

Family

School Activities, Menus

**COLBY SCHOOLS**  
**Activities** for the week: **Monday:** board meeting 7 p.m., administration building; high school Dane Hansen Mock Interviews; 4:30 p.m. girls seventh and eighth basketball vs. Quinter. **Tuesday:** 4:30 p.m. seventh and eighth wrestling, with Burlington and Scott City. **Wednesday:** Dismiss at 1:30, building-level school improvement. **Thursday:** high school only, dismissed at 1; 3:30 p.m. seventh and eighth wrestling, with Oberlin/St. Francis; 6:30 p.m. girls varsity basketball, Orange and Black Classic; 6:30 p.m. varsity wrestling vs. Rawlins County; 6:30 p.m. junior varsity wrestling vs. Rawlins County; 8:15 p.m. boys varsity basketball, Orange and Black Classic. **Friday:** high school state debate, Topeka; high school only dismissed at 1; 7/8 John Philip Sousa Band, all day at Lawrence; 2 p.m. varsity wrestling, Beloit Tournament; 3 p.m. boys/girls varsity basketball, Orange and Black Classic. **Saturday:** FCA breakfast, 9 a.m.; basketball supershot contest, 10:30 a.m.; SAT test; high school state debate, Topeka; 7/8 John Philip Sousa Band, all day, Lawrence; FFA speech contest, Manhattan; 9:30 a.m. junior varsity wrestling, Rawlins County Tourney; 9:30 a.m. varsity wrestling, Beloit Tournament; 10 a.m. seventh and eighth wrestling, Goodland Tourney; noon, boys/girls varsity basketball, Orange and Black Classic.

**Menus** for the week: **Tuesday,** Breakfast, breakfast pocket, orange wedges. Lunch, tostadito, lettuce and tomato, fried beans, biscuits, jelly, diced pears. **Wednesday,** Breakfast, blueberry muffin, orange juice. Lunch, chicken and noodles, whipped potato, green beans, hot roll, half apple. **Thursday:** Breakfast, pancake and sausage on a stick, maple syrup, apple juice. Lunch, Salisbury steak, mashed potato, country gravy, California blend, hot roll, half pear. **Friday,** breakfast pizza, apple wedge. Lunch, super nachos, green beans, hot roll, half

orange.  
**BREWSTER SCHOOLS**  
**Activities** for the week: **Monday:** 7 p.m. school board. **Tuesday:** 6:30/8 p.m. high school basketball at Hitchcock. **Wednesday:** noon, high school scholars bowl at Weskan. **Thursday:** 4 p.m. junior high basketball vs. Heartland at Brewster. **Friday:** 6:30/8 p.m. high school basketball at Rexford, no school.  
**Menus** for the week: **Tuesday,** Breakfast: pancakes and sausage. Lunch: nacho beef and cheese, chips, corn, veggie mix, apple, applesauce. **Wednesday,** Breakfast: scrambled eggs, bacon. Lunch: spaghetti with meat sauce, peas, baby carrots, mandarin oranges, banana, garlic bread. **Thursday,** Breakfast: biscuit and sausage. Lunch: chicken patties, mashed potatoes, gravy, broccoli, carrots, pineapple, pears.  
**GOLDEN PLAINS**  
**Activities** for the week: **Monday:** Free Application for Federal Student Aid parent meeting, school board 7 p.m. **Tuesday:** high school basketball vs. Triplains at Rexford. **Wednesday:** high school scholar's bowl at Weskan 12. **Thursday:** middle school basketball at Greeley County, Tribune. **Friday:** high school basketball vs. Brewster at Rexford.  
**Menus** for the week: **Rexford: Tuesday,** breakfast, pizza bob. Lunch, surprise pizza. **Wednesday,** breakfast, breakfast combo. Lunch, chicken tenders. **Thursday,** breakfast, scrambled eggs. Lunch, chili cheese nacho. **Friday,** breakfast, breakfast pizza. Lunch, ticerito.  
**Selden: Tuesday:** breakfast, monkey bread. Lunch, chili con caso. **Wednesday:** breakfast, biscuit and gravy. Lunch, sloppy joe. **Thursday:** breakfast, pancakes. Lunch, ham and cheese pockets. **Friday,** breakfast, scrambled eggs. Lunch, chicken tenders.

**HEARTLAND CHRISTIAN**  
**Activities** for the week: **Tuesday:** high school basketball at Deerfield. **Wednesday:** noon dismissal, school improvement. **Thursday:** junior high basketball at Brewster. **Friday:** high school basketball at Deerfield, Mid Winter Tournament. **Saturday:** high school basketball at Deerfield.  
**SACRED HEART SCHOOL**  
**Wednesday,** students dismiss at 1:15.  
**Menus** for the week: **Tuesday:** cheese quesadilla, peas, kiwi granola bar. **Wednesday:** riblet sandwich, grapes, rice crispy, mixed veggies. **Thursday:** pizza casserole, carrots, pears, pretzels. **Friday:** barbecue beef, corn, apricots, clodhoppers.

