

Food program deadline Aug. 10

The deadline for the Prairie Land food program for August is Monday, Aug. 10. Pick up will be between noon and 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 22, at the United Methodist Church.

For more information concerning the program, call Amanda Milne Mahon, 308-297-3214 or 785-332-6371; Video Connection, 785-332-3965; Empire Motel, 785-332-2231; Lee Nichols, 785-332-3581 or 785-332-6336 or the office of Tim E. Poling D.D.S. (Margaret) Monday through Friday in the morning.

One way to help make the food budget stretch is with the Prairie Land Food Program. The only qualification is helping others, something most people do every

day. Prairie Land Food is for everyone. There are no income guidelines.

Included in the Prairie Pak for August are premium ground beef, Tyson "blue ribbon" ham steak, healthy boneless/skinless chicken breast filets, flame broiled meatballs, lean Canadian bacon, beef fajita strips or chicken fajita strips along with fresh fruits and vegetables.

Additional packages (must purchase Prairie Pak first) include meat only package; or fruit and veggie pak.

August specials include "Super Time Premium Entrees", "The 'Lil' Jimmy" and "The Back to School combo."

Representative takes to board concerning funds

By Karen Krien

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At the Thursday meeting, a representative of the United States Department of Agriculture Rural Development, Hays, talked to the Cheyenne County Hospital Board about securing funds for expanding the hospital.

Representative Dave Barber recommended that the board shoot for a direct loan which would guarantee up to 90 percent of the loan.

The application, he said, would run through the commissioners and would be secured with bonds. At the present time, the interest rate is 4.375 and it is a fixed rate. He expected the rate to stay in that area.

Depending on how the application goes, he would work with the hospital board, commissioners and architect. Les Lacy, hospital administrator, said the board's architect is GMCN out of Garden City.

There are three processes which will happen. The first is to determine the eligibility.

The second process would involve getting three years of the audit report, the budget for the next year, an attorney's review, then set up a meeting. This is the obligation phase where bidders are looked at. Then the request goes back to the state with letters of obligation and request for \$2.5 million.

The third phase includes the loan approval. This will take some time, Mr. Barber said.

During the process, Mr. Barber said it would be important to educate the community on what is being planned. Having community support is very important, he said.

Once the loan is approved, interim financing will be set up and he will work with a local lender.

Government programs, he said, take time. He estimated the time period to be 9 to 12 months.

The payback time, he said would be 20 to 25 years.

The board still has some decisions to make before moving forward.

Golfer honored

Kyla Bandel has been named the Junior Golfer of the Year for 2009. This is the third time that Kyla has been so honored as she earned the title in 2006 and 2007 also. Cade Bracelin held the title in 2008.



Bandel

"Kyla has placed first in every tournament she has attended in the last two years," Coach George Banister said. "A year ago she was in a playoff at Oakley but she finished first."

The junior golf season ended on Monday, July 20, at the regional tournament in Russell. For the season year in a row, she won her age division.

Card shower

The family of Glenn Glasco wishes to honor him with a card shower for his 85th birthday on Aug. 3. Cards may reach him at 820 S. Denison, St. Francis, KS 67756 or P.O. Box 331, Bird City, KS 67731.

Card shower

The children of Jess and Frances Williams are honoring their parents with a card shower on their 65th wedding anniversary on July 29. Cards may reach them at P.O. Box 53, St. Francis, KS 67756-0053.

Card shower

Lee and Delphine Norton, Ness City, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on July 31 with a card shower. Cards may be sent to 704 W. Chestnut St., Ness City, KS 67560.

Family reunion

The Ludwig and Christina Zwegardt reunion will be held at Emmanuel Lutheran Church, north of Bethune, Colo., on Aug. 9 at noon mountain time with a potluck. Bring your own table service.

Family reunion

The Schorzman - Bandel family reunion will be held Saturday, Aug. 8, and Sunday, Aug. 9, at the St. Francis Senior Center. The potluck dinner will start at 1 p.m. There will be an open house from 3 to 9 p.m. on Sunday. Everyone is welcome.

No August Red Hat Meeting

The St. Francis Classic Classy Red Hat Ladies will not be meeting in August.

Carnival times

The carnival will start at 6 p.m. on Saturday night, not 4 p.m. as stated in the fair book. The Amusement Authority members and volunteers will have the carnival open at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. It will close at 11 p.m. on those nights but will be open until midnight on Saturday.

