

Deaths

Ila N. Saddler

Ila N. Saddler, 92, of Colby, died Wednesday, June 18 at Prairie Senior Living Complex in Colby. Services will be held Monday, June 23 at 10:30 a.m. at Harrison Chapel in Colby with Rev. Carol Rahn officiating. Burial will be at Gem Cemetery at Gem. Visitation will be on Sunday from 1:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Mrs. Saddler is survived by her son Duane Saddler of Colby, two brothers, Layton Karst of Flagstaff, Ariz. and Gilbert Karst of Idaho

Reno Ray Fikan

Reno Ray Fikan, 83, of Colby, died Tuesday, June 17, 2003 at Lantern Park Nursing Home in Colby. Services will be held on Saturday, June 21 at 10 a.m. at Williams Funeral Home in Atwood with Pastor James Larson officiating. Interment will follow in the Atwood Fairview Cemetery at Atwood. Visitation will be until 9 p.m. Friday and before service time Saturday morning at Williams Funeral Home in Atwood. Mr. Fikan is survived by his wife Eileen of the home, son Larry K. of Atwood; daughter Lois M. of Atwood; brother Kermit of Englewood, Colo.; sister-in-law Elaine Fikan of Atwood; uncle Paul of Wichita; grandsons Luke D.

Falls, Idaho; three sisters, Marge Julian and Nina Lea Karst of Denver and Jo-Anne Hart of Elk City, Okla.; four grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. She was born Feb. 6, 1911 in Hill City. She was a teacher and lived in the area all of her adult life. Mrs. Saddler was a member of the Pride of the Plains Extension Unit and Gem Baptist Church. Memorials are suggested to the Gem Lions Club and may be left at any Colby bank or Harrison Chapel.

Smith of McDonald and Jason D. Smith of Colorado Springs, Colo.; and nieces, nephews and many other relatives and friends. He was born May 9, 1920 near Atwood to Ralph Otto "Rusty" and Clara Ella Davis Fikan. He was a farmer and enjoyed fishing, building and racing stock cars and barbecuing. He participated each year in the Tri-State Antique Engine and Threshers Association at Bird City. He was a member of the International Order of Odd Fellows, Rebekah Lodge #331, Atwood Masonic Lodge #164 and Radiant Chapter #229, OES. Memorials are suggested in his name to the Rawlins County Historical Society or Tri-State Antique Engine and Threshers Association.

Sod houses displayed as part of the area's history

By MAXINE NELSON Colby Free Press Editor's note: This is the second in a series on sodhouses that started on Friday, June 13. Buildings were furnished in the style of 1860 to 1940 (the sod house era), and had on display thousands of weapons, tools, household items, Indian artifacts, pictures, and historical documents. The sod school house was furnished as were the pioneer schools of 1860-1940. Kear had taught in a school similar to this and the desk in the sod house was the one he used when he was teaching. The general store was filled with articles that would have been on sale in the frontier stores during the settlement years of western Kansas. Every other year, the Sod Town Museum with help from members and supporters, demonstrated early methods of harvesting grain crops with old binders, stacking the cut crops, and later threshing the grain with an old steam engine and separator. Proceeds from sale of crops were used to help support the operations of Sod Town.

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Brewster plans city-wide cleanup Monday



Sally Michael  
• Brewster Correspondent

Here's a notice to everyone, that on Monday, June 23, there will be a City-Wide Cleanup Day, with pick up of all cumbersome trash. This will include appliances, furniture, and any other things that are unhandy to get rid of. Be sure to call the City Building, at 694-2205, and let them know what you have to be picked up, and for information on where to have it left. This is a great service to those that aren't able to get to the dumping areas on a regular basis, and having it picked up without charge is really a great deal. I'm sure I don't have to let everyone know that they must be reasonable in their requests for pickups, right? I have a couple of notices for things that seem a long way off, but the way time flies, I hate to think that they will be here before we know it. The first event will be for the weekend of August 1, 2, and 3, 2003. There will be a Bert (Chauncey) Thompson family reunion. If you know people that belong to this family, let them know that they should contact Marge Westover at 785-694-2837 in Brewster, Florence at 785-899-2550, Donna at 719-346-8923, Judy at 970-284-5952. Sounds like

