

# OBITUARY

## Sharon Smith

March 18, 1953 - May 11, 2004

Sharon Smith, 51, died at the Nebraska Medical Center in Omaha on Tuesday.

She was born March 18, 1953, in Los Animas, Colo., the daughter of Sylvester Lee and Louise (Nauer) Kincaid.

She attended schools in Densmore and Logan.

On Aug. 29, 1969, she and Bob Smith were married in Phillipsburg.

In 1970, they moved to Norton where they made their home and raised their family.

Mrs. Smith was a member of the Heritage Quilt Club, Stitch and Bitch Club and Norton Saddle Club. She was active in 4-H and FFA with her children. She was a past member of the Kansas Foundation Quarter Horse Association.

She was preceded in death by her father and a brother, Darren

Kincaid.

Survivors include her husband, Bob, of the home in Norton; three children, Travis and Laquita Smith, Norton; Troylin and Justin Frye, Paradise; and Tresadi and Dustin Preitauer, Stamford, Neb.; her mother and step-father, Louise and Clair Swank, Colby; two brothers, Tom and Patty Kincaid, Sparta, Tenn.; and Charlie and Sandy Kincaid, Norton; a sister, Leah and John Penny, Martell, Neb.; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were to be held today at the First United Methodist Church in Norton. Burial was in the Norton Cemetery.

A memorial fund has been established in her name. Contributions may be made to the Sharon Smith Memorial Fund in care of Enfield Funeral Home, 215 W. Main, Norton, Kan., 67654.

## Long Island banquet set for May 29

The Long Island Alumni Banquet will be held at 6:30 p.m., Saturday, May 29, in the Long Island School gymnasium.

Those planning to attend are asked to bring a main dish and another dish and their own table service. Coffee and tea will be furnished.

Class officers are Clifford Van Kooten, president; Stanley Kats, vice-president; Barbara Van Kooten, secretary; Lela Hall, treasurer; and Eldo Graham, scholarship.

## SCHOOL MENUS

### Norton High School Menus

Monday — Breakfast: Breakfast burrito, potato, fruit or juice or cereal, toast; Lunch: Meat and cheese rollup, baked beans, carrots, fruit crisp or chef salad; Tuesday — Breakfast: Waffle stick, fruit or juice or cereal, toast; Lunch: Pizza, salad, fruit cocktail, Rice Krispie Treat or chef salad; Wednesday — Breakfast: Breakfast pocket, sausage link, fruit or juice or cereal, toast; Lunch: Beef nachos, carrots, pears, cookie or chef salad; Thursday — Breakfast: Pancakes, fruit or juice or cereal, toast; Lunch: Corn dog, peas, coleslaw, cinnamon roll or chef salad; Friday — Breakfast: Biscuit and sausage gravy, fruit or juice or cereal, toast; Lunch: Meat balls, potatoes, broccoli and cauliflower, peaches or chef salad.

Eisenhower Menus  
Monday — Breakfast: Shipwreck casserole, chilled juice; Lunch: Spagetti, salad, fruit, garlic bread Tuesday — Breakfast: Warm cereal with toppers, juice; Lunch: Hamburger casserole, celery, fruit, French bread Wednesday — Breakfast: Cereal, toast; Lunch: Sack lunch.  
Thursday — No meals.

Assn. versus Robert and Elaine Simoneau, C & R Construction, \$4,125.26 plus costs and fees for non-payment of gasoline (diesel).

Marriage  
April 28 — Troy Allen Collins, Norton, and Sara Beth Scheetz, Norton.

Ambulance  
May 7 — Responded to pick up flight crew at airport for medical emergency.  
May 7 — Responded to medical emergency in Almena.  
May 8 — Responded to medical emergency in Norton.  
May 8 — Stood by at races in Norton.  
May 10 — Responded to trauma in Norton.  
May 10 — Performed a transfer to Kearney hospital for trauma.

Limited Action  
April 23 — Pizza Management versus Terrie D. Lynch, Prairie View, \$18.15 plus costs and fees for insufficient fund check.  
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instituted as Secretary/Treasurer of the Kansas Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association at its convention held May 3-5 in Topeka. Mr. Enfield has been with Enfield Funeral Home for 21 years.

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# PUBLIC RECORD

## District Court

These transactions were taken from the records of filings in the offices of the District Court clerk at the Norton County Courthouse.

Traffic  
May 10 — Terry T. Emmons, Sabetha, speeding, court costs \$60, fines \$60.

May 10 — Gary A. Coffman, Lenora, speeding, court costs \$60, fines \$42.

