

## Couple plan wedding

Crystal Walters and Kyle Schultz announce their engagement and plans for a Dec. 6 wedding. Parents of the couple are Jim and Edie Walters and Larry and Carolyn Schultz.

The bride to be is a speech therapist in the Denver area. The prospective groom is self employed.

Crystal is the granddaughter of Leah Walter of Lakewood, Colo., and the late Ruben Walter and as well as the late Emil and Viola Megert.



Walters - Schultz

Kyle is the grandson of Martha Schultz of St. Francis and the late Edward Schultz, and Evelyn Query of Bird City and the late Lowell Query.

## Introducing

### Tristyn Deanne Krien

Tristyn Deanne Krien was born at 9:45 p.m. on May 28, 2008, at Salina Regional Health Center in Salina. She weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces and was 19-inches long. Her parents are Melissa Oursler and Tyler Krien, both of Salina.

Grandparents are Billy and Karen Krien, St. Francis, and David and Janet Oursler, Peabody. Great-grandparents are Bill and Leone Krien, St. Francis, Wanita and Ed Kroeplin, Finley, N.D., and the late Sport Touslee; and Edna Oursler, Peabody.



Tristyn Deann Krien

## St. Francis graduate earns medical degree

Kelly Gabel was one of 225 medical students who received the doctor of osteopathic medicine degree from Kansas City University of Medicine and Biosciences in commencement ceremonies on Saturday, May 17, in Kansas City, Mo.

Dr. Gabel is the son of Larry and Beth Gabel of Colby. A 1999 graduate of St. Francis Community High School, he earned a bachelor's degree in biology from Fort Hays State University.

He will complete a postdoctoral residency in general surgery at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills, Mich.

Kelly's wife, Sarah Gabel, also received a doctor of osteopathic medicine degree from the university at the same

commencement ceremony. She is the daughter of Stephen and Yvonne Demuth of Hays. A 2000 graduate of Hays High School, she earned a bachelor's degree in music and chemistry from Fort Hays State University. She is a member of Sigma Sigma Phi, the national honorary osteopathic fraternity.

Dr. Sarah Gabel will complete a postdoctoral residency in family medicine at William Beaumont Hospital in Troy, Mich.

### Cards

After months of illness that resulted in open heart surgery to remove a toothpick from his heart, John Brunswig is recovering at home. Cards can be sent to him at RR 1, Box 23F, Haigler, NE 69030.

### Fair board to meet July 10

The July meeting of the Cheyenne County Fair Board will be held at 8 p.m. on Thursday, July 10, rather than on the first Thursday of the month.

### Hospitalized

Scott "Hoagie" Carmichael remains a patient in the ICU at St. Anthony Central Hospital in Denver. The family reports that he is gaining slowly but steadily. Although unable to receive phone calls, cards will reach Scott at Surgical Intensive Care Unit, 2nd Floor Room 204, St. Anthony Central Hospital, 4231 W. 16th Ave., Denver, CO 80204.

Rob Schiltz, superintendent, said he will keep updates, as known, of Scott's progress on Indian News, 332-8111.

### Fourth of July

The Saint Francis Herald office will be closed on Friday, July 4.

### Library closed

The St. Francis Public Library will be closed on July 4 and July 5.

### Courthouse closed

The Cheyenne County Courthouse will be closed on Friday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day.

### Cheyenne County Commissioners

The Cheyenne County Commissioners will meet at 8 a.m. Monday, June 30, in the commissioner's room at the courthouse. They will be discussing the 5-year plan for the road and bridge department.

### Fair parade

Now is the time to be thinking about an entry in the Cheyenne County Fair Parade to be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 9, in St.

Francis. The theme is "A Day in Paradise."

### Carnival volunteers

Volunteers need to help with carnival cleanup and painting before the fair. Meet with others at the fairgrounds each Thursday at 7 p.m.

Volunteers are also needed to help with games and rides during the fair, Aug. 6-9. Get your name on the list by calling DeEtta Knorr, 785-332-2551.

### City Council

The St. Francis City Council will meet at 7:30 a.m. (note time change) on Tuesday, July 8, at the city hall. The agenda shows the meeting will be basically to pay bills.

