

Tractor training held May 2

In 1970, the United States Department of Labor declared agricultural tasks as hazardous for children under the age of 16. With certain exemptions, this law made employment of youth under the age of 16 at these jobs illegal for anyone other than their parents or legal guardian.

The long withstanding tradition of youth finding summer employment on local farms prompted the development of the Hazardous Occupations Training (tractor safety) program to train and certify youth 14 and 15 years of age to work in agricultural occupation for someone other than their parents. Recent interpretations of the law also require youth to have this certification to work for family partnerships, family corporations, and grandparents.

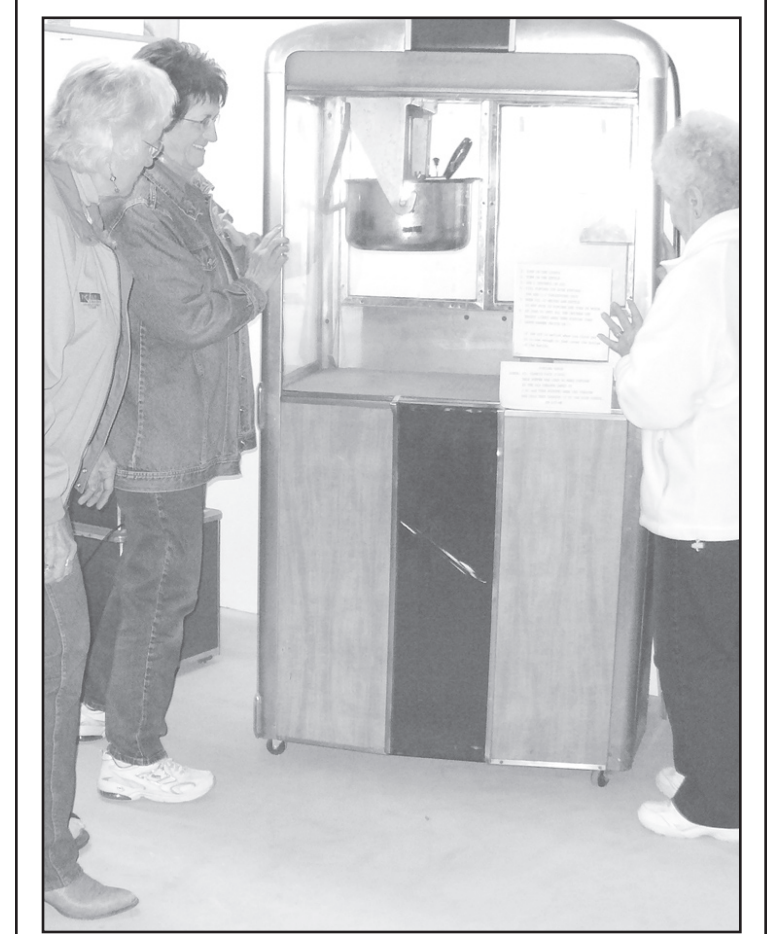
In the case of family partnerships and corporations, even when one partner is the parent, the youth technically works for the corporation, and therefore must have the certification. This training is also available for youth working on their parent's farms as well as any rural resident or farm worker

who desires a refresher course on farm safety.

To meet the requirements of the law, youth should plan to attend a multi-county Hazardous Occupations Training from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, May 2, at the Brewster High School, Brewster. There is also required reading to do and assignments to complete prior to the class, so early

registration is encouraged.

To register, provide your name, address, social security number and date of birth, to the County Extension Office by Monday, April 27. There is also a small fee which includes your manual, materials, and refreshments for breaks. A pizza lunch is being provided by Farm Bureau of Thomas and Sherman counties.



POPCORN from the old theater popper will be served during the Cheyenne County Museum open house from 2 to 4 p.m. on Sunday. There will be tours of the museum; the new microfilm reader/scanner/printer will be demonstrated and plans for Ye Olde Country Church will be told. Also check out the scrapbooks, obituaries and other records that are being compiled. Pictured (l to r) are Helene Landenberger, Marsha Hickert and Dee Dorsch.

Photo courtesy of Janet Carman



NINTH GRADE BAKE SALE was held to raise funds for their class projects. Dalton Magnani looks at the baked goods.

