### OBITUARIES Debora Dea Taylor April 13, 2014

Norton resident, Debora Dea Taylor, passed away on April 13, 2014 at the Good Samaritan Society in Oberlin at the age of 63.

Survivors include daughters, Tina Taylor Shrader and husband Wayne, of Newcastle, Wyo., Trisha Taylor Koerner of Lawrence, and Jaime Taylor; seven grandchildren, two greatgrandchildren; brother, Robert Sullivan of Wichita; nephews, Blake and Allen Sullivan; niece, Vicki Sullivan Baslee of Wichita; cousin, Tami Pearson Gee and husband Mike of Oakley.

Debora was preceded in death by her mother, Murdith Pearl Sullivan, father, James Henry Sullivan, aunt, Sarah Sullivan Pearson and longtime friends Wayne Zellmer and Tom Tourville

Cremation was planned. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday in the Olliff-Boeve Memorial Chapel in Phillipsburg.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Debora Taylor Memorial Fund and may be sent in care of the funeral home, 1115 2nd Street, Phillipsburg, KS 67661.

#### John D. Gnagy June 7, 1933 - May 2, 2014

John D. Gnagy, son of Roy and Olive (Kinser) Gnagy, was born June 7, 1933, in Allison, Kan., and passed away at his home in Anchorage, Alaska, on May 2, 2014, at the age of 80.

John grew up in the Allison/ Lenora communities of Norton County. He attended the Lenora schools graduating from Lenora High School and served in the U.S. Navy.

In 1961, John and Elizabeth Carroll Moore were united in marriage. They made their home in California until 1964, when they moved to Anchorage by his parents, his wife, Elizawhere he was an oil well driller. beth, two brothers, Kay Albert

In 2010, he met Chun Herrod who was his longtime companion.

John loved to fish, sing, and dance, and especially enjoyed visiting with his friends and family.

Survivors include: his companion, Chun Herrod, Anchorage, Alaska; one brother and wife, Roy and Mary Gnagy, Norton; one sister, Josephine Holub, Barsto, Calif.; many nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends.

John was preceded in death

and Donald Eugene, and three sisters, Frances Anna Whitney, May Pearl Maddy, and Neva Grace Erhardt.

A funeral service was held on Thursday, May 8 at the Norton Christian Church. Burial followed at the Lenora South Cemetery in Lenora.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the Anchorage, Alaska Veterans Affairs.

Condolences may be sent to www.enfieldfh.com.

Arrangements were by Enfield Funeral Home, 215 W. Main, Norton.

### Donald Henry Tyrrell March 23, 1956 - April 14, 2014

Donald Henry Tyrrell was born March 23, 1956 in Norton, and passed away on April 14, 2014 in Phillipsburg, at the age of 58. He was the ninth child born to Roy "Tiny" and Mary (Vahling) Tyrrell.

Don spent his early years in Norton, where he attended school until his family moved to Phillipsburg. He finished his education in Phillipsburg, graduating with the high school class of 1974.

Don worked many different jobs throughout his 58 years, spending time in Colorado, Texas, South Dakota and Alabama.

He also attended college for a while in Colorado.

He was the father of four sons: Kandan, Christopher, Justin and Jesse, as well as being a grandpa to Cody, Abby, Corrine and Sable.

Don loved to sketch and draw and enjoyed spending time with family and friends. Even though he had health and medical issues, he lived his life "one day at a time" and to the fullest. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

His parents, two brothers, William (Bill) Tyrrell and Robert (Bob) Tyrrell, and a grandchild, Barry Tyrrell, preceded him in death.

He leaves to mourn his passing his sons: Kandon of Portage, Wisc., Christopher of Madison, Wisc., and Justin and Jesse, both of Angleton, Texas; four grandchildren; three brothers: Richard Tyrrell, Ronald Tyrrell and wife, Dolly, and Thomas Tyrrell and wife, Neila, all of Norton; three sisters: Rita Minshall of Norton, Ruth Lucida and husband, Ed, of Palm Harbor, Fla., and Roberta Lively and husband, Ed, of Phillipsburg; one sisterin-law, Linda, of Kearney, Neb.; and many nieces and nephews.

# Petting zoo!



The students in Stephanie Kramer's Early Childhood Development class visited the Norton Animal Health Center on May 1. Office Manager and Veterinarian Technician Rosemary Vannatta gave the kids a tour of the facility where they got to pet miniature goats, a miniature horse, a miniature Jersey bull, ducklings, a pot-belly pig named 'Porky' and the Center's mascot, John Henry, a German Shepherd. -Telegram photo by Mike Stephens

### **Golf fundraiser set for June 1**

The Rawlins County Hospital Foundation is excited for its 2nd Annual Fundraising Golf Tournament and Live Auction on Sunday, June1.

