiliary will hold their regular meeting Friday, May 7, at 2 p.m. at the Bird City American Legion Hall.

**Community Club**  
Bird City Community Club will meet Monday, May 10, 7 p.m. at the LeBow Center. Business will include election of officers and directors.

**Alzheimer's Support Group**  
Alzheimer's Support Group will meet at 7:30 p.m., Monday, May 10 at the St. Francis Library.

**Taxes due Monday**  
The second half of personal and real estate taxes is due at the Cheyenne County Treasurer's office on Monday.

The Kansas Legislature moved the date that the second half taxes are due from June 20 to May 10 last year to help solve the state budget crisis.

Taxes not paid by Monday will be charged interest at 8 percent a year and after July 31, delinquent real estate notices will be published in the paper.

**Baseball/softball clinic**  
Reminder: There will be a C-Team boys baseball clinic and a C-Team girls softball clinic this Saturday, May 8 at the St. Francis ball field. The girls clinic will be held from 2 to 4 p.m., instructed by Toni Rice, and the boys clinic will from 4 to 6 p.m., instructed by Bud Rice.

**Second Annual Duck Float**  
The Association to Benefit Cheyenne County is holding the second annual Duck Float at the Saturday in

the Park Car Show. Purchase your ducks in advance by calling 332-2344. They may also be purchased at the show. Time and location to be announced at Car Show.

**Swing-Swing-Swing**  
The Dance Ranch is presenting Swing-Swing-Swing, spring dance recital on Mother's Day, May 9, at the St. Francis Community High School auditorium at 2 p.m.

**Historical Society**  
The Cheyenne County Historical Society will meet at 5 p.m., Tuesday, May 11.

**Carefree Gardener, Inc. open house**  
Carefree Gardener, Inc., will be holding an open house from 3 to 7 p.m. on Friday, May 7 at Fourth and Lorraine. Check ad for additional details.

**AARP**  
AARP will be meeting at 2 p.m. on Thursday, May 13 at the senior citizen center in St. Francis. Roll call is vacation plans and there will be installation of officers. The program will be by the high school Vocal Department. Mildred Warner is the hostess.

**Kid's Pedal Pull**  
The Kid's Pedal Pull at the Saturday in the Park Car Show on Saturday will be held in front of the Milliken Law Office on Washington. Registration is at 12:30 with the pull at 1 p.m.

**Bowling awards/Fun Night**  
Cheyenne County Womens Bowling Awards/Fun Night will be held at 7 p.m. May 6. Contact any officer for

more information.

**Appreciation Day**  
Members of the community are welcome to attend Appreciation Day, sponsored by the Senior Citizen Center in St. Francis. The event will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. on Friday, May 7, with refreshments provided.

**Cheyenne County Fair Board**  
The Cheyenne County Fair Board will meet on tonight (Thursday).

**Information Day for Senior Citizens**  
The Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging is Sponsoring Information Day for all area senior citizens on Thursday, May 13, at the Grainfield American Legion beginning at 10 a.m. and concluding at 3 p.m.

Guests speakers will begin at 10 a.m. and include (1) Greg Brown, J.D., Deputy Attorney General, Consumer Protection/Antitrust Division on "Don't Fall for a Telephone Line (Telemarketing Fraud)" (2) Ruth Schuckman-Dakotas, Safety Department, The University of Kansas Medical Center on "Can it Happen in Kansas? Nuclear Disasters, Biological and Chemical Weapons" (3) Frank Campbell, Senior Health Insurance specialist, Kansas City Regional Office, The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services on "The New Medicare-Approved Prescrip-

tion Discount Cards" and (4) Fort Hays State University with an Exercise Program.

Reservation for the noon luncheon are required by Monday, May 10, and can be made by calling 1-800-432-7422 or (785) 628-8205. There is a small charge for the meal.

**Check your name label**  
Have you checked the name label on your paper? This label also shows the expiration date of your subscription. Note that if your subscription runs out completely it will take two weeks after you resubscribe before it will once again be delivered to your mail box.

**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.

**Hospice Service**  
Hospice Services Inc., has information available about end-of-life care, advance care planning, and other related topics. Hospice Service, Inc. is available to provide programs for groups and organizations. For more information, please call 800-315-5122.