this will be a fun time for the Thompson family members. Another gathering will be at the Brewster Senior Center on Aug. 23, from 2 to 4 p.m. in honor of Wilma Burk's 90th birthday. Her big day will actually be on the Aug. 22 but for the out of town guests, it will be more convenient on the 23. We now go from future happenings to those that have already taken place. On Saturday, June 7, the Brewster Class of 1948 held their 55th class reunion at the home of Royal and Joan Reid, in Goodland. Besides Royal, other class members attending were Bernard and Donna (Brown) Vohs, of Wellington, KS; Tom (Shorty) Starns of Ellingwood; Bob Hunter and his wife Dorla (Mayer) of Ridgway, CO; Ariel (McDaniel) Andrist and her husband Ben, of St. Francis; Harlan Mayer and his wife Verna, of Goodland; Don Jones and his wife Minnie Belle (Eicher), of Goodland; Jerald (Corky) Wolfe

and his wife Betty (Finley), of Brewster; Lois (Emel) Starns and her husband Warren, of Winona; and Esther Eicher of Brewster. Class member unable to attend but who wrote letters, were Lydia (Finn) Briner of Canton, OH; and Tom Carpenter of Honolulu, HI. Other guests were Dale and Judy Tooker of Ridgway, CO; J. and Dotty Reid of Leawood, KS; and Warren and Bonnie Reid of Brewster. Sunday, June 8 guests of Warren and Bonnie Reid were Bob and Dorla Hunter and Dale and Judy Tooker, all of Ridgway, CO; Curtis Coffey of Costa Rica; Royal and Joan Reid of Goodland; and Nadine Kammer of Brewster. The Brewster United Methodist Women hosted a Brewster garden tour on Tuesday, June 10. The first yard visited was John and Betty Carpenter's that included ideas that had been featured in Better Homes and Gardens. The next stop was the home of Dwayne and Sue Randolph. Along with the beautiful roses, the group enjoyed seeing their newly remodeled kitchen. The last stop was the home of Warren and Bonnie Reid where the group enjoyed the flowers along with refreshments and a "Garden

Meditation." The next meeting of the UMW will be at the Kuhrt Bed and Brekfast later in the summer. With all the events coming up and already over, it seems that we always just look for the good times. But there are a few people that aren't enjoying the summer as much as they would like, due to health problems or accidents. Willard Moore is nursing a very tender back due to a mishap at a family gathering in Goodland. Ruth Jones is having a time getting her blood pressure and medications leveled out, and has had some stays in the the hospital. Dawn Schultz is undergoing treatments that leave her a little weak, every few weeks. LaVelle Michael is having a quite a bit of leg pain. Marge Westover mentioned that her granddaughter in Colorado is having some health issues.

Markets

| Quotes as of close of previous business day<br>Hi-Plains Co-op |        |
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| Wheat  | \$2.82 |
| Corn   | \$2.45 |
| Milo   | \$3.75 |
| Soybeans   | \$5.85 |

Winona News

Carl and Gloria Hanson were guests at a wedding reception in Kowa for a niece of Gloria's, Heather Gashler. The wedding had taken place in New York. Friends and relatives from this area attending the Joel Koster and Mandy Unruh wedding in Lyons, KS were Pat and Art Koster, Lucille Bruns, Deb Beougher, Tammy and Darrin Fulton and Darin's fiancée, Jaclyn Hackeroff from Weskan, Pam and Mark Lewallen and Kalin, and Candice Latham. Darris Lewallen and Brett Ayers were members of the wedding party. Candace Latham spent a few days in Winona with her parents, Brad and Linda Latham, after attending the Koster-Unruh rites in Lyons. She returned to Lawrence from Winona. There will be a community bridal shower for the bride-elect of Darris Lewallen, Merry Teeter, at the Winona United Methodist church Friday, June 20 at 7 p.m. Sun Harvest County Fair was the theme for this year's vacation bible school was held at the Winona United Methodist church June 2-6.



