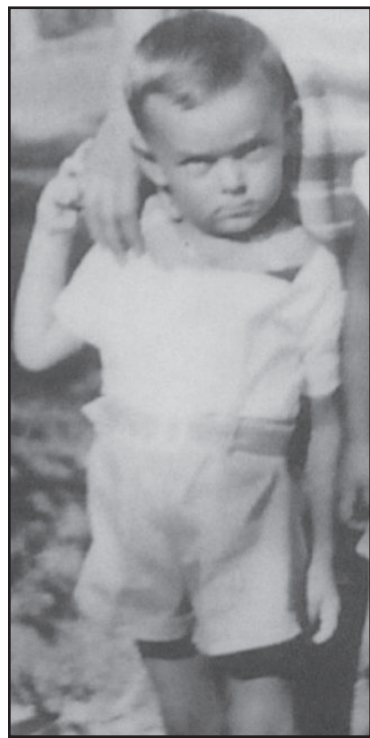


Bulletin Board



Brunow

Birthday honored

Larry Brunow will be celebrating his 75th birthday on May 19. He and his wife, Pat, have two daughters, Coleen Kirkham and Tamara Erdle and their families.

Death notice

Stan Carman died on Monday, May 16, at the family's farm home south of St. Francis.

His funeral is scheduled for 2 p.m. on Friday at Peace Lutheran Church, St. Francis.

Offices closed on May 30

The deadline for ads, pictures and stories for the June 2 issue of The Saint Francis Herald and Bird City Times will be at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, May 31, as the offices will be closed on Memorial Day (Monday, May 30). The newspapers will be published and delivered one day late that week.

Hope Valley Cemetery cleanup

Hope Valley Cemetery Clean Up will be at 8 a.m. mountain daylight time, 9 a.m. central daylight time Thursday, May 26.

Memorial Day services will be at 2:30 p.m. mountain daylight time, 3:30 p.m. central daylight time on Sunday, May 29. Pastor Glenn Isernhagen will be the guest speaker, Althea LeBow will be song leader. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy the fellowship.

Cheyenne Valley Cemetery service

Cheyenne Valley Cemetery

Memorial Day service, south of Wheeler, will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Monday, May 30. Bring a sack lunch to enjoy during the annual business meeting.

Deadline for comments

The deadline for people to comment and/or complain about the changes in pick up times at the post offices in St. Francis and Bird City must be postmarked by May 24. Contact: Consumer Affairs Manager, Central Plains District, P.O. Box 199504, Omaha, NE 68119-9504. The proposed time for mail pick up in St. Francis is 2:15 p.m. (is now 4:40 p.m.); and Bird City pick up will be 2:40 p.m. (is now 3:45 p.m.).

Kindergarten promotions

St. Francis kindergartners will be promoted at 10 a.m. on Friday at the grade school gym.

Rec Commission update

Alternative Answers Class facilitated by Kate Jenkins will meet at 7 p.m. tonight (Thursday) in the public library. The topic for the evening is "Diabetes - A Modern Epidemic."

Coed adult softball teams are forming for Sunday, June 5. Sponsored by the St. Francis Rec. Commission.

Kidz Drama Camp

Registered campers and their parents will meet at the St. Francis High School Theater Sunday afternoon, June 12 at 1:30 for orientation and kick-off. The camp will conclude Thursday evening, June 16 at 7 p.m. with a performance of "i Monster," a children's musical, written by Michelle Uyemura of Wray, Colo. The public is invited to attend.

Weight watchers walk

Come one/come all at 6 p.m.

tonight (Thursday) to the United Methodist Church for a 5K Weight Watchers walk with friends and family. Watermelon will be served following the walk. For more information, call Vickie Schliep at 332-2479.

Swim team

Plains Tsunami Saintry Sharks swim team will start practice soon. For more information on being on the team, contact Margaret Poling at 332-3103 or 772-7374.

Bird City Alumni

The Bird City Alumni will be held on Saturday, May 28, at the Bird City Legion hall. Tickets can be purchased until May 21 at First National Bank, Bird City, and Hometown Market. See classified for more information.

Track schedule

May 20: regional track meet; May 27-28: state track meet in

Wichita.

