

Behind the Scene By Janet Carman

Historical Society annual meeting

The annual meeting of the Cheyenne County Historical Society will be held Monday, Jan. 21, at 7 p.m. at the Senior Center. The business meeting will be followed by a presentation by Dan Busse: "What and Who Were Here When the Pioneers Arrived." Dan welcomes people to bring items of interest, artifacts and questions.

sitions to be filled. Volunteers are needed and always welcome.

Barn Quilt Squares

Join the Barn Quilt Trail of Cheyenne County. Quilt squares can be displayed on any farm building that is visible from the road. Buildings in town can also be included. Pick up a packet at the St. Francis Equity office for ordering information.

"Friends of the Museum"

Since 1987 members of the Cheyenne County Historical Society have faithfully maintained the Museum of Cheyenne County. During planning stages in 1985 members agreed that no tax money would be used to build the museum. Instead individuals, dedicated to preserving the history of the county, made pledges to finance the endeavor.

Over the years additions and changes have taken place. Volunteers moved the South Fork Friends Church to a site adjacent

to the museum. The Harvey addition extended museum exhibit space. Members created interesting display areas portraying pioneer life and arranged period costumes in a large glass case. A local artist painted the background scene and archaeology enthusiasts arranged artifacts for the prehistory exhibit.

The old church requires regular maintenance. It has recently been painted inside, and exterior siding and lexan window covering were installed.

Museum and church expenses continue to increase, but income has actually decreased this year because two trusts expired. At present, income is based on a \$4,700 annual allotment from the county, as well as donations, book sales and church rental. Monthly utility expenses average \$350. Cleaning and office supplies amount to about \$200 annually. Insurance costs \$980 each year.



KEEPING THE CHEYENNE COUNTY MUSEUM it good shape takes constant tending, cleaning and sorting by volunteers. Pictured during a workday are Helene Landenberger, Joy Fisher, Sandy Smull and Marcia Hickert.

Photo courtesy of Janet Carman

To lower expenses, the board decided to discontinue the part-time position of museum director and will rely on volunteers to operate the facility.

Volunteers have worked tirelessly since the museum was dedicated in June of 1987, always in the interest of preserving the history of Cheyenne County. Twenty-

five years later, visitors consider it one of the best small museums in the state. It is an asset to this community.

Take part in preserving the history of Cheyenne County. Become a "Friend of the Museum". Donations of \$25 or more will be used to maintain and improve the museum and the old country church. All do-

nations, memorials, and monetary gifts are vital for the prosperity of your museum and are tax deductible. "Friend of the Museum" gifts may be given in honor of another person. All museum "Friends" will be recognized.

Public Notices

Housing Authority develops Fiscal plan

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Public Notice

The Bird City Housing Authority has developed its PHA Plan for Fiscal Year 2013 in compliance with the quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998. It is available for review at the Authority's Office located at LeBow Manor, 209 N. Rich Ave., Bird City, KS 67731. The Authority's hours of operation are Monday through Thursday between 8:00 A.M. and 1:00 P.M. In addition a public hearing will be held on March 11, 2013 at the Authority's Community Room at 9:00 A.M. The public is invited.

Public meeting set for McDonald post office

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McDonald Post Office Patrons

A public meeting will be held Tuesday, Feb. 12, 2013 at the McDonald Senior Citizens building at 5:30 p.m. to report on the survey received. The number of people attending and the surveys returned will show how interested Patrons are in keeping the McDonald Post Office.

Book review

The Reserve

By Russell Banks

Part love story, part murder mystery, set on the cusp of the Second World War, *The Reserve* raises dangerous questions about class, politics, art, love and madness — and explores what happens when two powerful personalities, trapped at opposite ends of a social divide, begin to break the rules.

Twenty-nine-year-old Vanessa Cole is a wild, stunningly beautiful heiress, the adopted only child of a highly regarded New York brain surgeon and his socialite wife. Twice married, Vanessa has been scandalously linked to any number of rich and famous men.

