

## Introducing

Travis and Jill Kechter would like you to meet Madeline Elizabeth! She was born June 15, 2013, in Meridian, Idaho. Grandparents are Kent and Marsha Kechter of St. Francis, Donald and Glenda Vessey of San Diego, Calif. Great-grandparents are Billy and Sue Kechter of Joes, Colo., and Lucille Wilkinson of Fort Collins, Colo.



Madeline Elizabeth Kechter

## Student News

### Washburn University releases honor roll with former student

Washburn University has released the names of students who were named to the fall semester Dean's Honor Roll. To be named to the list, a student must be enrolled in at least 12 graded semester credit hours and attain a semester grade point average between 3.4 and 3.99. Taylor Kennedy of St. Francis was named to the Washburn University fall semester Dean's Honor Roll. Taylor is the daughter of Larry and Terri Finley, St. Francis and Rob and Michele Kennedy, Dinuba, Calif. She is the granddaughter of John Finley, St. Francis and JD and Barbara Kennedy, Manhattan.

### University of Kansas student initiated into honor society

The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi is pleased to announce that Benjamin Neitzel of St. Francis was recently initiated into Phi Kappa Phi, the na-

tion's oldest and most selective collegiate honor society for all academic disciplines. Neitzel was initiated at The University of Kansas.

Neitzel is among approximately 32,000 students, faculty, professional staff and alumni to be initiated into Phi Kappa Phi each year. Membership is by invitation, and requires nomination and approval by a chapter. Only the top 10 percent of seniors and 7.5 percent of juniors, having at least 72 semester hours, are eligible for membership. Graduate students in the top 10 percent of the number of candidates for graduate degrees may also qualify, as do faculty, professional staff, and alumni who have achieved scholarly distinction.

Founded in 1897 at the University of Maine and headquartered in Baton Rouge, La., Phi Kappa Phi is the nation's oldest and most selective all-discipline honor society. Its mission is "To recognize and promote academic excellence in all fields of higher education and to engage the community of scholars in service to others."

## School Menu

Jan. 6 - Jan. 10

### Junior-senior high menu

#### Monday

Breakfast: French toast sticks with syrup, sliced pears, fruit juice.

Lunch: Pig in a blanket, potato wedges, broccoli with cheese, white pear jello.

#### Tuesday

Breakfast: Oatmeal breakfast round, yogurt cup, mixed fruit cup, fruit juice.

Lunch: Chicken wrap, romaine and tomato, seasoned rice, steamed carrots, tropical fruit.

#### Wednesday

Breakfast: Bagel with toppings, fruit cocktail, fruit juice.

Lunch: Spaghetti and meat sauce, garden spinach salad, green beans, french garlic bread, fresh grapes.

#### Thursday

Breakfast: Blueberry bubble bread, fresh apple, fruit juice.

Lunch: Taco salad, corn tortilla chips and salsa, refried beans, cinnamon puff, pineapple tidbits.

#### Friday

Breakfast: Breakfast pizza, fresh strawberries, fruit juice.

Lunch: Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, seasoned peas, wheat roll and jelly, orange wedges.

### Grade school menu

#### Monday

Breakfast: French toast sticks with syrup, fruit cup, milk.

Lunch: Hamburger on a bun, lettuce and tomato, french fries, pears.

#### Tuesday

Breakfast: Biscuit and gravy, pears, milk.

Lunch: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes and gravy, broccoli, strawberries, roll.

#### Wednesday

Breakfast: Coffeecake, applesauce, milk.

Lunch: Chili and cheese nachos, carrots and celery, cinnamon roll, oranges.

#### Thursday

Breakfast: Cheese omelet with salsa, peaches, milk.

Lunch: Baked ham, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, applesauce, biscuit.

#### Friday

Breakfast: Toast, sausage pattie, fruit cup, milk.

Lunch: BBQ meat balls, rice, corn, peaches, roll.

## Specials

### Sunday

Pork Chops

Daily Specials are back

Breakfasts every day

Majestic & Subway Closed  
New Year's Eve 2 p.m.  
All Day New Year's Day

2014 Hunting Licenses  
Lottery Tickets Available  
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Majestic Service & Truck Stop  
510 West Highway 36  
St. Francis, Ks.  
785.332.2905

### Music Club

The St. Francis Music Club will meet Monday, Jan. 6 at 7 p.m. in the home of Jean Ann Confer, 428 East Jackson. Louann Isernhagen will present the program on the works and music of Natalie Sleeth. The poetry moment will be given by Janet Carmen. Charlotte Hilt and Rosemary Bierig are co-hostesses. The meeting will be conducted by President Beth Maifeld. Members and guests are welcome. 01.