Fund raiser planned for lymphoma patient

Friends of Reid Atkins, a long time resident of Thomas County, plan a fund raiser to help with his medical costs from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday after church services at the Little Theater in the Colby Community Building.  
Sloppy joes, chips, relishes and desserts will be offered for a donation. Raffle tickets will be available for \$1 for a drawing on prizes.  
Atkins, who has nonhodgkins lymphoma, is a patient at the University of Kansas Medical Center in Kansas City, awaiting a bone marrow transplant.  
He is employed by Mud-Co, and is a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church.  
Thrivent Financial, the fraternal insurance arm of the Lutheran churches, says it will match donations.



Reid Atkins

Deaths

James E. Donn

James E. Donn, 82, a retired farmer and school bus driver, died at his rural Colby home on Tuesday, Jan. 13, 2009.  
He was born in Thomas County on Sept. 5, 1926.  
Preceding him in death were his wife Eva, in 1997, and a step-daughter, Cheri Sharp in 1977.  
Surviving are a daughter, Julie K. (Drew) Barnes, two step-sons, Norman L. Sharp and James D. Sharp, and two sisters, Erma Hein and Shirley (Dick) Parnell, all of Colby; a son, Carsen R. Donn, Elizabeth, Colo.; a step-daughter,

Kathleen F. Burchfield, Alton; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.  
Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 20, 2009, at the Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel.  
Friends may sign the register book from 2 to 8 p.m. Monday at the chapel. The casket will remain closed.  
The family suggests contributions to the Colby High School basketball programs through any Colby bank or the funeral home, 745 S. Country Club Dr., Colby, Kan., 67701.

Heartland Notes

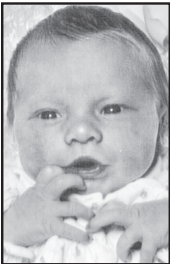
Heartland Christian School held its first Homecoming Senior Night at the Colby Community Building on Jan. 9.  
The cheerleaders had a pep rally and bonfire before the game, complete with a fire truck. Heartland played Healy High School. The junior high girls and boys won

and the high school girls and boys lost their games  
During the half time of the high school boys games, the teams honored the seniors, Abbie Reed, Haley Kister and Leanna Larmer, who have all attended the school since kindergarten. — Kim Schriener, administrative assistant.

Babies

Sophie Grace Husband

Sophie Grace Husband, daughter of Michael and Danielle Husband of Tampa, Fla., was born Jan. 12, 2009, at St. Joseph Women's Hospital in Tampa. She weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces and measured 20 inches long. Grandparents are Lisa Kroeckel of Tampa and the late Gerald Kroeckel and Tom and Margaret Karlin of Colby.  
Great-grandparents are Palma Kroeckel of Rochester, N.Y., and Joe and Thelma Karlin of Hays.



Sophie H.

Pinochle draws 14

The pinochle tournament held at the American Legion on Saturday drew 3 1/2 tables of participants.  
Gary and Shirley Emigh, Selden, placed first; Dave Williams and J.R. Albers took second; and Dick Sanford and Ken Sanford came in third. The competition is slowly increasing.  
Dennis Allison celebrates a birthday Wednesday.



Vicki Allison

• Rexford Correspondent

Comedian in Oberlin this Saturday

Comedian Sam Griesbaum will have a return performance at The Gateway in Oberlin at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, sponsored by the Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission. He last appeared in Oberlin in 2006.  
Griesbaum is billed as a likable funny man with immense talent. He says his act is "clean, funny and in demand."  
He has shared the stage with greats such as the Oakridge Boys, Brooks and Dunn, Louise Mandrel, and others.  
This is a season ticket event or \$10 for adults and \$5 for students at the door.

60th Anniversary  
Thank You  
to Relatives  
and Friends

Thank you for coming and sharing our anniversary celebration.

We want to especially thank our children and grandchildren who made this a perfect day. We are blessed to have such a wonderful family.

Thanks for all the beautiful cards, gifts and phone calls and your being there to help us celebrate.

Ralph & Marcella Albers

Senior Center

Activities for the week at the Senior Progress Center in Fike Park:  
**Tuesday:** 10 a.m., exercise; donuts and hot drinks. **Wednesday:** Cookie day. **Thursday:** 10 a.m. exercise; 10:30 skip bo game. **Friday:** 10 a.m. exercise; 10:30 shuffle board.  
**Menus** for the week:  
**Tuesday:** roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, parsley buttered carrots, applesauce gelatin. **Wednesday:** chicken rice casserole, cheesy broccoli, mixed fruit, roll, cherry cobbler. **Thursday:** sausage patty, green bean casserole, strawberries and bananas, brownies. **Friday:** smothered steak, scalloped potatoes, peas, rosy pears.  
The Thomas County Nutrition Center invites anyone 60 and older and guests to lunch Monday through Friday. Home delivery is available, as is pick-up service. A contribution of \$2.75 per meal is suggested for seniors, \$5 for others.  
Make reservations at (784) 460-2901 by noon the day before.

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