Library Art Gallery

The St. Francis Public Library Art Gallery is featuring student's art work.

Narcotics Anonymous

Narcotics Anonymous meetings are held at 104 W Webster/Methodist Education Building on Sunday nights at 8 p.m. and Thursday nights at 7:30 p.m. Contact (785) 342-0028.

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides 24-hour-7 day-a-week service 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 in need of assistance, please call the toll-free number 1-800-794-4624.

Village Update

I would again like to thank everybody who has been supportive of the Village from the day of the fire until now. We were out of operation from Oct. 19 until March 14. As most of you know, for those 5 months staff and residents were scattered. We are now regrouped with 22 residents and 40 staff with the completion of Phase I of the recovery. This brings us to the next step, Phase II.

The planning work of Phase II is in motion. Many of you have noticed that the blue tarps are still up on the south roof, and that the burned center section of the building has not had any work going on, thinking nothing is happening. In fact, the Society is working with a long-term care engineering and design firm which has submitted architectural drawings to the State of Kansas for approval of the modified reconstruction of the center section. The plans include the addition of three private rooms at the west side, and three offices at the east side, with a connecting corridor.

When the connecting corridor is re-established, residents will again have wheel chair access to the main dining room and the activities lounge. Approval on the design is expected within two or

three weeks, at which time the demolition of the center section will begin. In preparation for that, the center section has been gutted including the removal of the old asbestos floor tile. Of the existing structure, only the north wall will be left standing. The timeline calls for the center section to be completed in September-October. Then the temporary dining rooms, activities room, and therapy room in the west wing will be re-converted to resident semi-private rooms, opening up ten beds. With the three added private rooms, our bed capacity will be at 35. Before the fire, we had 50 beds. At 35 beds the Village should again be a financially self-sustaining operation.

In consideration of the upcoming vote on county ownership of the Village, I would like to point out that of the five Good Samaritan facilities in Northwest Kansas, St. Francis is the only one which is not county-owned. The facilities in Atwood, Oberlin, Goodland, and Sharon Springs are county-owned with the Good Samaritan Society as the contracted operator. This is the same arrangement that the Society is putting before the Cheyenne County Commission, subject to voter approval.

By Jeff Paulsen



Administrator

St. Francis Good Samaritan

Personally, my family and I enjoy being a part of the Cheyenne County frontier community. It is a wonderful community, and we hope and pray that voters will come to a consensus on how to best move forward.

Fun Facts

• Candles will last a lot longer if placed in the freezer for at least 3 hours prior to burning.

• To clean artificial flowers, pour some salt into a paper bag and add the flowers. Shake vigorously as the salt will absorb all the dust and dirt and leave your artificial flowers looking like new! Works like a charm!

• To easily remove burnt on food from your skillet, simply add a drop or two of dish soap and enough water to cover bottom of pan, and bring to a boil on stove-top.

School Menu

High school menu

Monday

Breakfast: funnel cakes, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: taco salad, beef, cheese, chips, lettuce, tomatoes, sour cream, salsa, corn, peach crisp with whipped topping, milk.

Tuesday

Breakfast: sausage and pancake on a stick, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: cheeseburger on a bun, French fries, baked beans, sliced peaches, cookie, milk.

Wednesday

Breakfast: breakfast pizza, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: ham sandwich, lettuce, tomato, potato chips, baby carrots, banana, milk.

Thursday

Breakfast: no breakfast served today.

Lunch: no lunch served today.

Friday

Breakfast: no school, teacher workday.

Lunch: no school, teacher workday.

Grade school menu

Monday

Breakfast: muffins, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: nacho cheese with tortilla chips, choice of vegetable, choice of fruit, milk.

Tuesday

Breakfast: funnel cakes, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: cheeseburger, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickles, potato chips, baked beans, choice of fruit, milk.

Wednesday

Breakfast: juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: ham sandwich, dill pickle spears, potato chips, banana, cookie, milk.

Thursday

Breakfast: cereal, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: no lunch served today.

Friday

Breakfast: juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Come and Go Baby Shower

for Mason Conley Rieger

Son of Cale & Lori Rieger

Saturday, May 21

1 to 3 p.m.

at the St. Francis United

Methodist Church

512 S. Scott Street



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Friday, May 20 — 2 - 7 p.m.