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# READERS

— Buffet dinner Saturday, May 15, 6-9 p.m. Norton American Legion. Open to Legion members and guests. 5/14

The Duplicate Bridge Club met Wednesday evening at the Norton Manor for their regular weekly session with three tables present. Winners were: first, Bonnie and Sam Manning; and second, Joyce Sumner and Jackie Porter.

## MARKETS

At close of business May 13

Wheat .....	\$3.50
Milo .....	\$4.48
Corn .....	\$2.82
Soybeans .....	N/A

# Temperature is better to go by

## About ag Brian Olson, K-State agronomist



"Is it better to start planting by a specific date or better to plant when the soil temperature reaches a certain temperature?"

Dale Fjell, Kansas State University agronomist, says that soil temperature is the most important criteria. He suggests that growers take the temperature at a 2-inch depth in various parts of the field, but not the first thing in the morning.

"In fact, the best time to take soil temperature is 10 a.m. to noon," he said. Soil thermometers are often available from farm supply stores and seed dealers.

Mr. Fjell also said that the soil needs to be at the minimum temperature or above for at least two or three days before planting.

The minimum temperature depends on which crop is being planted — corn - 50 degrees, soybeans - 55-60 degrees, grain sorghum - 55-70 degrees and sunflowers - 60-70 degrees.

If producers do not check soil temperature, there is a chance the

soil could be too cool which will allow microbes to feed on the seed before it emerges with the exception of corn.

Corn is the exception because microbial activity does not start until 50 F at which point corn germination will occur. Therefore, planting corn early is typically safe.

However, if the other crops are planted before the germination temperature is reached, microbial feeding could cause damage resulting in a thin stand.

In addition to microbial feeding, cool soil temperatures will cause slow germination and growth of the seedling through the soil as it emerges.

Slow growth can cause nutrient deficiencies due to slow root growth. Herbicide injury is also more likely because the metabolism rate decreases within the plant therefore there is more of a chance to have a damaging level of a herbicide in the crop before it is able to detoxify the herbicide into non-active compounds.

Therefore, producers should be mindful of soil temperature so they can achieve the best stand and early season growth.

For more information, please look at the production handbooks for each of the crops or view the publications "Diagnosing Production Problems" for corn or grain sorghum by downloading them at the Web site: [www.oznet.ksu.edu/agronomy-block2/](http://www.oznet.ksu.edu/agronomy-block2/) by clicking on the Production and Pest icon, or a copy can be acquired at your local extension office. Please e-mail me at [bolson@oznet.ksu.edu](mailto:bolson@oznet.ksu.edu) if you have any questions or would like to see a newspaper article on a specific crop production topic.

# Ham is a popular food in the spring

## Home ed Tranda Watts, Extension specialist



Ham is a popular spring food but it comes in large quantities. So what do you do with the leftovers.

Ham means pork which comes from the hind leg of a hog. Ham made from the front leg a hog will be labeled "pork shoulder picnic". Hams may be fresh, cured, or cured and smoked.

Types of Ham:

- Cook Before Eating — needs further cooking. Is not completely cooked in the plant and should be cooked to 160°.

- Country Ham — uncooked, cured, dried smoked-or-unsmoked meat products made from a single piece of meat from the hind leg of a hog or a pork shoulder.

- Fresh Ham — the uncured leg of pork which has the flavor of a fresh pork loin or pork chops.

- Fully Cooked — needs no further cooking. Can be eaten directly as it comes from its packaging or reheated.

- Prosciutto Ham — An Italian-style dry cured raw ham; not smoked; often coated with pepper. Prosciutto can be eaten raw because of the way it is processed. Parma Ham is prosciutto from the Parma

area in Italy. These hams tend to be larger than the U.S. product because Italian hogs are larger at slaughter.

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# Norton club to meet Thursday

The Norton After-5 Club invites all area women to attend the May dinner and meeting at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at the Town and Country Kitchen, East U.S. 36, Norton.

The cost for the dinner meeting is \$7 per person. Free babysitting is available. For reservations and cancellations, please contact Joan Knoll, 877-3042 by Tuesday.

"Bouquets of Spring" is the theme for the evening.

Todd Toman, on fiddle, and Mary Allen, piano, are a talented

two-some from Hill City. They will delight as they present a Musical Bouquet.

The Norton After-5 Club welcomes Elsie Gregory, Gering, Neb., as the speaker. A do-it-yourselfer, Ms. Gregory will share how to remodel your life in, Bouquet of Wisdom.

The Norton After-5 Club is non-denominational and open to all women. Part of Stonecroft Ministries, After-5 Clubs are located throughout the U.S. and Canada.

## Outreach Classes in Norton

# COLBY COMMUNITY COLLEGE ENROLLMENT THURSDAY, MAY 20, 2004

7:00 TO 8:30 P.M.

