

Family

Death

Herb Sunderman

Herb Sunderman, 66, of Colby, died Saturday, July 10, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. Services are pending with Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel, 745 S. Country Club Dr., Colby, Kan. 67701.

Leonard John Henry Runge

Leonard John Henry Runge, died at Via Christi-St. Francis, Wichita, today after injuries he received from a traffic accident on Thursday, June 19.

He was born on April 27, 1919, to Julius and Emma Holle Runge, near Ludell.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, at 2 p.m., at the Redeemer Lutheran Church in Atwood with burial in Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery at Ludell.

Memorials in his name may be made to *The Lutheran Hour* may be sent in care of Brantley Funeral Home, 215 S 4th, Atwood, Kan. 67730.

Elmer P. Peter

Elmer P. Peter, 89, of Goodland died at Lantern Park Manor in Colby on Saturday, July 10. Mr. Peter was born Nov. 18, 1914 to John and Emma (Hornbacher) Peter in Sutton, Neb..

Funeral services are planned for 10:30 a.m. (MDT) at Emanuel Lutheran Church, Goodland, Wednesday, July 14, 2004 with burial to follow in Goodland Cemetery. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. (MDT) on Tuesday at Bateman Funeral Home. During the visitation hours, the family will be there from 6 to 8 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the Sherman County Home Owned Carnival in care of Bateman Funeral Home, P.O. Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Bridge & Golf

Winners in golf and bridge from Tuesday, July 6

Bridge results from last week's Colby Country Club tournament saw Rosie Van Dyke in first place followed by Margaret Dennele, second; Sarah Barrett, third; and Marge Roulier, fourth.

Ladies Golf in the game of "Low Net" resulted in a tie for first place between JoAnne Dumler and Sidney Strait taking first in first flight; Elaine Ptacek, first in second flight; and Cheryl Edmundson, second in second flight. Tuesday's game is a 2-Lady Scramble from the men's tees. Hostesses are Dumler and Strait.

Baptism

Michael Thomas Sorenson

Father Dana Clark baptized Michael Thomas Sorenson, on Sunday, June 6, at Sacred Heart Church. Michael is the infant son of Corey and Jennifer (Weber) Sorenson. His Godparents are D.J. Weber and Amy Wilkens.

Markets

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

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Soybeans	\$8.66

Health department offering immunizations

Editor's note: The following article is submitted as a public service announcement from the Thomas County Health Department. For questions on this article or general information, call 462-4596.

Parents, school is going to be here before you know it. Have you got your child's physical and immunizations they need BEFORE school starts? Two new requirements with immunizations for school entry are the Hepatitis B series (which are three total immunizations, first now, second in a month and third in

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four months) and the Varicella (chickenpox). Please make sure your child has had all of their immunizations and that they have had a required physical.

Who is required to get a physical? If your child is entering a school for the first time (such as preschool or they didn't have preschool and are

going to kindergarten) they need to have a physical that is required by law. If they have gone to preschool and are in the same building they are going to kindergarten in, a second physical isn't required. It is only for first timers in a new building.

The health department offers physicals at a very economical

price. Our nurses are fully qualified and certified to do physicals. The only physical they cannot give is the athletic physicals. This is because the High School Athletic Association requires that a physician do these.

Call soon for their appointment at 462-4596 and know that when school starts you will be caught up with your child's requirements for school entry.

Second camp session scheduled in August

Project DREAM, Inc. has announced its dates for summer camps for children 9- to 12-years-old. These second camp dates are from Sunday, Aug. 1 through Thursday, Aug. 5.

The organization is a non-profit

that focuses on children and youth whose parents are addicted to alcohol or other drugs, organizers said..

It reaches these children primarily through educational summer camps.

DREAM Camp is located at Cedar Bluff Lake near Hays and offers education concerning chemical addiction, coping skills and work on self-esteem, along with camping activities, companionship and support. The fees for camp are based on family income.

With the support of Kansas Wildlife and Parks, the camps are held at Cedar Bluff Lake.

People wishing to make reservations for a child or who would like more information should call (785) 628-6655 or 1-800-420-9282.

Project DREAM is also seeking support staff for the summer camps. Staff members must be at least 18 years of age and complete a formal application and interview. Selected staff are required to attend a support staff training.

Interested persons may contact the DREAM, Inc. office.

Colby Girl Scouts to exchange mercury thermometers for digital

After earning their Bronze Award in 2002, the members of Cadette Girl Scout Troop #110 are tackling their Silver Award, said Karen Shoemaker, assistant leader and one of the project coordinators.

"The girls are planning to hold a Mercury Thermometer Exchange in which metallic mercury thermometers will be collected and exchanged for digital thermometers," she said.

Metallic mercury is a very heavy, shiny, odorless silvery-white metal; it can be dangerous if not contained.

"We hope to make everyone in Thomas County aware of this danger and rid the community of this hazard," Shoemaker said. Mercury thermometers break easily and often.

When they break, the let off toxic vapors that can be hazardous to your health.

This is known as mercury poisoning, which affects the brain, spinal cord, liver and the kidneys.

The girls would like to invite everyone to attend the exchange. The dates are Aug. 20 from 6-8 p.m. and Aug. 21 from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Thomas County Hazardous Waste Site. The site is at 190 W. Fourth in Colby.

Only metallic mercury fever thermometers will be accepted. (Thermometers with red or blue liquid don't contain mercury.)

Participants may bring in as many metallic mercury thermometers as they want, but only one will be exchanged for digital. Supplies are limited.

For questions or other information on this project or general scouting, call Jo Cheney at 462-2082 or Sandy Swob at 462-3438.

Happenings

Sacred Heart Church plans summer youth program

Sacred Heart Church in Colby is sponsoring a summer youth program for students in first through twelve grades (based on last year's grade in school) entitled, *Prayer: Always and All Ways*.

The program will be this Sunday through Thursday, July 22. Grade

school will meet Monday - Thursday from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., junior high will meet Sunday and Monday evenings from 7 - 9 p.m. and high school will meet on Wednesday evening, also from 7 to 9 p.m.

For information or to register for the program call organizers of the program at the parish office at 462-2179.

Thresher Show planned in Bird City

The 51st annual Tri State Antique Engine and Thresher Show will be held July 29-Aug. 1 in Bird City. The show will feature a parade of farming equipment, steam engines, gas tractors and classic cars. There will be plowing with the steamers out in the field.

There are 14 permanent buildings on the grounds, including the sod house, the one room country school, the historic Neville church, creamery, blacksmith shop, the museum with living history presenters, the

quilt building and the printing press building. Some of the facilities are air conditioned.

Part of the festivities will be an antique tractor pull Friday and on Saturday, the McDonald Lions will have a barbecue and sweet corn feed. After the barbecue, Deans Duckson and the Turkey Snorts from western Nebraska will perform patriotic, western and gospel music.

For information, visit on the Web at <http://www.networksplus.net/threshershow> or call (785) 734-2785.

Rodeo queen and princess contest

The Thomas County Rodeo Queen and Princess contest is now taking entries for the contest on Friday, July 30. Queens ages 17-23, princess, 14-16, and junior princesses ages, 10-13, by July 1 are eligible. Girls must also be a resident of northwest Kansas. Application deadline is Friday, July 23.

The contestants will be judged in horsemanship, interview, speech and modeling. A trophy saddle will be awarded to the queen along with belt buckles for the queen and princesses. Prizes will also be awarded for horsemanship, ticket sales and speech and modeling.

For information, questions or entry forms, call Marie Skolout at (785) 586-2228 or email june@st-tel.net.

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