

Open house set for 80th birthday

Bill Bracelin will be celebrating his 80th birthday. In his honor, his family is hosting an open house from 2 to 5 p.m. on Saturday, April 7, at the senior citizens center, west Main Street, St. Francis.

Those unable to attend may send cards to him at 214 Cedar Street, St. Francis, 67756.



Bracelin



Senior Center Menu

Thursday, March 29
Hamburger, potato salad, baked beans, bun and apricots.

Friday, March 30
Ham loaf, sweet potatoes, apple salad, roll and cake.

Tuesday, April 3
Breakfast casserole, citrus slices, sweet bread and cooks' choice complement.

Thursday, April 5
Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll and peaches.

Friday, April 6
Baked spaghetti, carrots, 5-cup salad, French bread and cake.

Tuesday, April 10
Beef Stroganoff over noodles, winter mix vegetables, apricots and gingerbread.

Thursday, April 12
Sloppy joes, pea salad, tropical fruit, bun and pudding.

Friday, April 13
Pork roast, steamed cabbage, carrots and onions, gelatin with Mandarin oranges, roll and cookie.

Tuesday, April 17
Hamburger, tater tots, macaroni salad, bun and 1/2 orange.

Thursday, April 19
Meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, mixed vegetables, roll and applesauce.

Friday, April 20
Fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, roll and rosy pears.

Tuesday, April 24
Pizza Burger, Broccoli salad, peaches, bun and crisp rice peanut butter bar.

Thursday, April 26
Polish sausage with kraut, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, bread and baked apples.

Friday, April 27
Roast beef, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, roll and fruit crisp.

Note: All menus are subject to change.

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Weather

Date	High	Low	Prec.
March 20	57	32	
March 21	62	36	.16
March 22	59	34	
March 23	73	37	
March 24	81	38	
March 25	68	44	
March 26	86	34	



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Death notice

Former St. Francis resident, John David Harvey, 55, died in Texas on Monday. Memorial services are pending.

New address

Bruce Roelfs has been moved to a long-term acute-care hospital located in the Porter Adventist Hospital, Denver.

Bruce would appreciate cards and letters to keep his spirits up. His new address is: Porter Adventist Hospital, Bruce Roelfs, ICU Room 2260, 2525 South Downing, Denver, CO 80210.

Easter Egg Hunt

There will be candy, prizes and the Easter Bunny at the Easter Egg Hunt set for 11 a.m. on Saturday, April 7 in the St. Francis Grade School gym. Children should bring their baskets to collect the candy and prizes.

There will be four age divisions: 1-2-year-olds; 3-4 year-olds; 5-6 year-olds and 7-8 year olds.

Forage plot tour

The Cheyenne County forage plot tour will be held at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday at Crooked Creek Angus. The plot is located just over 1 mile south of U.S. 36 and K-27 intersection, on the east side of the road. The speaker is Keith Harmony, K-State forage specialist from Hays. He will be discussing wheat triticale, barley, rye, and turnips.

Supper will follow at Captain Hooks in Wheeler. The sponsors for the meal are First National Bank, Bankwest, Farm Credit of Western Kansas and Western State Bank.

Museum news

Wednesday, April 18, is spring cleaning time at the Cheyenne County Museum. Bring cleaning supplies and join the fun from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Spend the day or just a few hours. We are preparing for the museum opening in May and Alumni Reunion weekend in June. Everyone is welcome!

Meeting date change

The Cheyenne County Hospital Board will meet at 3 p.m. on March 29 instead of March 22. The meeting is held in the basement of the Cheyenne County Clinic in St. Francis.

Veterans' Affairs

Jody Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs will be in St. Francis at 10:30 until 11:30 a.m. at the county clerk's office to assist veterans and their

dependents with Veterans' Affairs claims work on Thursday, April 5. If you are unable to contact Ms. Tubbs in St. Francis, you may contact the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at 785-462-3572.

Tornado Safety drills

The Cheyenne County Communications Center will conduct monthly siren testing starting the second Wednesday in April at 9 a.m. The testing will continue through the end of September.

