

# Bulletin Board

### Send cards

Ike Gorman is recovering from an accident and his family would appreciate cards sent to him while he is recuperating. Ike's address is 1233 Rt. W, Anderson, Mo 64831.

### 50-year pin presentation

James Billings and Trudy Riddle, Worthy Grand Patron and Worthy Grand Matron of Kansas, will make an official visit to Doric Chapter 404, Order of the Eastern Star, St. Francis, tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of presenting a 50-year pin and life membership to Lola Graves. Members are encouraged to take part in this event and reception following.

### Valentine's dinners

On Saturday the St. Francis Community Church Valentine dinner will be held at the St. Francis Grade School. Make reservations by calling 332-3150 or 332-4545.

On Sunday the Peace Lutheran Church's Sweetheart dinner will be held with servings at 5:50, 6:15 and 7 p.m. at the church on College Street.

### Library to be closed Feb. 18

The St. Francis Public Library will be closed on Thursday, Feb.

18, for automation.

### Common Threads Quilt Guild

Common Threads Quilt Guild will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, at Saintry Stitches. Guests and all quilters are welcome.

### Varsity sporting events Feb. 15-19

Wrestling: Friday and Saturday; regional wrestling at Norton Basketball: Tuesday, Cheylin, here; Friday, Quinter, here.

### AARP

AARP meeting will be held at 2 p.m. today (Thursday) at the St. Francis senior center. Keith Dankenbring of Bumper to Bumper will be the speaker.

Wilma Lampe is the hostess.

### Veterans Affairs

Jody Tubbs, of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs, will be in St. Francis at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, 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. The Veterans' Service representative will only be in St. Francis on the third Thursday of each month.

### Wildlife banquet

The 25th Cheyenne County Wildlife banquet has been set for Friday, March 26, at the fairgrounds in St. Francis. The doors will open at 6:30 p.m. There will only be 300 tickets available this year.

### Free tax help

Rowland Roelfs, the local AARP tax aide person, will be helping the taxpayer with federal and state tax returns, recommending E-filing with direct deposit of any refunds. He will be at the St. Francis Library on Wednesdays, hours 2 to 5 p.m., and at the St. Francis Senior Center on Thursdays 2 to 5 p.m. Please bring all W-2s (earned wages), 1099s (interest, dividends, retirement annuities, and all other income), along with your property tax statement. With direct deposit refunds can be deposited within two weeks. Personal appointments can be arranged by calling 785 332 3490.

### Hale Hall Social

The Hale Hall Social will begin at 6 p.m. central time tonight (Thursday). Chicken strips are on the menu. Men, women and children welcome.

### Cheyenne County Commissioners

The Cheyenne County Commissioners will meet at 8 a.m. Tuesday in the commissioner's room at the courthouse. On the agenda, the commissioners will be reviewing the 5-year road and bridge plan.

### Hospital Board

The Cheyenne County Hospital Board will meet at 3 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 25, in the clinic basement meeting room in St. Francis.

### City Council

The St. Francis City Council will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 22, at the city hall building.

### Board of Education

The St. Francis Board of Education will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m.

### Tri-State Growers Appreciation dinner

Woolter Constuction will be hosting a Tri-State Growers appreciation banquet on Thursday, Feb. 25. The free event, to be conducted at City Limits Convention Center in Colby, will feature an educational seminar by John Roach of Roach Ag.

Area producers who would like to be included in the invitation list should contact Woolter Construction of Colby at 1-800-279-4850 and ask for Shannon and please reference the Tri State Growers Appreciation dinner.



SINGING VALENTINES —Christina Hilt, Jodie Hilt and Shayla Hilt practice one of the songs for the singing telegrams. Herald staff photo by Karen Krien

# Singing telegrams available

This is the last week to order a "Singing Valentine Telegram" from the music students at the St. Francis Community High School. The last day for deliveries will be Friday as Valentine's Day falls on a Sunday this year and is in the middle of the President's Day three-day weekend.

A singing Valentine consists of a helium-filled balloon with

a small bag of candy and a love song. An additional gift (small plush Valentine animal, larger bag of candy, etc.) can be included for a few extra dollars.

The students who are participating in the singing Valentine project will be using the proceeds to attend a dinner theatre production in Boulder on April 1.

Order forms for singing Valentines are available in posters at the high school office, the post office bulletin board, and St. Francis Supers. High school vocal, band and advanced music students can also take orders and answer questions about the project.

Check the classified ad in this issue for more information.



Dale and Alma Neitzel

## Couple celebrates

Dale and Alma Neitzel will be celebrating their 65th wedding anniversary on Feb. 11.

In honor of this special occasion, their children, grandchildren

and great-grandchild are requesting a card shower in their honor.

Greetings and well wishes may be sent to the Neitzels at P.O. Box 501, St. Francis, KS 67756.

## School Menu

### Monday

No school, Presidents' Day

### Tuesday

Breakfast: scones, juice, cereal assortment, milk.  
Lunch: chicken fajitas, lettuce, tomato, cheese, salsa, sour cream, seasoned rice, pineapple slices, fortune cookie, milk.

### Wednesday

Breakfast: biscuits with sausage gravy, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: crispy fish fillet, tartar sauce, coleslaw, cornbread, apple wedges, milk.