Enrollment will be held in the Norton Junior High School Cafeteria

Call Connie Miller, 785-877-5649 or Cheryl Roberts, 785-877-2305. Enrollment for summer will be held on Thursday, May 20 at 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. at the Norton Junior High School Cafeteria. Classes not listed may be offered if sufficient interest exists

NO.	COURSE	CR.	INSTRUCTOR	PLACE	TIME/DAY
EN176	English Composition I (summer)	3	L. Davis	Jr. Hi.	6:00-9:00 <sup>5</sup>
EN177	English Composition II (summer)	3	J. Votapka	Jr. Hi.	6:00p/T&R <sup>1</sup>
AL105	Nurse Aide I (summer)	2	J. Rima	Andbe	6:00p/MTR <sup>2</sup>
AL106	Nurse Aide II (summer)	3	J. Rima	Andbe	6:00p/MTR <sup>2</sup>
PH103	Earth Science (summer)	5	G. Rossi	Hi. Sc.	7:00p/Wed <sup>3</sup>
PH103L	Earth Science Lab (summer)	0	G. Rossi	Hi. Sc.	7:00p/Wed. <sup>3</sup>
CH176	Fund. of General Chemistry (summer)	5	J. Woodyard	Hi. Sc.	6:00p/MTR <sup>4</sup>
CH176L	Fund. of Gen. Chemistry lab (summer)	0	J. Woodyard	Hi. Sc.	6:00p/MTR <sup>4</sup>
MA178	College Algebra (summer)	3	C. Penner	Jr. Hi.	6:00p/M&W <sup>15</sup>
HI177	Am. History 1865 to Present (summer)	3	R. Walz	Jr. Hi.	6:00p/Wed <sup>6</sup>
MA250	Elements of Statistics (summer)	3	C. Penner	Jr. Hi.	6:00p/T&Th <sup>1</sup>
PS176	Public Speaking (summer)	3	D. Berry	Jr. Hi.	6:00p/TRS <sup>7</sup>
AR123	Intro. to Crafts-Scrapbook (summer)	1	C. Renner	Jr. Hi.	6:00p/Mon. <sup>8</sup>
AR206	Problems in Painting-Watercolor (sm)	1	V. Robison	Jr. Hi.	6:00p/T&R <sup>9</sup>
PS230	Adolescent Psychology (summer)	3	C. Miller	Jr. Hi.	5:30p/Tue <sup>10</sup>
PS176	General psychology (summer)	3*	L. Koon	Hospital	8:00a/M-F <sup>11</sup>
PS276	Developmental psychology (summer)	3*	K. Carter	Hospital	8:00a/T-S <sup>12</sup>
HE101	Basic Nutrition (summer)	3*	J. Thyfault	Hospital	8:30a/M-F <sup>13</sup>
EN110	Medical Terminology (summer)	1*	R. Speer	Hospital	12:30p/MWF <sup>14</sup>
ML237	Spanish Comp & Conv.	3	A. Otte	NJHS	6:00p/R&R <sup>1</sup>
NS295	Microbiology	2	E. Temmel	Hospital	8:00p/S <sup>15</sup>
NS295L	Microbiology Lab	0	E. Temmel	Hospital	8:00p/S <sup>15</sup>

1—Class will meet on Tuesday and Thursday at 6:00-9:00 p.m. and begin May 25  
2—Class will meet 6:00-10:00 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday and Start  
3—Class will meet 7:00-10:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 2. This telecourse has a course fee of \$40  
4—Class will meet on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday at 6:00-10:00 p.m. and begin on May 24  
5—Class will meet on Monday and Wednesday at 6:00-9:00 p.m. and begin on May 24  
6—Class will meet 6:00-9:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 2. This telecourse has a course fee of \$25  
7—Class will meet 6:00-9:00 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday and some Saturdays and begin May 25  
8—Class will meet 6:00-9:00 p.m. on Monday and begin May 24  
9—Class will meet 6:00-9:00 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday and begin May 25  
10—this is an independent study class. The organization meeting will be on Tuesday, June 1  
11—Class will meet Monday through Friday at 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. the week of May 24-28  
12—Class will meet Tuesday through Saturday at 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. the week of June 1-5  
13—Class will meet Monday through Friday at 8:30-11:30 a.m. June 7 through June 25  
14—Class will meet Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 12:30-2:30 p.m. June 7 through June 25  
15—this class will meet all Saturdays from June 19-July 31  
\*Interactive television classes have an additional \$5 per credit hour course fee. Contact the coordinator at the site you will attend an ITV class to pre-register. Refer to the ITV schedules for additional information on courses and sites.  
A counselor will be available at the Norton Junior High School Cafeteria on Thursday, May 20 from 7:00-8:30 p.m. to answer questions on financial aid, graduation requirements and career options.

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