

Happenings

After 5 Club
The High Plains Kansas After 5 Club, which is affiliated with Christian Women's Club, is inviting the public to its dinner party, *A Good Hair Day*, Tuesday, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Shepherd's Staff Conference Center in Rexford.
Featured guest will be Shelly Moedeer with Uptown Style in Colby, who plans to share the latest in hair care and styles.
Music will be provided by Bobbi Blackhart singing, *Blow-Dry Blues*, and the guest speaker is Jean Hofmann of Battle Creek, Iowa, the wife of a world-traveling sheep shearer.
Hofmann also plans to talk about life with 10 children.
Reservations or cancellations can be made no later than Saturday by calling Melinda Enfield at 462-6046 or Gail Eberle at 672-4729. Nursery reservations are provided by reservations only and those interested are asked to call Janice Cates at 465-9139.
Golden Buckle Square Dance
Golden Buckle Square Dance club will have a dance this Saturday at 8 p.m. at the Colby Community Building.
Ron Snyder of Colby will call as Missy Wilson has canceled due to health reasons. As always, visitors are welcome.

Bridge

The Ladies Country Club Bridge results from Monday, March 4, were: Margaret Danneler, first; Joy Davis, second; and Thelma Shalz, third.

Center thanks all who helped at feed

The Senior Progress Center would like to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone that helped to make our pancake and sausage day a great success. A special thanks to the Colby Odd-Fellows organization, the Colby Lions Club and the Boy Scouts.
The following activities are scheduled for the week of March 10-14:
Monday - 11:30 a.m. Nutrition Program with Deette
Tuesday - 9:30 a.m. Exercise

Clubs

Brewster UMW
The Brewster UMW met for their monthly meeting at the home of Nadine Kammer on Jan. 29 with seven members. President Eva Lou Selby conducted the business meeting. Nadine Kammer presented the Prayer and Self-Denial program on "A Gift of a Lifetime." Each one shared with the group of what they thought to see the gifts that were brought. Nadine was assisted by:

By **PATTY DECKER**
Free Press Editor

Nearly 200 people attended the Heartland Christian School "Partners for the Future" banquet last Saturday at Colby Community College, said Sharon Funk, school secretary.
The purpose of the annual event, she said, is to raise support for the school and to help others understand the goals and objectives in Christian education.
This year's program included special music by Shannon Myers and her daughter, Rachel, one of the 61 students enrolled, along with a presentation from Dr. Robert Spence, president of the Evangel University, Springfield, Mo.
Guests also viewed a slide presentation, *For the Sake of the Call*, and members of the school's choir performed.
During his presentation, Spence talked about how America's Christian heritage has played a major role in the development of the educational system and the mother-daughter team sang, *Generations*, which emphasized the importance of passing down faith from one generation to the next, said Ronda Myers, school librarian.
Heartland Christian School has been a part of the Colby area since 1995, instructing children in grades kindergarten through eighth. The pre-school, said Julie Maurath, whose husband, Kurt, is one of the six board members, started the following year.
"The school moved from Mingo to Colby in the fall of 2002," she



LEFT: About 200 people attended the Heartland Christian School annual banquet last weekend at Colby Community College. The purpose of the event, officials said, is to raise support for the school



JULIE MAURATH/for Colby Free Press

while helping people understand the goals and objectives in Christian education. **RIGHT:** Heartland Christian School choir children entertained those attending the dinner.

Senior Savvy

class. 1 p.m. board meeting.
Wednesday - 10 a.m. Line dance with Deb
Thursday - 9:30 a.m. Exercise class. Yellow day - a day to wear anything you won that is yellow.
Friday - 11 a.m. Truth or lie?
Homestead Nutrition Menu
Monday: Chili dog, tater tots, spinach, bun, peaches

Tuesday: Roast beef, mashed potatoes/gravy, plums, bread, blueberry coffee cake
Wednesday: Chicken & noodles, peas, fruit cup, biscuit, cook's choice
Thursday: Liver & onions, creamed potatoes, cook's choice fruit, bread applesauce cake
Friday: Salmon patties, green bean casserole, jello with berries/bananas, bread, krisp rice bar.
All reservations and cancellations must be made by noon the day before. For questions, call the center at 462-2901.

Babies

Hannah Leigh Bange
Christopher and Vicky Bange of Menlo announce the birth of their daughter, Hannah Leigh Bange, on Wednesday, Feb. 12, 2003.
She weighed 8 lbs., 7 oz. and measured 20 1/2 inches long.
Grandparents are Sylvester and Rosemary Bange of Colby and Joe and Lillian Becker of Winona. Great grandmothers are Aline Becker of Goodland and Mabel Berndt of Monument. Welcoming their new brother home are Rebecca and Clayton Bange.

Markets

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Community Calendar

MONDAY, March 10
Duplicate Bridge, airport, 1 p.m.
Quit smoking support group, 775 E. College Drive, 1 p.m.
Monday Afternoon Bridge, Meadowlark Manor, 1 p.m.
Take Off Pounds Sensibly, United Methodist Church, 7 p.m.; weigh-in, 6-6:30 p.m.
Rexford Lions, Rexford Cafe, 7 p.m. (2nd & 4th Mondays)
Pride of the Prairie Orchestra practice, Colby Community College Band Room, Cultural Arts Center, 7:30-9 p.m.
Downtown Alcoholics Anonymous, (non-smoking), City Hall Basement, 8:30 p.m.
TUESDAY, March 11
Rebekahs, Betty Carney, 10 a.m. (2nd & 4th Tuesday)
Rotary, Student Union, noon
Alcoholics Anonymous, city hall basement, noon
Ladies cards and social, Country Club, 5:30 p.m.
Weight Watchers, United Methodist Church, 6:30 p.m.
Domestic Violence Support Group, 7 p.m. Call 462-2860
Sweet Adelines International, Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m.
New Hope Narcotics Anonymous, City Hall Basement, 8 p.m.

*Retirement Reception
for Ruth Hughes*



Ruth is retiring after working for Dr. Larry Washburn's optometry office for many years.

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