But, on the night of July 4, 1936, at her parents' country home in a remote Adirondack Mountain, enclave known as *The Reserve*, two events coincide to permanently alter the course of Vanessa's callow life: her father dies suddenly of a heart attack, and a mysteriously seductive local artist, Jordan Groves, blithely lands his Waco biplane in the pristine waters of the forbidden Upper Lake...

Jordan's reputation has preceded him; he is internationally known as much for his exploits and conquests as for his paintings themselves, and, here in the midst of the Great Depression, his leftist loyalties seem suspiciously undercut by his wealth and elite clientele. But for all his worldly swagger, Jordan is as staggered by Vanessa's beauty and charm as she is by his defiant independence. He falls easily prey to her electrifying personality, but it is not long before he discovers that the heiress carries a dark, deeply scarring family secret. Emotionally unstable from the start, and further unhinged by her father's unexpected death, Vanessa begins to spin wildly out of control, manipulating and destroying the lives of all who cross her path.

Moving from the secluded beauty of the Adirondack wilderness to the skies above war-torn Spain and Fascist Germany, the book is a clever, incisive and passionately romantic novel of suspense.



JANUARY BIRTHDAY celebrants are Donna Johnson and Freida Belding.

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Congratulations Cougars on your WKLL Championship



2013 CHEYLIN BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM— 2013 WKLL CHAMPIONSHIPS: (L-R): ASSISTANT COACH DENNIS HENGEN, CASEY VANDIKE, SHAWN POCHOP, RUBEN RAZO, AUSTIN COBB, KENAN REEH, ADAM ORTEN, JOSHUA KELTZ, TY CARMICHAEL, EDDIE FRISBIE, WALKER JANICKE, HEATH CHURCHWELL, JACOB BRUBAKER, COACH ANTHONY BLAIR.

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2004 Chevy K1500 Silverado		\$7,300
2004 Ford F-150 XLT, 5.4L, 4x4, Cloth		\$8,700
2004 VW Touareg, Low Miles	\$16,825	\$13,500
2005 Toyota 4Runner, 2WD, Super Clean		\$12,400
2005 Chevy Silverado, K2500HD		\$13,900
2005 Ford F-250 XLT, Supercab		\$16,500
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2007 F-250 XLT, Great Truck		\$21,000
2007 Ford King Ranch F-150 Crew, 59,452		\$27,500
2007 Chevy 3500 HD		\$23,600
2007 Honda Pilot, Fully Loaded	\$20,250	\$17,000
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2009 Ford F-150 King Ranch Crew		\$31,000
2009 Nissan Altima, loaded	\$16,900	\$15,800
2010 Ford F-150 Crew Lariat, 60,700		Priced to sell
2010 Buick LaCrosse		\$24,495
2010 Ford Explorer Eddie Bauer		\$26,000
2011 Ford F-250 SD Crew, 26,574 Miles		\$48,000
2011 Chevy Impala LT, 34K	\$21,000	\$19,500
2012 Ford Fusion SEL, FWD, Great Mileage		\$17,500
2012 Ford Edge Limited AWD, Leather		\$30,660
2012 Ford F-150 Crew XLT		\$36,500



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District Executive needed to give leadership to the development and maintenance of quality Scouting programs throughout six counties in north central Kansas. This position supports the mission and vision of the Boy Scouts of America by managing, planning and leading the District covering Decatur, Graham, Jewell, Norton, Phillips, Sheridan, and Smith Counties, to achieve financial objectives, membership growth and retention and superb programs. The Boy Scouts of America is an equal opportunity employer. In addition to offering a competitive salary, the Boy Scouts of America will be offering benefits to include medical, dental, vision, and retirement. Applicants must have a four year college degree and must live in or relocate to the service area. Send resumes with cover letter to: Coronado Area Council, Attn: Ross Munt, PO Box 912, Salina, KS 67402 or email to ross.munt@scouting.org.

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