Diane Sis, Rawlins County Hospital Foundation President, stated, "Rawlins County deserves quality healthcare right here at home. We are excited to have our 2nd Annual Golf Tournament and Live Auction, and hope it is as successful, if not more, than last year. We are paying out regular golf payouts and have included a drawing this year for a Ladies Cobra 14



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Piece Golf Set, \$100 Cash, and a MoJo Gift Basket."

You can pre-register a team or individually at the Atwood Country Club, Rawlins County Health Center, or on the day of the tournament. Tickets for the drawing can be purchased at the RCHC Front Office, or from Foundation Board Members.

"Local businesses, volunteers and foundation board members have come together to make this wonderful event possible for our local hospital, added Sis.

Registration be"gins at 8 a.m. The 4-Person Scramble shotgun start is at 9 a.m. The Live Auction and Supper will follow after the tournament. Some Live Auction items include: .223 AR-15 Rifle, Henry Golden Boy, 76 Acres of Crop Application Spraying (no chemicals), and 25 Preg Checks.

For questions concerning the Golf Tournament and Live Auction, to contribute to the Rawlins County Health Center s Capital Campaign or for memorial donations, please contact the Rawlins County Hospital Foundation office at 785-626-3211 ext. 220.

## In Loving Memory Daniel

#### Gladys L. Long April 9, 1919 - May 6, 2014

Gladys L. Long, Hays, died on May 6, 2014 at the Via Christi Village, Hays, at the age of 95.

The daughter of William Gilleece and Ora Regester, Gladys was born April 9, 1919 in New Almelo Township in Norton County.

She was raised on the family farm near New Almelo and attended St. Joseph Grade School.

On Aug. 2, 1939, Gladys married Marion F. Long in New Almelo and they lived on a farm near New Almelo, until moving to Hays in 2006.

Gladys was a homemaker in addition to working as Postmaster for 15 years and at a local grocery store for 10 years.

She was a member of the St. Joseph Catholic Church and St. Ann's Sodality in New Almelo, Eagles Auxiliary in Norton and the Senior Center in Lenora.

Gladys was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Marion F. Long, infant son, Lawrence, daughter, Imogene McDougal, and two sisters, Amanda Hickert and Millie Hahn.

She is survived by nine sons, Kenneth (Dorothy) of Nixa, Mo., Roger (JoAnn) of New Almelo, Joseph (Rose Ann) of Climax, Mo., Tom (Jan) of Woodruff, Floyd (Karen) of Kimball, Neb., Frank (Leticia) of St. Elizabeth, Mo., Fred (Mardi) of Independence, Gary (Carolyn) of Hill City, and Lenord (Joan) of Logan; and one son-in-law, Doyle McDougal of North Platte, Neb.; four daughters, Rita (Bill) Barker of Hays, Rhonda (Dennis) Johnson of Lindborg, Irene Schieferecke of McPherson, Geraldine (Mark) Baalmann of Grinnell; 36 grandchildren and 70 greatgrandchildren.

A funeral service will be held at St. Joseph Catholic Church, New Almelo, on Saturday, May 10 at 10:30 a.m., with Father Vincent Thu Laing officiating. Burial will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery, New Almelo.

Visitation will be on Friday from 6-8 p.m. and Saturday from 8 a.m. until service time at St. Joseph Parish Hall.

A vigil service will be Friday at 7 p.m. at St. Joseph Parish Hall in New Almelo.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the Hospice at Hays Medical Center or for Masses.

lin is in charge of arrangements. www.paulsfh.com.



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How many of you have been flipping through the channels on the television and happened to come across the "Joy of Painting with Bob Ross" program. If you stopped for only a moment, you would have been captivated by the simple and easy method of his painting techniques. We will again have two certified instructors that teach classes at the Hansen Museum on a regular basis. T.R. Mathews and Sandy Seamone, Arriba, Colo., will be here to entertain and instruct, step by step, revealing how easy and fun it is to paint the Bob Ross way. No previous experience is necessary and anyone

can do it.

provided.

On Saturday, June 7, the class will be painting "This Old Barn" and on Sunday, June 8, "Looking Glass Falls." The classes will run 9 a.m.-noon and 1-3 p.m. both days.

This fabulous learning opportunity is brought to you through the Hansen Museum Continued Education Program and offered to the public at a reduced rate. For more information call 785-689-4846 or go to our web at www.hansenmuseum.org. All you need to bring is a roll of paper towels, all other supplies are