

# Family

## Deaths

### Joan P. Griggs

Joan P. Griggs, 74, of Colby, died Wednesday, April 10, 2007, in Colby.

Mrs. Griggs was born May 30, 1932, in Burntwood Township near Beardsley.

She was a lifelong area resident and a homemaker.

Mrs. Griggs is survived by her sons, Edward Griggs of Norfolk, Va., William Griggs and Gerald Griggs of Colby; daughters Rebecca Griggs and Bernice Skiles of Colby; brother John Pochop of Colton, Calif.; sister Rose Ann

Bayes of El Segundo, Calif.; 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at Harrison Chapel in Colby with Pastor James Mardock of Colby officiating. Burial will be at St. John's Cemetery in rural Atwood.

Visitation will be from 2 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Harrison Chapel.

Memorials are suggested to Colby United Methodist Church and may be left at any Colby bank or Harrison Chapel.

### Betty Jo Miller

Betty Jo Miller, 83, of Goodland, died Wednesday, April 11, 2007, in Purcell, Okla. Mrs. Miller was born Dec. 6, 1923, in Colby. She was the mother of David Wicks of Colby.

She was a resident of Byars and Stratford, Okla., area for the past 25 years.

She was a homemaker.

Mrs. Miller is survived by her husband, Louis Miller of Byars, Okla.; stepson Louis Miller, Jr., of Liberal; daughters Cathy Jo Wicks of Edmond, Okla., and Jackie Barnes of Sweetwater, Texas; step-daughters Linda Godwin of Oologah, Okla., and Cody Douglas

of Yukon, Okla.; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, John Wicks, in 1964.

A graveside inurnment will be held at 10 a.m. Central Time Monday at the Goodland Cemetery in Goodland with Rev. Brad Wicks of Springfield, Mo., officiating.

Burial will be at Goodland Cemetery.

There will be no visitation as there was cremation.

Memorials are suggested in her name and may be mailed to Harrison Chapel, P.O. Box 634, Colby, Kan., 67701.

## Babies

### Teigan Lane Thummel

Karen and Bill Thummel of Colby announce the birth of their son, Teigan Lane Thummel, Friday, March 16, 2007, at Hays Medical Center in Hays. Teigan weighed 8 pounds, 9 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Dale and Carol Thiel of Colby and Dennis and Shirley Thummel of Brighton, Colo.

Teigan was welcomed home by brother Braden and sisters Brianna and Taylor.

## Community Calendar

### SATURDAY, APRIL 14

Lecture on Nicodemus excavation, Prairie Museum of Art and History, 1 p.m.

ACT test, Colby Community College, 8 a.m.

Comedian Ken Davis "Unplugged," Colby High School auditorium, 6 p.m.

Golden Buckle Square Dance Club, Colby Community Building, 8 p.m.

### SUNDAY, APRIL 15

Bowl for Kids Sake sponsored by Big Brothers Big Sisters, Colby Bowl

WPAA K-State Singers, Colby High School auditorium, 3 p.m.

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# Brewster residents ready for school fair



### Betty Jo Baird

• Brewster Correspondent

The school carnival, sponsored by the Brewster Music Department will be held from 4 to 7 p.m. Saturday at the Brewster School. Lots of fun and games for the whole family. Silent Auction and Bingo. Great items donated by area businesses. They will also have a concession stand. Come and enjoy the fun.

Food commodities were distributed at the Center Wednesday.

The community is very saddened by the passing of Rick Brown on Wednesday April 4. Rick was a wonderful family man and farmer

Bonnie Reid, whose birthday was on April 1. Then at potluck Wednesday noon we celebrated Willard Moore's 93rd birthday, with his sister Wanda Fulwider bring an ice cream cake with punch, mints and nuts. Happy Birthday to both of you.

We knew Willard was the oldest man in town, but didn't know who the oldest woman was, well she confessed Wednesday, Willard's sister Wanda Fulwider will be 86 years old on May 25. That's some record for the same family to hold.

Want to wish each and everyone of you a Happy Easter, and let's not forget what we celebrate it for. Jesus died for us on that cross and lives on to be part of our lives, if we will just open our hearts to him and let him in.

### All is Well

The virgin white of Winter Now wears a shawl of green For all the trees are budding And flowers can be seen.

The snow that chilled us yesterday Has melted like a dream For now the stone is rolled away Beneath the sunlight's gleam.

How sweet the sounds of Spring As songbirds now return, And here below the rainbow Earth makes another turn.

For Spring's a noble season, One of show and tell When God reveals His majesty And shows us all is well. Author: Clay Harrison

## VFW Auxiliary elects officers

VFW Auxiliary 6882 met April 10 at the post home with Elva Livingston presiding. Roll call was heard and opening prayer offered followed by patriotic instructions and flag salute. National anthem words were read with heart salute by members followed by POW-MIA prayer.

Peggy Ohlrogge was initiated as a new member. Minutes were read and approved and treasurer's report heard.

Bills were presented and allowed for payment.

Correspondence read was general orders, president's message, brochures for youth programs, certificate of appreciation from national home, report of winners of Patriotic Pen and Voice of Democracy and excerpts from cancer aid and research mailing, extension mailing and Americanism mailing.

Hospital chairman reported comfort items ready and cookies to be made for Winfield and Fort Dodge soldiers homes.

Community service reported 231 volunteer hours for February.

Report was heard on work day at the post home for cleaning.

By duly processed motion and second the following officers were elected for 2007-2008: President Peggy Ohlrogge, Senior Vice president Doris Voisin, Junior Vice President Cordelia Jaspersen, Treasurer Rosalie Seemann, Chaplain Lily Thieler, Conductress Elva Livingston, Guard Margene Griffin and Trustee #3 Elva Livingston.

Betty Carney will serve as patriotic instructor and Hazel Duffey as secretary.

Bingo schedule to be made and mailed for next three months.

Decision was made to research purchasing or repairing stools for bingo workers.

National home prayer and POW-MIA prayer was offered. Meeting

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat	\$4.56
Corn	\$3.47
Milo	\$5.69
Soybeans	\$6.40

## KLOE-KKCI-KWGB & Budweiser March Madness Contest

### WINNER ~ JIM GIESENHAGEN OF COLBY



Brent Menges, owner of Colby Automotive in Colby along with Marty Melia of KKCI/KLOE/KWGB presented a \$500 check to Jim Giesenhagen of Colby for winning the March Madness Contest.

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### Wayne S. Hedden

11/07/33 - 4/14/07



I thought of you with love today but that is nothing new. I thought about you yesterday, everyday before that too. I think of you in silence, I softly speak your name. Now all I have are memories, many pictures in frames. Your memory is my keepsake with which I'll never part. God has you in his keeping, I have you forever in my heart.

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