

# Donations sought for flea market in April

The Thomas County Alcohol Drug Abuse Council is seeking donations for its flea market scheduled for Saturday, April 13, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. All donations to the council are tax-deductible and for those needing to make arrangements to have items picked up, call 462-6111.

The Senior Progress Center in Colby will have a sausage and pancake feed on Saturday from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the center, 165 Fike Park. Cost is \$3 per person.

Alvin Volk and Alice and Victor Oelke are providing free taxpayer assistance each Monday from 1-3 p.m. in the Senior Progress Center in Colby, and each Thursday from 1-3 p.m. at Pioneer Memory Library.

They have completed a four-day refreshertax course presented by the Internal Revenue Service in cooperation with AARP and will provide assistance through April 15.

Each taxpayer wanting the free service is to bring last year's return and W-2, 1099 and forms that indicate the gross income and expenses.

"The service is for all families or individuals of any age who are in the low or moderate-income level brackets," said Eli Boucher, Hays coordinator of the program. "Anyone who cannot make the assigned meet-

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ing times may phone 462-2830 to set up another date and time," said Alice Oelke, area coordinator.

The Kansas Authors Club announces a poetry contest for books of original poetry 50 or more pages in length, published within the last two years prior to July 1.

The contest is open to Kansas residents whether members of the club or not. The prize will be \$100, and one donated copy of the winning book will be placed in the Spencer Research Library at the University of Kansas at Lawrence. The Kansas Authors Club also conducts two other annual contests, one The Ferguson Kansas' History Book, and the other the Donald Coffin Book Award (not limited to any form). Write to Raymond and Margaret Nelson, 7301 Galoway, Wichita, Kan. 67212, for specific guidelines and rules, or email rsk-mncls qcaol.com.

RSVP volunteers need donations of baby yarn to make baby booties for new babies at the hospital. It can be left over or partial pieces of yarn. Leave it at the Senior Progress Center. This is an ongoing project.

# Program on stages of love topic at sorority meeting

## Club News

Xi Zeta Zeta met at the homes of Linda Ryan on Jan. 14 and Brenda Kimberly on Jan. 28. Socials were planned for February. Linda gave a program on the stages of love and how they relate to each of us. Brenda gave an informative program on Kansas. The members were quizzed on famous people from Kansas and shared historical highlights of the area we each came from. The members voted for Valentine Queen who will be crowned at the Feb. 11 social. Those attending the Jan. 14 meeting were: Relda Galli, Brenda Kimberly, Anita Porter, Linda Ryan and Deanna Sulzman. Those attending the Jan. 28 meeting were: Judy Epp, Relda Galli, Brenda Kimberly, Lynette Luck, Anita Porter, Kathy Ryan, Linda Ryan, Mary Smith and Judy Taylor.

February has been a party month for the members of Xi Zeta Zeta. On Feb. 3, they met at the home of Judy and Rod Taylor to enjoy the Super Bowl. Everyone brought a finger food and Subway provided the main course. Those couples attending were: Anita and Royce Porter, Linda and Larry Ryan, Judy and Rich Epp, Lynette and Bob Luck, Lynn and Randy Carpenter, and of course the host and hostess.

On the evening of Feb. 11, the members of Xi Zeta Zeta met at Holiday Inn Express, held a brief meeting and crowned their 2002 Valentine Queen. This year's Queen is Kathy Ryan. Following the crowning, refreshments were served, gifts exchanged, and an evening of Tripoly was enjoyed. Those

attending were: Brenda Kimberly, Deanna Sulzman, Relda Galli, Lynette Luck, Linda Ryan, Kathy Ryan, Judy Taylor and Anita Porter.

### Past Matrons

Fern Club, Past Matrons met Thursday, Feb. 21, at Fairview Estates for their monthly meeting and luncheon. After a delicious ham dinner, Marjorie Leh, president, called the meeting to order and all gave the Pledge of Allegiance. Pauline Layland led the devotions and read a verse about Angels.

New officers were elected for the year as follows; Marjorie Leh, president; Joyce, Gatlin, vice-president; Christa Nye secretary/treasurer; Pauline Layland, chaplain; and Martha Hullet, courtesy Chairman. Christa brought the doll that the Senior Progress Center is selling chances on. Four local people had their hand in making and dressing it, crocheting a blanket for it and making the crib for it. It will be given away March 5.

It was announced dues are due, and the next meeting will be noon luncheon at Fairview Estates March 21. All Past Matrons are invited to attend. Call Marjorie Leh or Joyce Gatlin for reservations.

### Brewster Lions

Eight valentines couples and two singles attended the Feb. 13 meeting. Tina Hansen brought the Girl Scouts from Colby to tell of their fund-raising project to help earn their Gold Award. The club had donated Lions Candy for the project, so enjoyed hearing from

them and watching their video of the day. The Bob McLemore family from Colby entertained with picking and singing for the program. Mom, Dad and their two 15-year-old boys, Blake and Brandon, sang and played the banjo, guitar, mandolin and bass fiddle.

The grade school basketball game was set for March 22. Al Rall and Fred Juenemann passed around the neck-

lace and earrings purchased for the drawing at the game, and passed out tickets.

The Feb. 27 meeting will start at 7 p.m. Bob Luckert and Don Crumbaker will be in charge of the program. Rex Jamison is in charge of the supper at the grade school basketball game and will be assigning jobs. Tickets for the jewelry and bed and breakfast give-away are also available at Frontier Equity.

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## Hospital

**Citizens Medical Center**  
Tuesday, Feb. 26, 2002

**Admissions**

- Infant male Barton, Colby
- Kirwin Jones, Colby
- Jewel Bowles, Atwood

**Dismissals**

- Connie Elias, Colby
- Rachel Garcia and infant male, Brewster

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day  
Hi-Plains Co-op

Wheat	\$2.65
Corn	\$1.87
Milo	\$2.91
Soybeans	\$3.82

## Community Calendar

### FRIDAY, MARCH 1

Kindergarten pre-enrollment, Grade School office, 8 a.m.  
Church Women United, First Christian Church, 10 a.m.; fellowship 10 a.m.  
Brown bag Al Anon (non-smoking), 775 E. College Drive, noon  
Pi Gamma, Katie Currier, 1:30 p.m.  
Wings Upon the Prairie drop-in center, 1980 W. 4th, 5-8 p.m.  
New Hope Narcotics Anonymous, City Hall Basement, 8 p.m.

### SATURDAY, MARCH 2

Arts & crafts auction, Pioneer Memorial Library, 9 a.m.  
Gem Lions Club Soup Day, Gem Community Building, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.  
Senior citizens potluck, Meadowlark Manor, noon  
Wings Upon the Prairie drop-in center, 1980 W. 4th, 5-8 p.m.  
Heartland Christian School banquet, student union, 6:30 p.m.  
Sixth Street Alcoholics Anonymous, 1275 West 6th, 8:30 p.m.

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