**COSPONSORS** Bobbie Walden and Pam Johnson give the Junior High contestants for cheerleading some instructions. (to the right) Andrea and Ailysa Carpenter prepare to show the girls some routines. *Times staff photo by Casey McCormick*

## Junior high tryouts held for cheerleaders

Tensions were running very high last Thursday afternoon when nine excited girls prepared for the Cheylin Junior High cheerleading tryouts.

After learning a group cheer with the help of Ailysa and Andrea Carpenter, each girl performed in front of three judges. With careful consideration all nine contestants were elected to the squad.

The Junior High cheerleaders for the 2004-05 year are Kelly Basnett, Sydney Busse, Megan Gilliland, Nikki Johnson, Tessa Linner, Tia Sager, Mandie Walden, Caitlyn Wright and Whitney Wright.

"The judges had a very hard time making a decision because everyone worked so hard and showed a lot of spirit," said sponsor Bobbie Walden, "We're glad to see that all the girls were elected."

Mrs. Walden works with Pam Johnson who is also a sponsor for the Junior High cheerleaders.

With a much larger team this year, the cheerleaders and sponsors will have a lot of challenges facing them. But they are up to the task.

"We feel that it will be a lot of fun and much better for school spirit as

a whole," said Mrs. Johnson, "The more voices you have the more spirit and enthusiasm there is amongst the players and the crowd."

## Honor Roll

New and renewed Times subscriptions: Eric Smith, Vancouver, Wash.; Wright Insurance Agency, Bird City; Golda Briney, Loveland, Colo.; Marilyn Henning, Lakewood, Colo.; Lily Ruth Edmonston, Bird City; Viola Wright, Brush, Colo.; Country Trader Gun Shop, Bird City; Walde Hempler, Bird City; Sherry Beeson, Bird City; Emma Brunswig, Haigler, Neb.; Dorothy Headrick, Atwood; Darren Dale, Bird City; Duane DaPron, Broken Arrow, Okla.; Donita Claussen, South Haven; Cheyenne County Clerk, St. Francis; Mary Linner, Bird City; Cheyenne County Extension, St. Francis; David Hendricks, Bird City; Florence Peacock, St. Francis; Roger Haack, Lawrence; Stephen Meyers, Medford, Ore.; Kim Underwood, Bird City; Glenn Krebs, Jennings.

## Area students accept Fort Hays scholarships

Several area students accepted Fort Hays State University scholarships for the 2004-05 academic year at a recent Student Recognition Program in Colby.



**Kehlbeck**

Students include:  
•Brittany Kehlbeck, Cheylin High School, accepted a \$500 Award of excellence in teacher education.

She is involved in Student Government, National Honor Society, choir, musicals, Family, Career and Community Leaders of America, Band, pep band, marching band and dance team and has been class secretary, National Honor Society vice president, choir president, cheerleading co-captain, band secretary and marching band majorette.

Kehlbeck, the daughter of Royce and Darci Kehlbeck of Bird City, plans a career in elementary education.

•Lori Faulkender, St. Francis Community High School, accepted a

\$500 Award of Excellence in teacher education and a \$400 Fort Hays Bronze Academic Award.

She is involved in volleyball, basketball, track, theatre, Methodist Youth Fellowship, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and the National Honor Society.

Faulkender, the daughter of Roger Faulkender and Joyce Faulkender, St. Francis, plans a career in elementary education.

•Jessica Nelsen, St. Francis Community High School, accepted a \$500 Award of Excellence in business.

Nelsen, the daughter of Brenda Nelsen, St. Francis and the late Darrel Nelsen, plans a career in business.

•Jonathan Zweggardt, St. Francis Community High School, accepted a \$500 Award of Excellence in information networking and telecommunications and a \$400 Fort Hays Bronze Academic Award.

He is involved in football, basketball, Methodist Youth Fellowship, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and 4-H and recorded perfect attendance.

Zweggardt, the son of Rod and Vera Zweggardt, plans a career in radio or television broadcasting.



