

# Thomas County Rodeo Pageant: Sitting Royalty

## Princess Kortney Bredemeier



Kortney Bredemeier is the 16-year-old daughter of Mark and Carrie Bredemeier of Colby.

"Representing Thomas County as the Rodeo Princess has been an honor for me. Representing the sport of rodeo and being a part of it has always been a dream of mine. I would like to give a HUGE thanks to my parents, Mark and Carrie, and my supportive brother, Seth. Also a HUGE thanks to Shawna Kersenbrock and Brandy Todd for making the pageant possible and coordinating it. I thoroughly enjoyed being part of the rodeos and being able to push cattle along with the parades. Last but not least, I'd like to send a HUGE thank you to the Thomas County Fair Board. Good luck to the 2012 contestants. I wish you the best!"

## Queen Jennifer Schwanke



Jennifer Schwanke, the 18-year-old daughter of Vern and Robin Schwanke of Colby, just graduated from Colby High School.

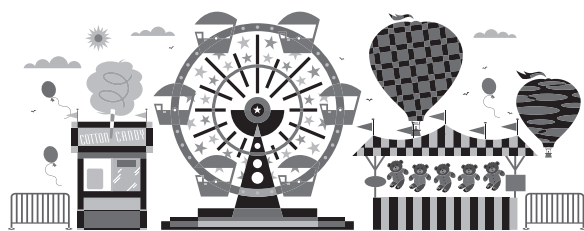
"Ever since I was little I have dreamed of someday becoming a rodeo queen. I have been blessed with the opportunity to work with great people who have helped me follow my dream of horse riding. Being the Thomas County Rodeo Queen allows me to share this passion with others, promote the sport of rodeo and give me the honor of representing my community."

## Junior Princess Tylor Todd



Tylor is the 9-year-old daughter of Jay and Brandy Todd.

"I have had an awesome time being the Thomas County Fair Junior Princess! Thank you for giving me the opportunity to represent rodeo and this county. I had a great year! Thank you Shawna Kersenbrock and Ashley Mosier for all the work on the pageant last year, and to all the sponsors. You guys are great. I thank my family and all the people that supported and helped me prepare for the contest. I appreciate and love all of you. Good luck to all this year's contestants!"



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