

# OBITUARIES

## Leanne Olsen Dec. 19, 1973 - June 24, 2011

Leanne Olsen was born Dec. 19, 1973 in Norton. Leanne, Field Sales Consultant for Henry Schein Dental, died at the age of 37, Friday, June 24. She is preceded in death by her step-father, Dick Heil; grandparents, Peggy Lockhart, Lester and Agnes Chambers; step-sister, Jana Mackey; and beloved yellow lab, Tanner. Survivors include her husband, Steven; mother, Gerry Heil of Hays; father, Richard Chambers of Hays; brothers, Rex Chambers (Cheryl) of Hays, Randall Chambers (Julie) of McCook, Neb.; grandfather, Hop Lockart, Norton; mother-in-law and father-in-law, Carolyn and Bob Olsen, Clearwater; and beloved pets, Felony and Morgan.



Victory in the Valley or Harry Hynes Memorial Hospice.

Arrangements are with Culbertson-Smith Mortuary.

View tributes at [smithfamily-mortuaries.com](http://smithfamily-mortuaries.com).

## Commodities

The Norton County Senior Center announces the distribution of government surplus food for low income persons of all ages in Norton county.

Food available for distribution at this time: grape juice, pears, beef stew, carrots, cereal, dehydrated potatoes and apple sauce.

Distribution times and places: Wednesday, July 13 from 2-4 p.m., Norton Senior Center, Lenora Senior Center and Alma Senior Center at 9-11 a.m.; Saturday, July 16, 2-3 p.m. at the library in Clayton.

For more information call Ramona at the Norton Senior Center 877-5352.

## Construction begins



Construction on Highway K-383 started this past Monday on the stretch of road extending from Alma to the Nebraska state line. The funds for this project came from KDOT and the T-Works program. The date of completion will be sometime in 2014. Shoulders will be added along with guardrails and curves will be better marked. Give the workers a break and use caution when driving this route.

—Telegram photo by Dana Paxton

# Recommendations for pork

## Home ed

Tranda Watts, Extension specialist



The United States Department of Agriculture's Food Safety and Inspection Service (USDA-FSIS) has lowered its recommended temperature for cooking whole cuts of pork from 160 degrees Fahrenheit to 145 degrees Fahrenheit.

The change applies to chops, cutlets, roasts, steaks and tenderloins, and it includes the recommendation that cooked pork be allowed to rest for three minutes after being removed from the heat source (grill, skillet or oven, for example).

Allowing rest time provides

### Duplicate Bridge

There were two tables at Duplicate Bridge on Wednesday. First went to Myron Veh and Jerry Moritz, second, Jackie Porter and Joyce Sumner.

the opportunity for the cooked pork to continue cooking and further reduce potentially harmful pathogens that may be present. It also allows time for the juices to redistribute and the meat to firm up, making cutting or carving

easier.

The change does not apply to ground meats, it should be cooked to 160 degrees Fahrenheit, because the grinding process increases the exposed surface areas that can attract bacterial growth.

The new recommendation should make cooking meat safely easier for consumers, as:

\* Whole cuts of beef, lamb, pork, and veal should be cooked to 145 degrees Fahrenheit.

\* Ground meats, including ground beef, pork or lamb should be cooked to 160 degrees Fahr-

heit.

\* All poultry should be cooked to 165 degrees Fahrenheit.

Cooking brats and hot dogs to 160 degrees Fahrenheit.

Using a meat thermometer to measure cooked temperatures of meat and poultry is recommended.

Color alone should not be considered an indicator of doneness.

More information on choosing and using a meat thermometer is available at Kansas State Research and Extension offices.

You may also e-mail Tranda Watts at [twatts@ksu.edu](mailto:twatts@ksu.edu).

## Toys for Tots expands

Toys for Tots began in 1947 when Major Bill Hendricks, United States Marine Corps Reserve, and a group of Marine Reservists in Los Angeles collected and distributed 5,000 toys to needy children.

The 1947 pilot project was so successful that the Marine Corps adopted Toys for Tots in 1948 and expanded it into a nationwide campaign. That year, Marine Corps Reserve units across the nation conducted Toys for Tots campaigns in each community in which a Marine Reserve Center

was located.

Since that time, Toys for Tots has grown into one of the best know and most respected charitable organizations in the United States of America. Toys for Tots in Northwest Kansas began in 2006 in Graham County. Each year this project has grown, covering portions of Phillips and Rooks Counties in 2009.

"We are excited to announce that in 2011 our coverage area will expand to include all of Norton County," said Angie Hager, local Norton County Coordinator.

