

# Family

## Deaths

### Homer F. Bjork

Homer F. Bjork, 76, of Colby, died Friday, June 8, 2007, in Colby. Services are pending with Mr. Bjork was born Sept. 4, 1930, Harrison Chapel in Colby.

### Roberta F. Urban

Roberta F. Urban, 75, of Oberlin, died Wednesday, June 6, 2007, at the Good Samaritan Center in Oberlin. Mrs. Urban was born Feb. 13, 1932, in rural Atwood to Ralph and Eleanor (Knudsek) Urban. She was a graduate of Atwood High School. She was a homemaker and caregiver. She enjoyed reading and playing the organ and piano. Mrs. Urban is survived by her brother, John Urban and wife Agnes of Colby; three sisters, Donna Frandsen of Oberlin, Sylvia Wachendorfer of Selden and Mary Depe of Trenton, Neb.; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and three brothers, Bennie R. Urban, Delvin Urban and Franklin Urban. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin with Pastor Rick Langness officiating. Burial will be at Oberlin Cemetery in Oberlin. Visitation will be until 8 p.m. today at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin and from 8 a.m. to service time Saturday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to the Decatur County High School music department.

## Nuptials planned in Burlington

Jessica Mosness and Jason Bahe, both of Goodland, plan to marry Sunday, June 10. Their wedding will be at the Outback Park in Burlington and Judge Wayne Mills, a friend, will perform the ceremony. Mosness, a 2004 graduate of Burlington High School, received an associate's degree in graphic design from Northwest Kansas Technical College in Goodland in May and is finishing up her classes and will be done the end of June. She is the daughter of Tammy Mosness of Burlington. Her grandparents are Kenneth and Sharon Mosness of Cheyenne, Wyo., and Gloria and Joe Byer of Berryville, Ark. Bahe, a 2003 graduate of Goodland High School, works for Murphin's Drilling Company in Colby. He is the son of Mike and Deneyce Bahe of Goodland, grandson of Loren and Tamara Bahe of Goodland and LaVelle and Erma Palmgren of Brewster.

## Wedding planned for August

Duane and Pauline Fishel of Colby announce the engagement of their granddaughter, Hannah Zimmerman, to Brett Bandy, the son of Bruce and Leatte Bandy of Colby. Both are graduates of Colby High School and will be students in the fall at the University of Kansas in Lawrence. They will be married at the Colby United Methodist Church in August.

## Babies

### Eli John Holle

Orrin and Beth Holle of Atwood announce the birth of their son, Eli John Holle, Wednesday, May 30, 2007, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. Eli weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces and was 21 inches long.

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day	
Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat	\$4.82
Corn	\$3.85
Milo	\$6.07
Soybeans	\$7.22

**NOW SHOWING**  
**June 8th - June 14th**

**SURF'S UP**  
PG 1 hour, 30 min.  
Friday & Saturday 7:00 & 9:00  
Sunday 4:00 & 7:00  
Monday - Thursday 7:00

**PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: AT WORLD'S END**  
PG-13 2 hours, 50 min.  
Friday & Saturday 7:00 & 10:20  
Sunday 4:00 & 7:20  
Monday - Thursday 7:00

**FREE SUMMER MATINEE**  
"Charlottes Web"  
G 1 hour, 40 min.  
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# 'A Cafe' open for business in Brewster



**Betty Jo Baird**  
• Brewster Correspondent

The A Cafe is now open for business, it is open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday at this time. They may extend their hours to include Saturday and Sunday later. It is ran by Candi Aschenbrenner. It's great to have a cafe in town again. Candi offers a special each day. The city-wide garage sale was a great success this year as always. People got rid of a lot of stuff to get more stuff to replace it. But it was a lot of fun.

Jeremy Presley graduated from medical school in May. He will be doing his internship at the Via Christi Hospital in Wichita. He is

the grandson of Betty and Johnnie Schroeder. Ed and Toni Ackerman are the proud grandparents of a new baby girl, born May 30, 2007. Her name is Pollyanna Jo. Her parents are Pat and Karla Damman of Clifton. Nettie Mills, son Kenneth Mills and family of Arriba, Colo., visited her over the weekend. Her grandson, Dan Mills from Wyoming is getting married June 15.

Frances Jones is going to Hutchinson for a birthday party on Saturday to honor Rex Amos' 80th birthday. That's it for the news this week, sorry it's so short. Please get it in to me on Monday or Tuesday each week. "Life is not promised to you. Nor is it promised that it will go the way you want it to, when you want it to," Rosalind Cash.