### Board of Education

The St. Francis Board of Education will meet for a special meeting to close out the books at 7 a.m. on Monday morning, June 30, in the high school library. The regular meeting of the board is set for 8 p.m. on Thursday, July 10, in the high school library.

### Library Art Gallery

Kate's Hats will be on display in the Art Gallery of the St. Francis Public Library until June 30. The hats belonged to former St. Francis resident, Kate Gienger.

### Hospital Board

The Cheyenne County Hospital Board will meet at 3 p.m. today (Thursday), in the clinic basement meeting room in St. Francis.

### Veterans Affairs

Jody Tubbs, of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs, will be in St. Francis at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, July 3, at the county clerk's office. People may also contact the Veteran's Affairs office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday, or Friday at 785-462-3572.

### Recovery Today/Narcotics Anonymous

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.

### Sainty Serenity Seekers/Alcoholics Anonymous

Sainty Serenity Seekers open meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous is held at 7:30 p.m. each Thursday evening at the United Methodist Education Building at 104 W. Webster, St. Francis. Call (785) 332-6542 for more information

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides 24-hour-7 day-a-week services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available for women and children within the northwest Kansas area. For information or in need of assistance, please call the toll-free number 1-800-794-4624.

## Volunteers needed

### By Karen Krien

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The fair is about six weeks away. The members of the Amusement Authority as well as other volunteers are starting to get the carnival grounds, equipment and game booths ready for opening night on Wednesday, Aug. 6 (the fair runs Aug. 6-9).

The carnival is one of the main attractions of the Cheyenne County Fair. It is a home-owned carnival, with rides and booths being run by volunteers. Because of these volunteers, rides are still 25 cents for children and 50 cents for adults.

Winners of games receive tokens. These tokens can be collected and exchanged for great prizes.

At the end of the season, work lists are made for the coming year. Every Thursday, members and volunteers meet at the fairgrounds.

This year, the game booths are getting new tin roofs. Before, the roofs were canvas. With solid roofs, it will cut down on the time, getting the booths ready for the fair.

The merry-go-round is getting new side walls. The Knights of Columbus are helping with this project.

There is painting to do. The fences, booths and rides need paint. Susie Walz, treasurer,

reported that the painting needs to be done two weeks before the fair because they don't want any wet paint left on people.

The Ferris wheel is getting new seats — another big project.

People are welcome to join the hustle and bustle and fun of being part of the carnival. Come to the fairgrounds on Thursday evenings.

For more information on getting the carnival ready to go, talk to Bill Ehrman, 785-332 2748, or Greg or Susie Walz, 785-332-2968. Or, just show up to work.

### Running rides and booths

Volunteers are needed to run rides and booths during the fair. These jobs are only for two-hour shifts (more if the volunteer requests). Not only do local residents volunteer to run these events but people coming to visit at that time often sign up. People can call DeEtta Knorr, 785-332-2551, to volunteer or get more information.

"It is best to sign up early so we can make sure you get the ride or booth you want to help with," Mrs. Knorr said.

However, if people are not sure of their plans until closer to the fair, they are encouraged to call anyway.

"We just want to make sure all the games and rides have people running them," she said.

**Happy 16th Birthday Sheree Klie**  
on June 27, 2008.  
*From Dad, Nikki, Kayla, Gavin and Grandpa Klie*

**NOTICE • NOTICE • NOTICE**

**The Saint Francis Herald and Bird City Times will be closed Friday, July 4th.**

**Happy Birthday America!**

**SHOWTIME: 8:00 p.m. 1 hr. 35 min.**

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Date	High	Low	Prec.
June 17	83	61	
June 18	92	58	.02
June 19	83	52	
June 20	82	43	.06
June 21	89	50	
June 22	98	45	.12
June 23	88	45	.28

**Wedding Registry**

**Lori Beth Faulkender and Cale Rieger**

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**"Swing Fore Your Health"**

**FORE!**

The Cheyenne County Hospital will be having their 6th Annual "Swing Fore Your Health" golf tournament on Saturday, Sept. 7 with registration beginning at noon and tee-off at 1 p.m.

The tournament will be \$60 per person and in the format of a 3-person scramble with prizes awarded for the top winners of each flight.

For more information or to sign up a team, please contact Shawna or Heidi at 332-2104.