Times staff photo by Linda Schneider

Children's choir sings in Colby

The Colorado Children's Chorale is being presented by the Western Plains Arts Association and the Kansas Arts Commission for its final concert of the season at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Colby High School Auditorium. Generous funding for this performance has also been

provided in a grant from Thomas County Community Foundation through the City of Colby Police Special Law Enforcement Fund. Admission is by season ticket or at the door.

For more than three decades, the Colorado Children's Chorale has

brought its artistry and charm to audiences throughout the world. With a diverse repertoire ranging from fully staged opera and musical theater to standard choral compositions in classical, folk and popular traditions, the Chorale performs with an innovative stage presentation and a unique theatrical spirit. In recognition of its artistic excellence, the Chorale was awarded the Governor's Award for Excellence in the Arts, the Mayor's Award for Excellence in the Arts and the prestigious El Pomar Award for Excellence in Arts and Humanities.

Under the leadership of Artistic Director Deborah DeSantis, and Diane Newcom, executive director, the Colorado Children's Chorale annually trains 400 members between the ages of 7 and 14.

Since its founding in 1974, the Chorale has sung countless performances with some of the world's finest performing arts organizations. Broadcast appearances include NBC's Today Show, CBS' Christmas Special, the annual Spirit of the Season broadcast on CBS 4 Denver, and BBC broadcasts of the Chorale's Promenade Music Festival performance at Royal Albert Hall.

South of McDonald

By Sandy Binning

Debbie Banister participated in the Large Group State Music Contest Thursday in Colby. Cheylin's Choir received a II and the Band received a I.

Debbie and Kathy Banister were Thursday overnight guests of Stacy, Lonnie, and Nicole Martin of Topeka. Kathy and Debbie then visited Labette College Friday morning. They had lunch with Colleen Shrader.

Afterwards they traveled to Mount Hope and were Friday and Saturday overnight guests of Brandon and Amanda Winter. On their way home Sunday, Kathy and Debbie enjoyed dinner with David Banister at the Hickory Tree in Salina.

Saturday afternoon guests of

Margie Hubbard were Sandy, Donna, Porsha, Bianca, and Jazzmin Binning.

Joe and Charlene Kramer went to Denver Monday to visit John Scott who is currently a patient in Presbyterian/St. Luke Hospital. They were overnight guests of Roland and Linda Query at Firestone.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Thomas spent the weekend in Lincoln, Neb., as guests of Alex Thomas to celebrate his birthday. While there, they attended the University of Nebraska Husker Wrestling Banquet. Alex was named to the Big 12 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Commissioner's Honor Roll for Academic Achievements as a scholar athlete.

Menu

Monday, April 27

Breakfast: scones
Lunch: chicken fajitas with rice

Tuesday, April 28

Breakfast: bagels
Lunch: cheesy potato soup, peanut butter and jelly

Wednesday, April 29

Mr. Porter's lunch menu
Breakfast: sausage link, hash browns

Lunch: pigs in a blanket, corn on the cob, cake

Thursday, April 30

Breakfast: scrambled eggs
Lunch: pizza burgers, curly fries

Breakfast is served with toast, cereal, juice and milk

Lunch is served with salad bar, fruit and milk

A Big Thank You

The family of Edward Morris would like to thank Pastor Jeff Landers for the service and the ladies that served lunch. Everyone who said a kind word, sent flowers, plants, money and cards. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Betty Morris
Billy Morris and family
Theresa Teafatiller and family

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Sunday, May 3, 2009 12:30 MT PUBLIC AUCTION

Sellers: Bill Reade
Sale Site: 4-H Building at the Fairgrounds, Benkelman, NE

<p>Furniture</p> <p>Beige sofa Coffee table Upholstered chairs, mahoe</p>	<p>Collectibles</p> <p>Haines saltshoes Penny match machine, antique</p>	<p>Appliances</p> <p>Washer Microwave Upright freezer Cuisinart Food processor Sunbeam mixer</p>	<p>Garden & Shop</p> <p>6/12 v Battery charger Circular saw Electric drill Soldering iron Aluminum step ladder Rakes, shovels, hoes, axes, clippers, etc. Gopher trap BarBQ grill</p>	<p>Household & Related</p> <p>12-piece Pfaltzgraff dishes w/matching silverware & extra creamer, sugar, salt/pepper, gravy boat, etc. Glassware sets, coffee cup sets</p>	<p>Miscellaneous</p> <p>1894 Rogers lever action BB gun Ironing board Luggage Fireplace tools Golf clubs Flashlights Match more</p>
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NOTE: Bill was the Benkelman pharmacist for many years & has moved & selling personal property he no longer needs. Plan to attend for there is nice furniture, dishes, pharmacy collectibles & other items of interest.
Thanks, Royce