St. Francis Public Library Fair hours

St. Francis Public Library will close at 1 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 7, for the fair and will be closed all day on Saturday, Aug. 8.

St. Francis Public Library closed Thursday, Aug. 13

St. Francis Public Library will be closed on Thursday, Aug. 13 for automating.

Dedication of toy museum

The David Clark Memorial Toy Museum will hold its building dedication and ribbon cutting at 11 a.m. on Friday. The building is located next to the Quilt Building on the Tri-State Antique Engine and Thresher Association grounds.

St. Francis Nutrition Center

The St. Francis Senior Center welcomes those 60 and older to attend the luncheons in St. Francis on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Others below the age of 60 are also welcome. Reserva-

tions may be made by calling 332-2945 by 9 a.m. Home delivery is also available. See related article.

Cemetery tour planned

The Historical Society plans a Southwest Cheyenne County Cemetery Tour for Sunday afternoon, Sept. 13. The event is still in the planning stages. If you have information about any southwest county cemeteries, please contact the Historical Society: 785-332-3991 or 785-332-3569.

Library Art Gallery

The St. Francis Public Library Art Gallery is featuring awards and highlights of the St. Francis Community High School FFA program. Lyn Wiley is the advisor.

During August, the Art Gallery will be showing homemade quilts by Shirley Ochsner.

Cheyenne County Commissioners

The Cheyenne County Commissioners will meet at 8 a.m. on Friday, in the commissioner's room at the courthouse.

City Council

The St. Francis City Council will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 10, at the city hall

Handrail topic at meeting

By Karen Krien

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It was a short meeting on Wednesday, July 15, but the Cheyenne County Commissioners did talk about putting a handrail up the center of the new courthouse steps.

They had received several comments that people needed a handrail up the long flight of steps but the original steps did not have a handrail. When the drawings for the new steps were made, there was no handrail, consequently, the needed base for putting in a handrail was not made.

The commissioners agreed that it would be almost impossible to put in a middle handrail. However, they could put in two handrails, one on either side, attaching them to the sides.

They noted that the county has a number of aging people and it was probably necessary to install some sort of handrail.

Terry Miller, clerk, said the two side doors could be unlocked. Presently, the side doors are locked and only the center door is used. There is also the handicap entrance.

911 Emergency Board

The commissioners briefly discussed that Natalie Knodel, former St. Francis City Council member, will need to be replaced on the 911 Emergency Board. Kari Gilliland, county attorney, said there are some issues that need to be resolved on the board. The com-

missioners agreed that all parties needed to get along. There was no further discussion.

Road and bridge department report

Dave Flemming, road and bridge supervisor, reported that he was looking for a pickup but had not purchased one. He said that he was still researching his budget. When the year ended, he had ended up with only \$19,888 to transfer to equipment reserve.

In other business

The costs of prisoners' medical bills and court-appointed lawyers were a concern to the com-

missioners. However, they had no answers.

Dale Patton, commissioner, said he had been told there was trash being dumped on land north of St. Francis. The commissioners will check out if there is trash being dumped and then notify the woman who owns the land.

The commissioners talked briefly about a road leading to the homes of Anna Brewer and Bill Dungan. There has been a problem concerning the ownership of the road. Mrs. Gilliland said Dave Yost could not put obstructions in the road.

Recovery Today group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. on Sunday nights at the United Methodist Educational Building. Call (785) 332-6542 or 8607 for more information.

Correction

The Quilt Show at the Antique Engine and Thresher Show in Bird City will be held at the Quilt Building on the Thresher Show Grounds. This is a change from what is noted in the article on Page 3 of last week's supplement.

SHOWTIME: 8 p.m. 1 hr. 27 min.

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Wednesday, Aug. 19
1:30 p.m.

Basement of Cheyenne County Clinic Conference Room. For more information contact Mila Bandel, RN County Health Nurse 785-332-2381 ext. 231.

August Calendar

Dr. Frankum	Aug. 5 & 19
Dexascax	Aug. 12
Dr. Johnson	Aug. 17
Dr. Reeves	Aug. 19
Dr. Saba	Aug. 21
Dr. Uyermera	Aug. 24 Clinic
Dr. Uyermera	Aug. 26 Surgery