Catholic Church schedule

Schedule of services for Saint Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in St. Francis: Palm Sunday (8:30 a.m. April 1); Holy Thursday (8 p.m. April 5); Good Friday (7:30 p.m. April 6); Easter Sunday (10:30 a.m. April 8). Schedule of services for Saint Joseph Catholic Church in Bird City: Palm Sunday (10:30 a.m. April 1); Holy Thursday (6:30 p.m. April 5); Good Friday (2:30 p.m. April 6); Easter Vigil (9:30 p.m. Saturday April 7).

Come worship with us during Holy Week as the Lenten season comes to its climactic close.

Leadership and beginning farmer workshop

A FFA leadership and beginning farmer farm transition workshop will be held at the Rawlins County High School, Atwood, on Thursday, April 5. The FFA Backers will serve lunch from noon to 12:40 and the program will follow. For more information, call 785-626-8066.

Wildlife banquet

The Cheyenne County Wildlife Banquet and membership meeting will be held on Friday, March 30, at the 4-H building in St. Francis. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. Items of business on the agenda are: Elect new board members; treasurer's annual report; and review and amend bylaws.

Lenten service and lunch

The Ministerial Association invites everyone to come to the join us for the final Lenten service and lunch on Wednesday, April 4, at noon, hosted by the Good Samaritan Village. Freewill donations for the lunch will be received.

Grief Support Group

The Grief Support Group will begin meeting again on Monday, March 26, and continue to meet every second and fourth Monday at 2 p.m. or 7 p.m. (choose a time). Meeting place is the Immanuel United Methodist Church, 116 E. Fourth, Bird City. For more information, call 785-734-2739.

The group offers confidential support to all who have experienced the loss of a loved one in a safe place of mutual help and comfort.

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Soles4Souls
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Church meeting

Come to an appreciation of the Fullness of Faith in the Catholic tradition. Join them for a series of faith-enriching audio sessions this Lent. St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 625 River St., Sunday from 5:30 to 7 p.m. April 1- Benedict XVI: Light of the World" a conversation with Peter Weewald.

Bird City school alumni

The Bird City Alumni is planning the annual banquet for this year.

It will be held on May 26 at the Cheylin High School. Any and all help will be appreciated. Contact the Bird City Library, 785-734-2203 or Dave Hickert 785-734-2522.

Bed Races update

The St. Patty Day Bed Races brought in a total of 27 canned food items, three packages of spaghetti, and \$20 were donated by team members who participated in the race. These items will be donated to the Cheyenne County food pantry.

Emergency number

The new phone number for Cheyenne County Communications Center (Dispatch) for non emergency calls: 785-332-8822 Dial 9-1-1 for an emergency.

Correction

Rodney Neitzel (not Roger) was a judge for the St. Patty's Day Bed Races.

High school concert scheduled on Thursday

The St. Francis Community High School music department will present a spring concert at 7 p.m. on Thursday in the high school auditorium. Performing in the concert will be the high school band, vocal, and advanced music classes, as well as several soloists who are preparing for Regional Music Festival on March 31.

Soloists scheduled to perform include Tilyn Bell, Kaitlin Figgins,

Luke Guggenmos, Jacquelyn Ketzner, Bailey Merklin, Trista Orth, Stephanie Perry, Christina Schoenrogge, Logan Whitmore, and Sarah Whitmore. Echo Jones, Ashlee Orth and McKayla Taylor will also be performing a vocal trio for the program.

Instructor Debbie Fiala noted that there is no admission charge for the concert and the public is welcome to attend.

School Menu

Monday
Breakfast: Pancakes, juice, cereal assortment and milk.
Lunch: BBQ pork sandwich, spicy fries, vegetable blend, peach crisp with whipped topping.

Tuesday
Breakfast: Breakfast pita, toast, juice, cereal assortment and milk.
Lunch: Beef stroganoff, buttered noodles, coked carrots, hot rolls, fruit sherbet.

Wednesday
Breakfast: Biscuits with sausage gravy, juice, cereal assortment, milk.

Lunch: Chicken and cheese quesadilla, tossed salad, black bean salsa with chips, sliced pears.

Thursday
Breakfast: Blueberry scones, juice, cereal assortment, milk.
Lunch: Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, country white gravy, corn, hot rolls, cherry cheese cake.

Friday
No school for Easter break.
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SHOWTIME: 7:30 p.m. 1 hr. 35 min.

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