### Thursday

Breakfast: scrambled eggs, toast, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: ham and cheese stromboli with Italian sauce, green

beans, tropical fruit, milk.

### Friday

Breakfast: French toast, syrup, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: nachos chile and cheese, breadsticks, tossed salad, Mandarin oranges, milk.

• Salad bar is offered at noon daily in the junior/senior high school

### James E. Reeves, DPM

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**Health Center**  
**785-626-3211**

**Wed., Feb. 24**  
**Cheyenne County**

**Hospital - P.M.**  
210 W. 1st • 332-2104

**Thurs., Feb. 25**  
**Atwood (a.m.) • 626-3211**

**Colby (p.m.)**  
CSMC, 175 S. Range

**462-3332**

CMC, 100 E. College Dr.  
**462-7511**

**Fri., Feb. 26**  
**CSMC at 9 a.m.**

## Spring is near so BRAKE into Yost Ford

- 2008 Chevy 1500 Z71, 4x4, 69K, #9727A,
- 2006 F250 R/C, XLT, 6.0L, 4x4, #T3134A,
- 2005 F150 Crew King Ranch, 4x4, 80K, #T8116M
- 1997 F250 S/C XLT, 4x2, AT, V-8 Gas, 248K, #T7748D
- 2006 Freestyle SEL w/Lthr, FWD, 45K, #T2434A
- 2004 Grand Marquis Ultimate, Loaded, 71K, #62526A
- 2008 Edge SEL w/Cloth, AWD, AT, 37K, #T5567
- 1999 Crown Victoria LX, Cloth, AT, 74K, #53870B
- 2007 Escape XLT, Cloth w/Sunroof, 4x4, AT, #5929
- 2006 Mercury Mariner Prem. Lthr, 4x4, AT, 26K, #T0997
- 2008 Lincoln MKX Elite, Nav., sunroof, 20K, #T1748A
- 1999 Dodge Caravan, FWD, AT, 148K, #T87720
- 2008 F250 S/C, XLT, 4x4, AT, 34K, #T0694A
- 2004 Crown Vic LX, Leather, 4.6L, 85K, #08630A
- 2005 Five Hundred SEL, AWD, V6, AT, 145K, #T8182A
- 2007 Explorer XLT, w/Lthr, 4x4, 44K, #T0243A
- 2009 Ford Expedition, E. Bauer, 4x4, #T4600
- 2009 Taurus SEL, FWD, #22370
- 2007 Mercury Milan, 43K, #06176
- 2002 F250 S/C, XLT, 7.3L, 4x4, #T5678A
- 2006 F250 S/C, XLT, 6.0L, 4x4, #T8116A
- 2004 F250 Crew XLT, 4x4, AT, 6.0L, 70K, #T3910A
- 2007 Explorer XLT, w/Lthr, 4x4, 44K, #T0243A
- 2009 Edge SEL w/Lthr, AWD, 7K, #T1823
- 2005 Chevy Silverado, 4x2, 65K, #T6827C
- 1983 Oldsmobile Delta 88 Royale, 136K, #T09978
- 1998 Dodge Caravan Sport, 186K, AT, #T3981B

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For more information contact:  
**Casey at 785-332-3162**

## Doctor to present diabetes program

Dr. Mary Beth Miller will be the guest speaker at the Diabetes Support Group meeting at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 17, in the basement of the Cheyenne County Clinic, St. Francis.

Dr. Miller will discuss the relationship people with diabetes have with heart disease. She will discuss how a higher-than-average risk of having a heart attack

or stroke coordinates with those having type 1 and type 2 diabetes. Statistics show that heart attacks strike people with diabetes more than twice as often as people without diabetes.

This program is open to the public and free of charge. For more information, contact Mila Bandel, RN, county health nurse, at 332-2381.

**SHOWTIME: 7:30 p.m. 2 hr. 40 min.**

**AVATAR**

**Feb. 12, 13 & 14**

Sam Worthington, Zoe Saldana, PG-13 for intense epic battle sequences and war, sensuality, language and some smoking.

**CHEYENNE THEATER** St. Francis, KS 785-332-2747

**Children 12 & Under: \$3 All Others: \$5**

Legislative Town Hall Meeting with Sen. Ralph Ostmeier, Rep. John Faber

**Saturday, February 13, 2010**

**8:00 - 9:00 a.m.**  
in Bird City at the American Legion

**9:45 - 10:45 a.m.**  
in Atwood at Williams Brothers Grocery

**11:30 - 1 p.m.**  
in Oberlin at Decatur Co Court House, 3rd floor

**1:45 - 2:45 p.m.**  
in Norton at Town & Country Kitchen

Pd by Ostmeier for Senate, Lori Edwards, Treasurer  
Rep. John Faber, Ed Carson, Treasurer

**CHEYENNE COUNTY HOSPITAL** 210 W. 1st • St. Francis, KS 785-332-2104

**Diabetes Support Group meeting**

**Wednesday, Feb. 17, 2010**

**1:30 p.m.**

**Cheyenne County Clinic Basement**

**Guest Speaker**  
**Dr. Mary Beth Miller**  
**Topic: Heart & Diabetes**

**For more information contact:**  
**Mila Bandel, RN**  
**County Health Nurse at 785-332-2381**