

# Family

## Deaths

### M.E. “Pete” Petersen

M.E. “Pete” Petersen, 81, of Colby, died Wednesday, March 28, 2007, at Western Regional Medical Center in Bullhead City, Ariz. Mr. Petersen was born Dec. 16, 1925, in Elk Horn, Iowa.

He was a retired depot agent for Rock Island Railroad in Colby.

Mr. Petersen is survived by his wife, Beverly E. Petersen of Colby; sons E. Scott Petersen of Huxley, Iowa, G. Curtis Petersen of Iowa Falls, Iowa and Michael J. Hedrick of Moline, Ill.; daughters Sharon Woofter of Colby and Debbi H. Smith of Kingman, Ariz.; one brother, Gerald Petersen of Elk Horn, Iowa; 11 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Trinity Lutheran Church in Colby with Rev. John L. Schmidt officiating. Burial will be at Beulah Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby.

Memorials are suggested to Trinity Lutheran Church and donations may be left at any Colby bank or Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel, 745 S. Country Club Drive, Colby, Kan., 67701.



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New 4-H members Tori Swafford and Kelly Sloan, far left, were installed during 4-H County Club Days at Sacred Heart School March 16.

## Solomon Valley 4-H participates in Club Days

By Chelsy Schroeder  
Reporter

4-H County Club Days for Thomas County was held the evening of March 16 at Sacred Heart School in Colby. Seventeen members of Solomon Valley 4-H Club participated by holding a Model Meeting.

Some of those members also took the opportunity to give individual demonstrations or talks and play an instrumental piece. Rib-

bons were given in each age group, Junior, Intermediate and Senior.

Those who received Regional blue ribbons will go on to compete at District Club Days held at Brewster on March 30. Other counties in northwest Kansas were also there to compete.

Solomon Valley 4-H Club received a Regional blue for their Model Meeting at County Club Days and will proceed to the Rib-District for competition.

## Babies

### Kasey James Giesenhausen

Mike and Stacie Giesenhausen of Colby announce the birth of their son, Kasey James Giesenhausen, Wednesday, March 28, 2007, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. Kasey weighed 9 pounds, 11 ounces and was 21 inches long. Grandparents are Jim and Vicky Giesenhausen and Ron and Wanda Hicks. Kasey

was welcomed home by sister Macey Paige.

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat	\$4.23
Corn	\$3.62
Milo	\$5.96
Soybeans	\$6.63

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# Easter egg hunt Saturday in Rexford

The Rexford Lion’s Club Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be Saturday , 1:30 p.m. at the City Park for ages toddlers through third grade. The weather is unpredictable for this very special activity for young and old alike.

Last year the wind was horrific and the year before it had to be canceled at the park due to rainfall.

Last weekend Cleda Moeder attended the State Kids Wrestling Tournament in Topeka with her son,



**Vicki Allison**  
● Rexford Correspondent

Tim and daughter-in-law Shelly, of Colby, to watch her grandson, Taylor Moeder, wrestle. Taylor placed first in the 90lb 14 and under class. The community is saddened due

to the recent death of Glendora Bastin and extends sincere sympathy to family and friends. The funeral will be held at the Rexford Community Church, Tuesday, April 3, at 2 p.m.

A sincere sympathy is also extended to the family of Mary Luna as they grieve the recent death of her father, John Rivera.

The general election voting booths will be at the Golden Plains High School Gym.

At the Red Barn: Those attending Barnswallows pinochle were Jean Hawkins, Deb Stepper, Rex and Betty Carswell, Grace Cheney, Lawrence Horinek, Darlene Robben and Dick Sanford. Those attending Koffee Klatch were Delores Dible, Evelyn Proffitt, Liz Rall, Margaret Arasmith, Darla Dible, Eunice Sanford, Berneda Zoberst, Jean Hawkins, and Vest Roth. Until next time, make your week a memorable one.

# Spring cleaning and yard work underway

People have been busy doing their Spring yard clean-up, and I’m sure Spring house cleaning too. Not much news this week.

The Brewster Community Church had their annual bake sale on Saturday March 24. The proceeds go to their mission funds. Understand they did quite well this year.

Last Tuesday’s overnight guests of Warren and Bonnie Reid were John and Laurie Jones, Mallory and Julie of Kismet, and Ryan and Amanda Kisner and Elijah of



**Betty Jo Baird**  
● Brewster Correspondent

Goodwell, Okla., Nate and Judy Reid visited in the evening.

Don’t forget to get out and VOTE April 3. Your vote does count, and is important on the college issue.

Brewster Grocery Inc., are having their grand opening, Friday and

Saturday, April 13 and 14. Friday they will have store specials and Saturday they will be serving Sloppy Joes from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. along with store specials. There will be drawings for \$100, \$75, and \$50 gift certificates for groceries. Saturday they will be open from 8 a.m. till 6 p.m.

The RSVP Banquet and Dance will be held April 18 at the American Legion in Colby. Registration is at 4 p.m., dinner served at 5 p.m. followed by awards. Dance is 7 to 9 p.m. Please let Laura in Colby know by April 9 if you plan to attend. The Senior Center will be taking our bus down if you need a ride.

If you are ending a relationship, be careful not to make food your substitute lover.

Eating is an unconscious response that fills the emptiness we

feel. We look for something to fill the void and ease the pain.

Food always seems to fit the bill. It is painless. It is available. It usually looks, smells, and feels good. Food won’t argue with you. It won’t take anything from you. It is something you can snuggle up with and settle down with. Food always seems to be there when you need it, but don’t let food fool you. It will leave you in much worse shape than your exiting lover.

Instead of a sandwich, ice cream, or pie, try running, dancing, or screaming. If none of that works, find a nice quiet place to cry and pray. God does listen. You may not feel good when you are doing it, but you will get more out of it than calories, inches, and a body to feel bad about.

See you next week.

## Community Calendar

- TUESDAY, APRIL 3**  
Narcotics Anonymous, City Hall basement, 8 p.m.  
Wings Upon the Prairie drop-in center, 485 N. Franklin, 9 a.m.-8 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4**  
Kindergarten pre-enrollment, Colby Grade School, 7:30 a.m.-3 p.m.  
Enrollment open house, Puddle Duck Preschool, 4-6 p.m.  
Genesis Thomas County pick-up, 350 S. Range, 10 a.m.-noon, 1-4 p.m.  
Sixth Street Alcoholics Anonymous, 1275 W. Sixth St., 8:30 p.m.
- THURSDAY, APRIL 5**  
Wings Upon the Prairie drop-in center, 485 N. Franklin, 9 a.m.-8 p.m.

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