Jean Lowe  
• Winona Correspondent

Each day was filled with fun activities, music, recreation, crafts, and lessons. Children from ages 4 years to sixth grade attended. Approximately 37 children were present each day with 15 "farm helpers" assisting Linda Latham, coordinator. Fruits of the spirit were demonstrated each day on love, joy, peace, patience, and kindness. Linda appreciated the following people who helped to make this a rewarding week: Erma Latham, Pam Lewallen, Amy Lamb, Marilyn Ochs, Jean Spencer, Kalin Lewallen, Amber and Sherri Mackley, Cortney and Chelsey Moser, Christi Schertz, Nicole Walters, Rachael Smith, Sandi Margheim, Jill Hanson, Tammy Fulton, Candace Palmer, April Palmer, and Junior High boys and girls.

**GIRLS MAYB FUNDRAISER**  
The girls MAYB team is taking over at Gambino's!  
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Atwood, Kansas  
Physician and Outpatient Services  
July 2003

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| Rawlins County Health Center Clinic | Monday-Friday, 9:00-5:00<br>Saturday, 9:00-12:00 |
| Diabetic Clinic                     | Wednesdays, 9:00-5:00                            |
| McDonald Clinic, McDonald, KS       | Every Tuesday, 1:30-4:30                         |

**FAMILY PRACTICE**

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| <b>CARDIOLOGY:</b><br>Fred Miller, M.D. .... Tuesday, July 22<br>Denver, Colorado<br>Jeff Curtis, M.D. .... Thursday, July 10<br>Hays, Kansas                  | <b>CARDIOPULMONARY REHABILITATION:</b><br>Cardiac ..... Tuesday/Friday<br>Pulmonary ..... Monday/Thursday            |
| <b>ONCOLOGY:</b><br>Martin Rubinowitz, M.D. .... Monday, June 30<br>Denver, Colorado<br>Monday, August 4   | <b>PATHOLOGY:</b><br>Pathology Services of North Platte<br>3rd Wednesday/On Call                                     |
| <b>PODIATRY:</b><br>James Reeves, D.P.M. .... Friday, July 25<br>Lawrence, Kansas  | <b>PHYSICAL THERAPY:</b> ..... Daily   |
| <b>PULMONOLOGY:</b><br>Robert Albers, M.D. .... Wednesday, July 23<br>Hays, Kansas   | <b>HIGH PLAINS MENTAL HEALTH</b><br>Every Thursday/Call 462-6774 for appt.   |
| <b>UROLOGY:</b><br>Kevin McDonald, M.D. .... Hays, Kansas<br>Carl Newman, M.D. .... Thursday, July 24<br>Hays, Kansas<br>Darrell Werth, M.D. .... Hays, Kansas | <b>AVAILABLE AT ALL TIMES:</b><br>Electrocardiograms/Pulmonary Function Testing/Holter/Monitors                      |
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| DISNEY WORLD - Hotel, air, park passes |                  | \$505   |               | 3  |
| MEXICO - Air & hotel                   |                  | \$450   |               | 5  |
| CARIBBEAN CRUISE & AIR                 |                  | \$1,050 |               | 3  |
| ALASKAN CRUISE & AIR                   |                  | \$1,500 |               | 7  |
| HAWAII - Air & hotel                   |                  | \$740   |               | 3  |
| LONDON, ENGLAND - Air & hotel          |                  | \$700   |               | 3  |
| AMTRAK EXPLORE AMERICA                 |                  | \$359   | Max.          | 45 |

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