Treasure hunters looking for deals on Highway 36

By Karen Krien karen.k@nwkansas.com ers will be rolling into St. Francis on Friday, Sept. 18, for the first day of the three-day U.S. 36 Treasure Hunt.

The Treasure Hunt was featured in the Kansas magazine Missouri border along U.S. 36. and Carol Northrup, one of the

Treasure Hunt, said there have Francis area. They sold antiques, been numerous calls from as far farm primitives and just plain The cars, trucks, vans and trail- away as Florida concerning the garage sale stuff. This year, there hunt, nearest airports and what is expected.

This is the fifth year for the 400-mile long yard sale that runs from the Colorado border to the Last year, there were 20 yard coordinators of the St. Francis sales locations set up in the St.

Granddaughter crowned Miss Rodeo

Pageant officals crowned 21year-old Danielle Dinges as the 2010 Miss Rodeo Kansas during a lively ceremony at the Dodge City Roundup Arena. The crowning was held prior to the start of the Aug. 1 night's competition.

And needless to say, she's still a little awestruck.

"It really hasn't sunk in," she said during a meet-and-greet after the crowning.

For Ms. Dinges, her crown will soon be her main commitment, particularly during the May to October rodeo season as she travels the state of Kansas and other states being a spokesperson for the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association.

Rodeo Kansas Princess and will now serve as Miss Rodeo Kansas in 2010, essentially acting as the face of Kansas rodeo as she travels with the current queen to Las Vegas for the National Finals Rodeo. This year, incumbent Meredith Holland will serve ton, Ness City. Her uncle and as Kansas' representative while aunt, Gary and Carol Rogers, Ms. Dinges waits in the wings, taking notes for her own appear-

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Danielle Dinges

She served as the 2005 Miss ance at the 2010 National Fnals. And while the week has been tiring, and the wait up until the coronation a battle with impatience, Dinges said the entire week had been amazing.

> Danielle is the daughter of Delphine (Rogers) and Lee Norlive in St. Francis.



2nd Anniversary Celebration

Saturday, Sept. 5th 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, Sept. 7th 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. **Draw for % off purchases** (except consignment)

specials. Everyone needs food, Mrs. Northrup said. GAM Antique Shop and Country Collage Antiques are expecting many shoppers. Then there will be the individual yard sales around town. Maps will be available for everyone.

Come Join Us in Gelebrating

Andrea Culwell's upcoming Baby Girl,

Sunday, Sept. 6

2 p.m. MDT

4th and Main, Wray, Colo.

Andrea is registered at Wal-Mart and Target

Maps

is even more interest.

only on Saturday.

beans.

Besides the Northrup lot set up at 300 S Benton, Rodney Neit-

zel, Hilltop General Store, is

going to have his annual porch

sale and some of the vendors set-

ting up on his lot include Kathy

Vandike with her cinnamon rolls

and Kevin Andrews with his

roasted peppers. Mrs. Vandike

and Mr. Andrews will be serving

Doug and Marla Ross will be

serving biscuits and gravy every

morning at their location north

of the Northrup lot. They will

also serve barbecue burgers and

This will be a good time for

restaurants and other organiza-

tions to advertise treasure hunt

Maps for St. Francis vendors will be available this week at the Extension office in the basement of the courthouse and at Majestic Service, U.S. 36. There are also statewide maps showing vendors in the different towns down U.S. 36 at the office. They cost \$5.

Mrs. Northrup said that it is too late for vendors to be added to the map. However, she suggested people check out those vendors on the map and see if they can bring their items to that location.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL - Cutter Neitzel and his dad, Todd Neitzel get things organized for the year.

Herald staff photo by Karen Krien

Club to begin season with hot dog supper

The AWANA Club of First Baptist Church will begin the year with a hot dog supper, games and meetyour-teacher night on Wednesday, Sept. 9, at the park behind the courthouse. Parents are asked to bring their children at 6:30 and pick them up at 7:30 p.m.

The club will be meeting each 8 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, 420 South Scott Street. There are classes for the following age groups: 3-to-5-year-olds (as of Sept. 1); kindergarten through second grade; third and fourth grade

girls and boys; fifth and sixth grade girls and boys and juniorsenior high age.

Activities that are planned for the upcoming year includes Bible lessons on the Beatitudes; scripture memorization, games, crafts, music and mission studies.

As a reminder, if school is dis-Wednesday evening from 6:30 to missed early on Wednesday, or there is no school on Wednesday, there will be no AWANA meeting. Further information may be obtained by calling 332-3921 or 332-2959.

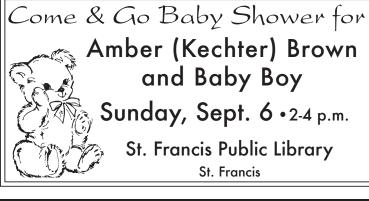
Add:

1 tsp. baking soda 2 tsp. vanilla Mix in: 2 cups flour

1/2 package chocolate chips Nuts are optional

Drop by tablespoon onto ungreased cookie sheet about 2 inches apart.

Bake at 325 degrees about 10-12 minutes





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Cookin with Peg

Cookin' with Peg **By Peggy Horinek** phorinek@nwkansas.com Now that the thresher show, the

fair and my trip to Vegas are over, I will get back in the groove and get some recipes printed.

I have received a couple of recipes but keep hoping for more. We would like to see this column be an exchange of recipes from all the great cooks out there. Either e-mail them to me, mail them to the Herald at P.O. Box 1050, or drop them off at The Herald office. I'll be looking forward to receiving them.

Several people had told me that Pat Confer makes the best chocolate chip cookies, so we asked her for the recipe and she gladly shared it with us.

Pat's Chocolate Chip Cookies 1 cup Crisco 3/4 cup brown sugar

3/4 cup white sugar 2 eggs

Beat these ingredients together with a wooden spoon.