

FARM SAFETY - Samantha Zweygardt talks to students who attended the Farm Safety program sponsored by Farm Bureau. Students pictured are Jacob Brubaker, Cheyenne Hewitt, Colleen Montevilla, Mary Ann Orten and Allie Frisbie.

Program features 'love offerings' pak

peek" for a variety of meat products in exchange for two hours of volunteer work and a minimal fee. The registration deadline is Monday, April 9 and the pickup date is Saturday, April 21, at the First Baptist Church in Saint Francis from 12:30 to 1 p.m.

The volunteer hours are on the honor system requiring no one to sign that the hours were performed. The program is not government funded so no financial or household information is required.

A feature of the program are "love offerings" that require no volunteer hours and are purchased by friends or churches for those having a rough time such as employment terminain Cheyenne County six love offer- ways included in basic pak all six to ings were made. Most requested not to be identified to the recipient.

Several new registration sites have been added since the initial month of operation. Joining the Video Connection, Empire Motel and Tim Poling, DDS, are Leach Insurance Agency, Saint Francis; Joanna Carman, Haigler, Neb; and Treva Henry of Bird City. Further information is available by contacting any of these or Lee Nichols, 332-358 or Linda Hagan, 1-800-298-1989.

The basic pak this month includes Old Carolina Bacon, BBQ hogie beef cut pork chops, philly sandwich beef stuffed ziti, 12-oz sun dried tomato

eight different items of fruits ad vegetables. All are good quality products.

Three specials are included in the April selections. The first is the 'spring fling-chicken combo: of 2 box each of breaded chicken chunks. breaded breast tenderloins, boneless/ skinless breast tenderloins. The second special is the "Lil assortment combo" of two 6 oz USDA choice sirloin steaks, two 4 oz boneless pork chops, four 4-oz ground beef patties and 1 LB Italian sausage. The third special is the "little bit of Italy" of 18oz stuffed manicotti, 18oz stuffed burgers, Ohse jumbo franks, center shells, 12-oz spinach & cheese

The Prairie Land Food pak "sneak tion. In its second month of operation steaks, and turkey filet cutlets. Al- stuffed ziti, 16-oztri-colored torellini, 12-oz swiss and monterey jack pierorgies and 12-oz cheese ravioli. Any special may be added to the basic pak of a nominal fee and one hour of volunteer service.

> March distribution was Saturday with participants double those in February. Not to be in competition with local groceries the program is designed to help the volunteer stretch their dollars at the end of the month.

February was the initial beginning of the program in Cheyenne County. It began with a big challenge from uncooperative weather when a major snow storm set in early Saturday morning. The products were picked up in Goodland on Saturday but did not make it to Saint Francis until the following day since the roads were closed to travel until Sunday.

Bird City Public Library will again well as CDs, DVDs, bookends, picbe offering patrons an opportunity to buy selected books, CDs, and other gift items at 30 percent to 60 percent off the publisher's price, and help the library earn books and DVDs.

The items will be on display from April 2 through April 21. People can look at the selections, indicate on the order form items they wish to purchase and leave the money with the librarian. Then on April 23, the items ordered and paid for will be at the library for pick-up by patrons.

As in the past the selection will vary, but will include items for every age group, from babies to adults. Cookbooks, reference, devotional and storybooks, do-it-yourself and craft books are just a few of the types be there April 2 through April 21.

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Through "Books Are Fun", the of books that will be available, as ture frames, and stationery.

Along with providing patrons an opportunity to purchase new, high quality items at a reduced price, the library will receive a free book or DVD for every ten items that are ordered. So come see the wide variety of books and gifts, do Mother's and Father's Days, graduation, wedding, or birthday shopping, save money, and help the library all at the same time.

The library is open from 2 to 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, and from 9:30 a.m. to 1pm on Saturdays. Volunteers man the library on Monday and Friday afternoons, so patrons may want to call and make sure the library is open. "Books Are Fun" will

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McDonald News By Vera Kacirek

April Events

Monday April 2- McDonald Seior Citizens dinner and meeting,

Wednesday April 4-McDonald Area Development meeting at noon at the McDonald Legion

Saturday April 7-Easter Egg program at the McDonald Cemetery Hunt at 10:30 at Ray Johnson's yard.

Sunday April 8—Easter Sunday Wednesday April 11-McDonald Town and Country Garden Club will luncheon at The Frosty Mug at have their Arbor Day planting and 11:30.

at 1:30 followed by cookies and their monthly meeting at the McDonald Senior Center.

Wednesday April 18-Birthday



Couple plan wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Roesener of McDonald announce the engagement of their son, Colton Roesener to Shandi Wessels, daughter of Ado and Teresa Wessels of Conway Springs.

Ms. Wessels will graduate in May from Northwestern Oklahoma State University, and will pursue a career in business.

Mr. Roesener graduated from Northwestern Oklahoma State Uni- ropractic Medicine in Davenport, versity and is currently pursuing a Iowa, where they both will reside doctorate at Palmer College of Chi- after the wedding in June.

'Books Are Fun'

returns to library



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