

# Family

## Happenings

**Shooting Stars Square Dance**  
The Shooting Stars Singles Square Dance Club of Hays will have a square dance on Wednesday, Sept. 3 from 8 to 10:30 p.m. at Roosevelt Elementary School, 2000 MacArthur, Hays. Everyone is welcome. For information, call (785) 726-4432.

**Fall Jubilee**  
The KSDA Fall Jubilee will be Saturday at Roosevelt Elementary School, 2000 MacArthur in Hays. Everyone is welcome. Hosts for the event are the Northwest District and Shooting Stars Singles Square Dance Club. Call, (785) 726-4432.

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat	\$3.22
Corn	\$2.35
Milo	\$3.39
Soybeans	\$5.78

# Library offers relaxing movies, books for holiday



## Library Link

•JoAnne Sunderman

Jones. That is just a very small sample of the titles offered for check out so drop by to view the entire list. All videos and DVDs are available at no cost for a 3-day check-out period.

If you are planning to take that one last summer trip over the holiday, remember the Library has books-on-tape in both tape cassette and CD. Some of the newer titles include *Quantico* by Riehl, *Fatal Harvest* by Palmer, *To the Nines* by Evanovich, *Footprints of God* by Iles, and *The Teeth of the Tiger* by Clancy. These are available for a check-out period of 2-weeks.

Finally, if you want to read the

old-fashioned way, we have a great selection of new books from which to chose. We have titles available in regular print, paperback, and large print. Here is a sampling. *Clear Convincing Proof* by Kate Wilhelm takes the reader inside a rehab hospital where a gifted surgeon is found murdered. One of the suspects turns out to be his wife and lawyer Barbara Holloway is hired to protect her interests. Kate Wilhelm writes intriguing mysteries and *Clear Convincing Proof* is no exception.

The third book in Harry Turtledove's American Empire series is called

*The Victorious Opposition*. This alternate history series began with the question, "What if the South had won the Civil War?" Now seventy years have passed since the first War Between the States. The North American continent is locked in a battle of politics, economics, and moralities. In a world that has al-

ready felt the soul-shattering blow of the Great War, North American is the powder keg that could ignite yet another global conflict - complete with a new generation of killing machines. The year is 1934 and Jake Featherston, leader of the ruling Freedom Party, is in power and is taking his country and the world to the edge of an abyss. *The Victorious Opposition* is an epic achievement of alternate history.

Tom Clancy's *The Teeth of the Tiger* takes the reader into the Brave New World of terrorism - where anybody with a spare AK-47, a knowledge of kitchen chemistry, and the will to die can become a player.

The old rules no longer apply. A group called "The Campus", established with the President's knowledge, is always on the lookout for promising newcomers who fit their terrorist mode. They have infiltrated the armed forces and govern-

ment agencies looking for new talent to pull into their web. *The Teeth of the Tiger* is full of Tom Clancy's background research and of course is as frightening as ever.

I want to remind everyone that our "Booked For Lunch" noon book review series sponsored by the Friends of the Library will begin again on Wednesday, Sept. 10 with Linda Goossen talking on Gracia Bumham's book *In the Prescense of My Enemies*. These reviews are free and everyone is welcome to attend. Be sure to mark your calendars and plan to join us.

Stop by Pioneer Memorial Library before you finalize your holiday plans. We are located at 375 West 4th and our hours are as follows: Monday through Wednesday, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Thursday, 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.; Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.; and Sunday, 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. Remember we will be closed Sunday, Aug. 31 and Monday, Sept. 1.

For more information contact the library at 462-4470. We look forward to serving you.

# Woman can't stop thinking about high school sweetheart

DEAR ABBY: When I was in high school 10 years ago, I had a huge crush on "Jimmy." We were friends — nothing more. After graduation, Jimmy and I went our separate ways.

I eventually met someone else and I am now happily married with two young children. However, I have never completely forgotten Jimmy. I look for him from time to time on the Internet — and daydream about him often. My high school reunion was last summer. For the first time in a decade, I finally saw Jimmy again and met his wife. To my disappointment, we did not pick up where we left off and had very little to say to each other. But seeing him gave me butterflies in my stomach. My daydreams about him are now stronger than ever. Why can't I get him out of my mind? Please help.

— DISTRACTED WIFE IN THE LONE STAR STATE

DEAR DISTRACTED WIFE: You need to find out why you have chosen to obsess about a romance that never was and never will be. Until you do, you'll never be completely satisfied. Please don't think you're alone in having this problem. Fishermen and hunters often can't forget "the one that got away." Individual counseling will help you get the answers you're looking for.

DEAR ABBY: My husband died one year ago. I wore a gray outfit to his funeral instead of the traditional one. I have the feeling that some of the people there thought it was strange. In recent years, I have no-



Abigail Van Buren

• Dear Abby

ticed that some brides have worn a pale pink or an off-white gown, and I have seen bridesmaids wearing black taffeta with red. If this trend is acceptable, was my wearing a gray outfit at my husband's funeral OK?

— WORRIED IN PENNSYLVANIA

DEAR WORRIED: Subdued colors are proper attire for a funeral; therefore, gray is perfectly acceptable.

If any of the attendees were more preoccupied with what you wore in your time of grief than in paying their respects, they have too much time on their hands. Please do not make their "problems" your own. Let it go.

DEAR ABBY: My boyfriend, "Jake," and I have been fighting a lot lately. He says I am controlling and possessive.