Saturday, May 21 — 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Formal Dining Room Table & Chairs

Loveseat- Recliner Rockers

Living Room Chairs

Coffee Tables - TV - Lamps

Black Leather Loveseat

(2) Bedroom Sets

Dining Room Table/Chairs/Buffer

Rollaway Bed - Desk

Christmas Tree & Christmas Decor

Kitchenware/Dishes/China/Microwave

Home Decor/Pictures/Etc.

Wrulitzer Organ, excellent condition

Tools — Yard Equipment & Furniture

Lots and lots of Miscellaneous

(Rain Date: Friday, May 27th & Saturday, May 28th)

Circle of Savings

2007 F-150 XLT, 4x4, 86K, #T1325A \$23,500

2007 Ford Freestyle, #T7813A \$13,000

1990 Chevy K-1500, 4x4, T0378D	\$650
1999 Pontiac Bonneville, 155K miles, #T7141C	\$3,775
1999 Buick Park Ave., 96K miles, #43739	\$4,195
1999 Crown Vic Cloth, 73K, Blue, #53870B	\$6,500
1999 F150 S/C XLT, 4x2, Topper, #79479A	\$4,900
2000 Ford Windstar, #T1540B	\$3,400
2000 Taurus SES, 105,500 miles, #T8419B	\$4,850
2003 F-150 XLT, 4-door, 4x4, 93,800 miles, #T7493A	\$13,950
2003 Ford Taurus SE, 150K, #52324A	\$4,400
2004 F-150 XLT, S/C, 112K miles, #T1323B	\$9,400
2004 Ford F250, S/C, 141K, #T2049B	\$17,500
2004 F350 Crew XLT, 4x4, L.Box, 112K, #T1256A	\$19,995
2004 Freestar SEL, 2nd row CPT, pwr side dr. #T7020A	\$8,750
2005 Ford Explorer XLT, Blue 91K, T5631A	\$11,200
2005 Ford Explorer XLT, Blue, 91K, #T5631A	\$10,995
2006 F350 Crew Lariat, 4x4, L. Box, 6.0L, #T2068C	\$23,500
2006 F550 XL Crew, AT, 4x4, Serv. Bed, #T8939A	\$27,000
2006 Chrysler Town & Country, 83,800K, #T7748B	\$12,000
2006 Ford F-250, S/C, 63,500K, #T9464A	\$21,900
2006 F150, S/C, XL, L.Box, AT, 4x4, 47K, White, #23451A	\$18,500
2006 F250, S/C, XLT, 6.0L, 4x4, AT, 88K, White, #T8116A	\$19,995
2006 Freestar Van, 71,800K, #60770A	\$8,775
2006 Acura TL, AT, Sunroof, Leather, #25830A	\$15,300
2008 Ford F-250, S/C, Lariat 4x4, 6.4L, 49K, #T1737A	\$35,900
2008 F150 Crew XLT, 4x4, AT, 60K, #T5192B	\$27,100
2008 F250 R/C XL, 4x4, AT, L. Box, 6.4L, #T5675A	\$28,325
2008 F350, S/C, XL, 4x4, AT, 6.4L, Flatbed, 80K, #T7537A	\$27,995
2008 F250 Crew XLT, 4x4, AT, 6.4, 70K, #T3329A	\$34,200
2009 Taurus X E. Bauer, DVD, AWD, 15K, #T5080	\$25,875
2009 F150 Crew Lariat, 4x4, 39K, #T0869A	\$29,800
2009 Flex Limited AWD, DVD, Nav., 35K Miles #T5459A	\$30,500
2010 Focus SE, AT, 4 door, 20K, #27020	\$15,400

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starts Tuesday, May 31

Random calls will be made throughout the county by the Fort Hays State University Docking Institute

People are asked not to hang up — That their answers are very important to the survey. The survey will be conducted between 6 and 9 p.m. and lasts only 10 minutes.

May Calendar

Dr. Frankum May 18

Dr. Reeves May 18

Dr. Curtis May 26

For more information or to schedule an appointment call 785-332-2104