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A look at the backside of the seven Fairbanks-Morse dual fuel engines. They can operate on natural gas and diesel. In 2011 the plant produced 585,000 kilowatt-hours of energy. The plant runs not only as a peak shaving plant, but is also the city's back-up source of power if the outside primary line is disrupted.

Photo by Pat Schiefen
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Thomas County to hold hunger walk in October

The Thomas County CROPHunger Walk will begin at 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 7, at Trinity Lutheran Church, 855 E. Fifth St.

Organizers have set a goal of 50 walkers and hopes to raise \$5,000 to help stop hunger and poverty in Thomas County, and around the world, through self-help initiatives. Twenty-five percent of the money raised locally will go to the Genesis-

Thomas County food bank.

This year, said Linda Pabst at the church, the Colby area is one of 2,000 cities and towns nationwide to join in this interfaith effort with the theme "Ending hunger one step at a time."

Walkers receive materials when they sign up in order to find sponsors to support them through donations. Most Colby churches

have the information to either sign up or make a contribution, or you can contact Trinity Lutheran. Donations can be designated to other relief agencies if you prefer.

Many of the walkers will be wearing T-shirts proclaiming their support for the millions of people around the world who have to walk to live, and with the millions served by food pantries, food banks and

meal sites here in the U.S.

Haiti is one part of the world where CROP Hunger Walks are making a big difference. In the aftermath of the killer earthquake, Church World Service was there with emergency assistance. With the recovery effort in full swing, the agency is helping families and communities to rebuild homes, food supplies and livelihoods.

CROP Hunger Walks also play a role in the U.S., helping towns ravaged by floods and tornadoes to recover.

For information, to sign up or to make a donation, call Pabst at Trinity Lutheran, 462-3497.

Colby College offers fine arts trip

There is still time to sign-up for the Colby Community College fine arts trip to Santa Fe and Taos, N.M., set for Oct. 18 to 21, focusing on Native American culture, symbols and imagery.

Highlights include a visit to the Georgia O'Keefe exhibit, the Santa Fe Plaza, attending mass at the Cathedral of St. Francis, touring the Loretto Chapel and the oldest house in Santa Fe.

In addition, the tour includes a visit to a 200-year-old ranch, the Palace of the Governors, the "Roundhouse" Capitol of New Mexico and the San Miguel Mission, the nation's oldest church.

The tour will include a stop in Taos, allowing participants to tour the plaza, surrounded by galleries

and shops.

A bus will leave Colby on Thursday, Oct. 18, and travel through southwest Kansas and Oklahoma with stops at folk art and other galleries along the route.

The trip home will go through Colorado Springs, including a stop at the St. James Haunted House in Cimarron, N.M., for lunch.

Cost for the four-day trip, which includes room, board, entry fees and travel costs is \$400 per person.

Art instructor Rebel Jay will lead the tour. She has scheduled an informational meeting at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday in Ferguson Hall, room 503.

For information, contact Jay at (785) 269-7065.

GHS Cowboys of the Week

Based on positive academic performance, attendance improvement, positive attitude or random acts of kindness, the student nominees this week are:

Week of September 17, 2012



John Aguire, Junior

John's favorite aspect of school is all the great teachers he's had. His favorite movie is Forest Gump, and his parents are Christina and Antonio Ledesma.



Taryn Bedore, Junior

Taryn was nominated by Mrs. Livengood. Her favorite subject is Nutrition & Culinary Arts. Taryn wants to go to college on a Volleyball scholarship. Her parents are Dustin and Barb Bedore.

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corrections

In the Friday, Sept. 21, edition of The Goodland Star-News on page 6 sports No. 23 is Carlee Cooper.

This was due to a reporting error.

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Friday Sept 28 th
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in the Highschool Cafeteria

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