I am a 32-year-old divorced mother of two. Jake is 31, and we have been dating nearly two years. The problem is, Jake used to see his friends two or three times a month, but for the past two weeks he has been going out with these single, balding, wannabe frat boys six or seven nights. He justifies it by accusing me of being controlling, and saying he never gets to hang out with his buddies anymore.

I admit I do make comments about his friends, who think beer is a breakfast drink. When Jake is with them, he becomes one of them — rude and crude. This concerns me and I'm starting to wonder what kind of life that might be.

— POSSESSIVE? IN BUFFALO, N.Y.

DEAR POSSESSIVE?: Two weeks is not a long time, but you are asking intelligent questions. Birds of a feather usually flock together — and from your description of Jake, he may not yet be ready to build a marriage nest with you or anyone. Be patient for a few weeks. Refrain from finger-pointing. If Jake continues in this vein, then it's time for you to have a truth session.

DEAR ABBY: Last year, my husband "Rick," and I were asked to host an exchange student from Swe-


den. When Rick saw "Inga" for the first time at the airport, he told me he felt an "instant bond." He now wants to help her with all her goals and objectives. Those goals include Inga never returning to Sweden. Rick is talking about letting her live with us while she finishes high school and community college.

I am jealous that Rick is giving Inga all this attention because he has never done it for our daughter or me. When I comment about how much time he spends with her, he pouts. What do you think?

— FEELING FORGOTTEN

DEAR FEELING FORGOTTEN: I think it's time to call the organization that sent Inga to you, tell them it's not working out, and arrange for her transfer to other lodging. The girl is underage and the situation is explosive. Do it to save your marriage — and the girl's and your husband's

reputations. Then insist on marriage counseling. P.S. If your husband isn't willing to go along with this, tell him you're going to exchange HIM for a more responsible role model.

*Bridal Registry*

Matt Bain & Shelby Moses  
Saturday, September 13th

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Dear friends,  
Please join Leah Biggs in celebrating her 90th birthday at a reception at the First Baptist Church, 615 Webster, Colby. The reception will be from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 6, 2003 in the handicapped accessible church parlor.  
Best regards,  
Leah's family & friends  
(Leah requests no gifts, please.)

*Bridal Registry*

Brent Wiedeman & Sherrie Tubbs  
Saturday, September 27th

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*The family of Mike Keck wishes to thank everyone who sent cards, called, made donations to the memorials, and comforted us during Mike's illness and death. Your thoughtfulness was greatly appreciated.*

*Bill & Billie Jean Keck  
David, Terri & Kaylee Keck*

**QUILT DEMONSTRATIONS**  
by Patricia Knoechel (Eleanor Burns' traveling sister)  
Saturday, Sept. 6th ~ 10 a.m. to noon  
Colby Community Building  
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<b>ALLERGY/IMMUNOLOGY</b> BOARD CERTIFIED Michael Volz, M.D. (Sept. 3)	<b>GASTROENTEROLOGY</b> Jeffrey D. Huston, M.D. (Sept. 8 & 29)	<b>PEDIATRICS</b> Raymond Ketting, M.D.
<b>CARDIOLOGY</b> Christina Fisher, M.D. (Sept. 16) Joseph O. Rainwater, M.D. (Sept. 24)	<b>GYNECOLOGY</b> David Forschner, M.D. (Sept. 18)	<b>PLASTIC SURGERY</b> Conrad Tirre, M.D. (Sept. 26)
<b>COUNSELING SERVICES</b> Meier Clinic - Angie Witman (Sept. 4, 11, 18 & 25)	<b>HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY</b> Martin Rubinowitz, M.D. (Sept. 29)	<b>PODIATRY</b> Steven B. Larsen, D.P.M. (Sept. 5 & 19) James Reeves, D.P.M. (Sept. 25)
<b>DERMATOLOGY</b> Wallace Weber, M.D. (Sept. 11)	<b>NEUROLOGY</b> Brad Miller, M.D. (Sept. 10) Khoi D. Pham, M.D. (Sept. 24)	<b>PULMONARY (Chest)</b> Timothy Kennedy, M.D. (Sept. 10)
<b>FAMILY PRACTICE</b> Pauline Aham-Neze, M.D. Ned Nixon, Jr., M.D. Tanya Pittman, M.D. LaDonna Regier, M.D. Scott Russell, M.D.	<b>OPHTHALMOLOGY-ADULT</b> William K. Keats, M.D. (Sept. 4, 5, 18 & 19)	<b>RHEUMATOLOGY</b> David Korman, M.D. (Sept. 24)
<b>FAMILY PRACTICE/SPORTS MEDICINE</b> Mark Williams, D.O. (Sept. 16)	<b>ORTHOPAEDICS</b> Timothy J. Birney, M.D. (Sept. 16) Theodore Clarke, M.D. (Sept. 9) James Holmes, M.D. (Sept. 29) Stuart Kennedy, M.D. (Sept. 17) Ted Parks, M.D. (Sept. 23) Gregory Woods, M.D. (Sept. 11)	<b>SURGERY</b> W. Duncan Davis, M.D. (Sept. 24)
<b>FOOT CLINIC</b> (Sept. 14)	<b>UROLOGY</b> Wallace Curry, M.D. (Sept. 25) Carl Newman, M.D. (Sept. 11)	<b>VASCULAR STUDIES</b> Stephen Annest, M.D. (Sept. 17)
	<b>OTOLARYNGOLOGY (Ear, Nose, Throat)</b> James Black, D.O. (Sept. 17) Jerrold Cossette, M.D. (Sept. 3)	



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