# Children can have difficulty with disasters

## Plain Sense

need to limit the time that young children are allowed in watching coverage of disaster related events, and also be prepared to encourage healthy discussion about what is shown. For children who become very anxious or upset, it would be a good idea to completely avoid watching news reports. When a local event, or a national disaster occurs, children of any age may ask questions that even adults

have difficulty answering. They may have difficulty processing the extent of the destruction and the effect, and will look to parents and other adults in their lives for reassurance. Parents need to acknowledge those feelings, allow their children time to talk, and let them know their reactions are normal. Children should be encouraged to be realistic, and parents should take a positive attitude. Adults need to help children understand that bad things can happen, but that there are solutions and positive outcomes in even the worse situations.

If a child's fears continue beyond a reasonable length of time, or they exhibit unusual behaviors such as excessive worrying, depression, difficulty sleeping, or persistent thoughts of doom, it may be time to seek additional help. Parents should talk to their family physician, minister, teachers, school counselor or a mental health professional for further information and assistance. Contributed by Karen Schueler, MS, LCPC, Manager, Consultation and Education Department. The views expressed here are those of the individual writer and should not be considered a replacement for seeking professional help. Mail questions to: High Plains Mental Health Center PLAIN SENSE, Consultation and Education Department, 208 East 7th, Hays, Kan., 67601. (Questions will be formatted and answered in a manner that insures confidentiality.) Visit on the Internet at [www.highplainsmentalhealth.com](http://www.highplainsmentalhealth.com).

By Heloise

Dear Heloise: How can I clean the plastic tray for the water and ice dispenser on my refrigerator door? It seems to have a hard-water buildup. — Donna Jo in Laredo, Texas

**Vinegar can take care of that hard-water buildup in no time! If you can, take the drip tray out. Heat some household vinegar til warm — not boiling — and soak the tray. Scrub with a soft brush, rinse and that's it.**

**Warming the vinegar will help speed up the process, and you'll even notice it bubbling while working.**

**This is also great for the aerator on the sink faucet. Want some more helpful cleaning and deodorizing vinegar hints? Simply order my six-page pamphlet. Just send \$4 and a long, self-addressed, stamped (58 cents) envelope to: Heloise/Vinegar, P.O. Box 795001, San Antonio, TX 78279-5001. Stubborn hard-water deposits can make cleaning the shower doors, tub, faucets and anything that comes in contact with the minerals found in tap water difficult to clean. Vinegar does wonders on even your pet's water bowl. One gallon of plain old white vinegar can eliminate harsh, expensive commercial products, and it's safe for the environment, too. So stock up now. — Heloise**

### Contact lens-carrier

Dear Heloise: I've found a great way to recycle contact-lens cases. I keep my pills that I have to take to work in them. With the screw-on lids, I don't have to worry about the pills getting lost in my purse, or worse! — Joanne, Spring Branch, Texas

### Two handy travel hints

Dear Heloise: I have two hints for

your column that I hope others can enjoy.

When traveling, I take the color picture of my luggage, containing the brand name and dimensions listed, that is found on the luggage at the time of purchase. I keep this with me in case my luggage is lost; a picture truly is worth a thousand words.

While on vacation, I purchase doubles of all interesting postcards. These pictures are taken by experts during perfect weather conditions and are great for introducing and/or expanding on an area or specific site. I lay them out, back side (information side) down, on a copier and print. I cut each individual "blurb" out, and I have a label ready to accompany the postcard in my album.

## Community Calendar

### SATURDAY, JUNE 9

Colby Cruise to the Past registration, 8:30 a.m., North Franklin Avenue  
Rod Run Show and Shine, Fike Park, all day  
Horseshoe competition for rod run participants, Fike Park, 1 p.m.  
Engine Wide Open, Fike Park, 4 p.m.  
Bill Haley's Comets, Colby Community Building, 8 p.m.  
Wings Upon the Prairie drop-in center, 485 N. Franklin, 1-6 p.m.  
Sixth Street Alcoholics Anonymous, 1275 W. Sixth St., 8:30 p.m.

### SUNDAY, JUNE 10

Rod Run Show and Shine, Fike Park, 8:30 a.m.-noon  
Rod Run church service, 9 a.m.  
Poker Run, 10 a.m.  
Rod Run awards ceremony, Fike Park, noon  
Narcotics Anonymous candlelight meeting, City Hall basement, 8 p.m.

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