## Wedding Anniversaries



To Celebrate the 60th Wedding Anniversary of Rea and Dee Magers, their family is hosting an

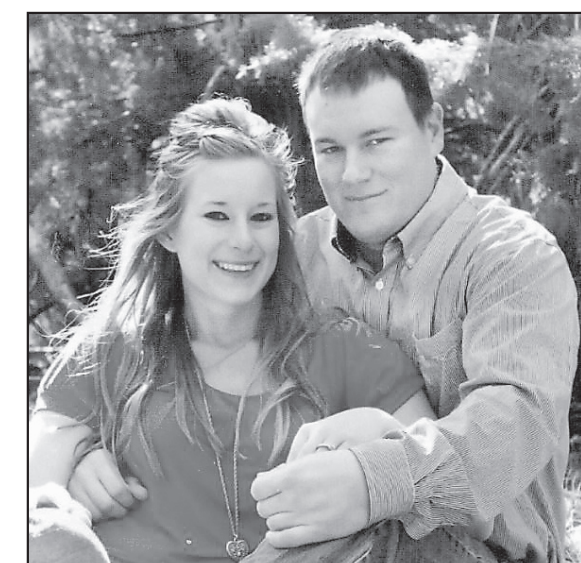
Open House at the Educational Building in Norcat on July 9 from 2-4 p.m. Cards, but no gifts

please, would be appreciated. Send cards to P.O. Box 100, Norcat, KS 67653

A reception celebrating the 65th wedding anniversary of Virgil and Joyce Price was held on June 18 at the Norcat Methodist Church Educational Building. Nearly 100 people were able to help celebrate the event. A slide show describing the

couple's life together was presented as well as exhibits featuring Virgil's trophies for parade ponies, and samples of Joyce's extensive bell collection. Family and friends from several states were able to attend and a wonderful time was had by all.

## Wedding Announcements



Ron and Shelly Ellis, Lenora, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lacy Ellis, to Cole Kinderknecht of Stapleton, Neb., son of Toby and Lisa Kinderknecht, Stapleton, Neb.

The bride-to-be is a 2008 graduate of Norton Community High School and a 2011 graduate of Fort Hays State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education, and will begin teaching this fall at Stapleton Public Schools.

The groom-to-be is a 2006 graduate of Northern Valley High School and a 2009 graduate of Northwest Technical college in Goodland with an Associate's degree in Engineering. He is currently employed by Farmers Mutual of Nebraska, North Platte, Neb.

A wedding is planned for Aug. 6 in Norton. The couple plan to reside in Stapleton, Neb.



Greg and Brenda Mann, Norton, Anne Brumbaugh, Overland Park and Arnold Brumbaugh, Phillipsburg, announce the engagement of their children Klaire Mann and William Brumbaugh. They will wed Nov. 26 in Manhattan.

Klaire is a 2006 graduate of Norton Community High School and a 2009 graduate of Kansas State University. She will complete a Masters degree from Kansas State University in Speech-Language Pathology in December.

William attended Phillipsburg Schools and is a 2003 graduate of Blue Valley West High School and a 2008 graduate of Kansas State University. He is employed as a Data Research Analyst at Baylor University in Waco, Texas.

### Senior Center Menu

- July
- Monday 4 - Closed
- Tuesday 5 - Polish Sausage with kraut, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Bread, Apricots
- Wednesday 6 - Sloppy Joes, Coleslaw with carrots, Pears, Bun, Pudding
- Thursday 7 - Chicken and Noodles, Peas, Stewed Tomatoes, Roll, Cantaloupe
- Friday 8 - Salisbury Steak/gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Bread, Gelatin with fruit

The family requests a card shower for **Lloyd and Glenna Sproul** on their 70th Wedding Anniversary July 6, 2011

Cards Can Be Sent To: 830 Timbercreek Road Norton, Kansas 67654

## Free Night Swim

Sunday, July 3 8:00 TO 10:00 P.M.

AT THE NORTON SWIMMING POOL

### Can or a Kiss Campaign to help God's Pantry

On Monday, July 4, from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m., the Can or a Kiss Campaign will continue at the Prairie Dog State Park where you can donate boxed or canned food items.

**One Can, No Kiss; No Can, One Kiss** (On the Cheek that is)

**Hormone Hunnies** - Helping God's Pantry Feed Norton County

June 29- July 6

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Sunday: 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.  
Monday (Independence Day): 2:00 and 5:00 p.m.  
Tuesday and Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

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