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** Storm date: Monday, April 27th, 2009

Auction location from Atwood, KS: at the intersection of U.S. Hwy. 25 & 36, go 2 1/2 miles West on U.S. Hwy. 36, 1 mile North, 1 1/2 mile West and 1/2 mile North to the farm site. Signs will be posted.
Sellers: Dan & Yvonne Fields, Etal, 785-626-9597

167.94 ± ACRES, CROPLAND
Land for Sale: TRACT 1: NE 1/4 of 32-2-34 Rawlins Co., KS;
TRACT 2: SW 1/4 of 33-2-34 Rawlins Co., KS.

Machinery for Sale:

2000 Peterbuilt - 379-XHD C-15 Cat. Engine, 18sp. Trans., 265" W.B.	Sunflower 5'x 5' Sweep Plow w/Pickers
1982 J.D. 4640 - PWR Shift, (3000hrs. OH) 3-Remotes, Koyker 645 Loader, Grapple Fork, Duals (URCTRPO19004)	Rundell 4 Shank Ripper M&M 670 Tractor, 3pt. 5 Star M&M Tractor w/F11 Loader; Case 930 Diesel Dual Hyd.
1981 J.D. 4640 - Quad Trans., New Tires (2500hrs), Complete OH (200hrs), Rear End (6235hrs), 3-Remotes, Duals, S#03153ORW	Sitrex 12 Wheel Rake, Hyd. 1990 Hesston 4800 4x4 Square Baler (parts)
2004 J.D. 567 Baler, Mega Wide; IHC 3850 Pay Loader, Grapple Fork, (new tires)	Hesston 30A Stack Hand Flex-King 16' Disc Richardson Dump Box Powder River Squeeze Chute Powder River Crowding Alley WW Calf Cradle
Brown 12' Speed Mover	Groundhog 6-Yard Scraper Approx. 30 Salvage Vehicles Salvage Tractor
2004 Hesston 1365 Discbine, Swivel Hitch, S#HM34110; NH 273 Square Baler, Wisconsin Engine, PTO; NH 1010 Bale Wagon	Several Tons of Scrap Iron J.D. 7000 6-Row Planter, No Till UFFT 500 Bu. Grain Cart
Case 1030 Tractor, 3 pt. M-5 Tractor w/3pt. & 320 Dual Ldr-Grapple Fork	Gehl O-Vator 125 Bu. Cart w/Blender
Gehl 800 Silage Cutter w/Hyd. Sharpener	Koenig Utility Box 1994 Cub Cadet, 1864 Hydro.
Strongbuilt 8'x 23' Flatbed	2003 J.D. L120 20hp Hydro, 150 hrs., (like new); J.D. 650 Hay Rake, 3pt. 6'x 16' Stock Trailer
Gooseneck, Tandem Axles; 1985 GMC 2500 4x4, 4sp. Trans.;	J.D. 105 Combine, Diesel Engine, 20' Platform
1973 Ford 700 w/Allison Trans., Rebuilt Engine & Trans., w/14' BJM Mixer Box, Scales	Gleaner A Combine Gleaner C2 Combine 1995 F350 7.3 Diesel, 5sp. Trans., w/Besler 3100 Bale Bed
1973 Ford F600 Truck w/15 1/2' B&H	1972 GMC Truck, 351-V-6, 5sp.-2sp. Trans., 18' B&H
1965 Ford F600	
1960 IHC 2-Ton Truck w/Gehl 910 Feeder Box;	
Farmhand 880 Tub Grinder, PTO;	
Gehl Dump Box	
1972 IHC 1-Ton Flatbed	
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