



On the Plains

Haigler News

By
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Stan and LaNeta Carlock returned home Thursday evening. They had spent the past week at the cabin in Estes Park, Colo. It must have been the week for Dundy County residents to be in Estes as they noted several 76 County license plates. The George and Carol Peterson family and Doris Tecker were also in Estes enjoying the week at their condo at Rams Horn Village.

Dan and Jo Brunswig and others provided a wonderful late evening fireworks display on main street the night of the Fourth of July and it was appreciated. Also other Haiglerites who were displaying brilliant colored fireworks to celebrate the holiday.

Stan and Galena Webster hosted a Fourth of July cookout on their patio. In addition to hamburgers, hot dogs, and garden goodies; everyone enjoyed fresh baked cherry pie, chocolate cake, and

ice cream. Attending were Darrell Webster and friend, Lisa, Stan and LaNeta Carlock, and Myrna Mulligan.

Haigler was blessed with around an inch and one half of rain over the week-end. The cooler temperatures were also welcome. On Sunday evening the fireworks being set off from the ground around town were challenged later by the flashes of lightening and the booming thunder from the sky.

The wheat harvest began for some farmers last week but the week-end rains put a stop to that for a few days. For them the rain was not especially a blessing in that respect.

Dwight Wall came down from Lewellen, Neb., to visit his mother, Laura Pearl Wall during the weekend. They took a long drive on some country roads as far as Chase County, seeing country they had never seen before.

MerryLu and Bob Simmons stopped by for a few minutes on Sunday then went to Denver to visit their family there. MerryLu had been over for a visit with her mother on Tuesday.

Lois Zuege's daughter, Lori, and granddaughter, Rikki, from near Nashville, Tenn., are here with Lois. Her son, known as Shorty, will be coming in a few days. There will be a graveside service at 11 a.m. at the Haigler Cemetery on the 10th of July; which would have been Stan's 90th birthday.

Albert, Jr. and Ginny Zuege visited Sophia during the weekend. Laura Pearl had dropped by a few times during the week.

The Faylors have been visiting family in Kansas, returning home on Monday, the 5th. Others have taken advantage of the long weekend to celebrate with families elsewhere. More details next

week, hopefully.

Sherri, the Haigler Blogger, posted an interesting message from Tom Wall who resides in California. Those of you who have access to the internet can read it on the Haigler blogspot - www.haigler.blogspot.com or ask someone to get it for you. He

ends his message with these lines: Please write more in the Haigler Blog, I would like to know what has happened to the folks from the class of 66, 67 and 68, and their families. I have noticed from photo's that many buildings are

gone. I'd like to know who is still there and who has moved on. Take care everyone, I'll watch the Blog. Tom Wall.

News items are needed to keep the Haigler Happenings alive. Call 297-3605, drop off at 338 Washington Ave. or e-mail: ffisher@bwtelcom.net.

Idalia News

By
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June weather by Tom Mandis
Idalia weather for June: average high, 86; average low, 57; warmest day, 100 degrees on June 26; coolest day, 45 degrees on June 3;

precipitation for the month, 2.62 inches; precipitation to date, 8.72 inches.

St. John Church
Men's Bible study meets weekly

on Thursday mornings from 7 to 7:30 at St. John Church. All men are welcome.

St. John United Church of Christ will have services at 9:30 am Sunday.

Every year members of the congregation give the regular Sunday school teachers a break during the summer. The activity can be anything from crafts to an outside game. Tara Garton has resources which can be used. Volunteers are needed for the Sundays between now and Aug. 22. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of the sanctuary.

Food and fireworks

Residents of the community and the Idalia Fire Department gathered for a food and fireworks show to celebrate the Fourth of July. The participation of the firemen was appreciated so the residents could enjoy the fun.

Burlington

The Carousel is open for the season! Hours are 11:00 am to 6:00 pm.

St. Francis News:

Fair time is fast approaching for the Cheyenne County Fair and they need volunteers to run the booths and rides. Please call DeEtta Knorr at 785-332-2551 or 785-332-4073 if you would care to work.

Wray News

The Wray Chamber office is closed until July 10.

If you are interested in having a Fun Night Booth or have a float for the Wray Daze Parade, go to www.wraychamber.net for the forms. Wray Daze July 23-25th 2010.

Beecher Island News

By
Bessie
Dent



There were 58 at Sunday school. Judy Shively gave the special number and Dax Towns and Olizia Thompson gave their birthday offerings.

Grant Brown of Ness City spent Friday night to Sunday with the Ron Browns to help Riley celebrate her eighth birthday Sunday. Bessie Dent joined them Sunday.

The Ekberg family reunion was held at Beecher Saturday with approximately 75 people enjoying good food and fellowship from Alaska, Oregon, Washington, Nebraska, Kansas and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Perila and family and Haley Walker were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simmons.

Al and Darlene Lewis of Grand Junction were Friday to Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strangways.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown visited Violet Brown Saturday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simmons were

Laura Pearl Wall and Tonya Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Tempy Bowman and family were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Osmus and attended the school reunion. The Kyle Kock family joined them for Sunday dinner.

Mary Matzke and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Faulkender of Ellis visited Rex and Gwen Shaver Wednesday and Thursday.

Ed and Linda Ingo of Ridgeway visited the Harry Ekbergs and Glen Chapmans and attended the school reunion and Ekberg reunion.

Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Rose and girls were Mr. and Mrs. Dillon Rose and Kiley.

Connie Ekberg spent the weekend with Jacque Ekberg.

Gary Mansfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mansfield one day this past week.

Taya Simmons, Laura, Madison and Spencer Perila and Haley Walker spent Saturday with Mr.

and Mrs. Bob Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wieser were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strangways.

MerryLu Simmons visited Wednesday with Laura Pearl Wall and Inez Foster of Spencer, Neb., at the Wall home. Thursday, the ladies visited at the Simmons home.

Judy Reed and Gwen Shaver had 'lunch out' Saturday.

Working cattle Friday at the Perry Allens were Landan and Riley Shaffer, Clay Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hurlburt. The guys had to be fed you know, so the ladies were cooking.

Norma Jean Merritt and Gail Coonts visited Bessie Dent Wednesday morning.

Taya Simmons spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simmons.

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Tri-State Antique Engine & Thresher Show

July 29 - July 31

This special section features stories about the demonstrations, buildings, history, shows and Queens.



Cheyenne County Fair

Aug. 4 - Aug. 7

This section features 4-H'ers, fair and carnival activities, schedule of events and other interesting happenings at fair time.