**Young Hubbard Dixon Banister**

## Several youth to receive Pete Henry scholarship

Four Cheylin students, Hayley Young, Stephanie Hubbard, Kylie Dixon and Amanda Banister, will be receiving Pete Henry Foundation scholarships, each amounting to \$500.

Pete Henry was a farmer for many years in the Brewster area. He had an inquiring mind and knew the value of hard work, thrift and good

management. He died in 2002 and his dream was to assist local students to furthering their education.

Mr. Henry established a foundation to award academic and technical training scholarships. Students from Cheyenne, Decatur, Gove, Logan, Rawlins, Sheridan, Sherman, Thomas and Wallace counties were able to apply.

## For the Record

**Cheyenne County Sheriff's Department**  
4 VINs  
19 Subpoenas  
1 Warrant for arrest  
4 Warnings for speeding  
1 Warning for failure to stop  
1 Speeding ticket  
1 Citation for dog running at large in Bird City  
April 26: Investigated criminal damage to property at Cheylin High School.  
April 26: Assisted motorist in Bird City.  
April 26: Arrest warrant, 1 male on bond violation and transported to Sherman County Bastille..  
April 26: Presented Meth Aware-

ness in Bird City.  
April 27: Report of someone going through pasture fence on Road L west of Highway 27.  
April 29: Welfare check on person in Bird City.  
April 29: Removed dead deer from Highway 36 one mile west of Wheeler.  
April 30: Pulled 23 Marijuana plants in Bird City.  
May 1: Complaint of illegal motorcycles driving on streets in Bird City.  
May 1: Complaints about commercial trucks driving on Road 25 north of U.S. 36.  
May 2: Complaint of neighbor dog digging up flowers in southeast Bird City.

## School Menu

May 10 - May 13  
Monday: breakfast: hash browns, sausage link, cereal, toast, juice, milk; lunch: taco salad, vegetable, salad bar, fruit, dessert, milk  
Tuesday: breakfast: scrambled eggs, cereal, toast, juice, milk; lunch: ham and cheese squares, potato triangles, salad bar, fruit, milk  
Wednesday: breakfast: cinnamon crisp, cereal, toast, juice, milk; lunch: (Custodian's menu) chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, cheesy bread sticks, broccoli salad, chocolate ice cream, milk  
Thursday: breakfast: breakfast burrito, cereal, toast, juice, milk; lunch: deli turkey sandwich, tater tots, salad bar, fruit, dessert, milk

## Corrections

The Bird City Times will correct or clarify any mistake or misunderstanding in a news story. Please call our office at 332-3162 to report errors. We believe that news stories should be fair and factual, and appreciate your calling to our attention any failure to live up to this standard.

**THANK YOU**  
I want to thank all of you who sent cards, called me, brought us food and visited me -especially you men- after my knee replacement operation. I would especially like to thank Ted and Carol for their good deeds. Ted stayed with me and his mother during the surgery and drove me to all my appointments plus kept things going at home. Carol prepared us about a zillion meals, because arthritis slowed Bette down. Those supper meals were delicious. Our daughter, Sue Laubhan came the second day so her mother would not be alone in McCook at the hotel, plus came to Bird City a couple days to help before returning to Salina. Finally to Bette for putting up with a not-too-patient patient. I'm improving everyday although nothing goes fast. Yesterday I was allowed to drive the car a little. I appreciate all the really nice things you've done for me and Bette. Let's have another rain!  
*Rodney Partch*

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*Non-surgical treatment of hemorrhoids.*  
**John D. Ferris, MD** will be at:  
291 15th Street  
Burlington, CO  
**Saturday May 8**  
For information or appointment, call **1-800-593-0009**  
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**SHOWTIME: 7:30 p.m.** 1 hour 27 min.  
**May 7, 8 & 9** **Walking Tall**  
*Action/Adventure & Crime/Gangster*  
**Rated: PG-13 for sequences of intense violence, sexual content, drug material and language**  
Starring: Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson, Kristen Wilson, Neal McDonough, Ashley Scott, Johnny Knoxville  
**Cheyenne Theater** St. Francis, KS 785-332-2747  
Children 11 & under: \$2 12-18 yr.: \$3 Senior Citizens: \$3 Adults: \$4

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