### Veterans' Affairs

Jody Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs will be in St. Francis from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the county clerk's office to assist veterans and their dependents with Veteran Administration claims work on Thursday, Jan. 2. If you are unable to contact Ms. Tubbs in St. Francis, you may contact the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday. That phone number is 785-462-3572. 01

### Grief Support Group

The Grief Support Group will continue to meet every second and fourth Mondays at 2 p.m. Meeting place is the Immanuel United Methodist Church, 116 E. Fourth, Bird City. For more information, call 785-734-2739.

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

### Narcotics Anonymous

Narcotics Anonymous meetings are held at 104 W Webster/

Methodist Education Building on Thursday nights at 7:30 p.m. Contact 785-342-0028.

### Northwest Kansas Family Shelter

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides 24-hour-7 day-a-week service 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.

## Wild game feed set for January

A free wild game feed will be held on Friday, Jan. 11, at Riverside Recreation, 2 miles west of St. Francis. The feed will start at 6 p.m. and food will be served until it is gone.

The feed is a family night and everyone is welcome to attend. "Bring out your young hunters," said Roger Faulkender, one of the sponsors. "Let them try the different meats served."

Among the variety of wild game served will be wild pig, deer, antelope, barbecued pheasant and wild turkey nuggets. There will also be potatoes and beans served with the meats.

The feed is sponsored by a group of guys who like to hunt. For more information, contact Mr. Faulkender, 785-332-3191.

## Donations sought for pro-life baby shower

The Cheyenne County Knights of Columbus is sponsoring their annual pro-life baby shower during the month of January. All during the month, they will be collecting items (new or used) that are needed to raise an infant. All items that they collect will then be donated to the Mary Elizabeth Home for Unwed Mothers in Hays.

The home does an excellent job in helping unwed mothers by teaching them how to take care of an infant from birth through 1-2 years of age. Most of these mothers are young teenagers that have no where else to go. Everything the home does is accomplished with the help of donations.

Some of the items that are needed are: diapers, bottles, clothing for infants, infant bathing supplies, blankets, and any other items needed to raise an infant. They can also use office supplies.

If you have any items that you would like to donate, they may be left at the Catholic Church in St. Francis or you may contact Mike Antholz at 785-332-5576. If you don't have any items to donate, you may also make a cash donation.

If you purchase any items to donate, we ask that you leave the price tag on the item for our report that we send to the state at the end of the month.



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## Senior Menu

### Senior Center January Menu

Jan. 2, Thursday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, broccoli cauliflower salad, wheat roll, peaches.

Jan. 3, Friday: Beef and Noodles, mashed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, cinnamon bread, plums.

Jan. 7, Tuesday: Sausage patty, hash browns, scrambled eggs, muffin, tropical fruit.

Jan. 9, Thursday: Sloppy joes, potato salad, baked beans, bun, pears.

Jan. 10, Friday: Cabbage, hamburger and rice casserole, mixed vegetables, orange pineapple salad, bread, brownie.

Jan. 14, Tuesday: Ham and beans, strawberries and bananas, cornbread, cookie.

Jan. 16, Thursday: Goulash creamed peas, tossed salad with tomatoes and carrots, garlic bread, pineapple.

Jan. 17, Friday: Fried chicken, mashed potatoes with

gravy, green beans, roll, mixed fruit.

Jan. 21, Tuesday: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, broccoli, roll, peaches.

Jan. 23, Thursday: Meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, corn, bread, apricots.

Jan. 24, Friday: Ham, cheese and potato casserole, gelatin with fruit, bread, Italian blend vegetables.

Jan. 28, Tuesday: Chili or potato soup, five cup salad, crackers, cinnamon roll.

Jan. 30, Thursday: Chicken pot pie gravy, coleslaw with carrots, biscuit, fruit crisp.

Jan. 31, Friday: Pork Roast, baked potato, California blend vegetables, roll, cinnamon applesauce.



## Lines from the Library

### New reads arrive for new year

By Pat Leibbrandt

The following new books have arrived at the library: Doing Hard Times, by Stuart Woods; Storm Front, by John Sandford; Winners, by Danielle Steel; Takedown Twenty, by Janet Evanovich; Sycamore Row, by John Grisham; The Final Cut, by Catherine Coulter.

The following new books are in

the Children's Department: Wish Fish, by Sam Hay; Pancakes, Pancakes, by Eric Carle; Pet Parade, by Daisy Meadows; Snail Trail, by Sally Grindley; Snapped by Sam, by Melanie Hamm; Pet Fairies To The Rescue, by Daisy Meadows; The Maze, by Deborah Chancellor, What Wally Wanted, by Louise Goodman.

## Thank You!

Once again, the United Methodist Thrift Store would like to thank all the people who help us. The recent Kid's Shopping took a lot of volunteers! For those who donated things for them to buy, things we used to wrap/bag the presents, and those who did the work, we cannot fully express how much we appreciate it! Thanks, too, to the lady who inspired us to do this project, we plan work on it again next year! We also need and appreciate all the volunteers from all over the area who help us year-round (and we can always use more)! We couldn't survive without you!

SHOWTIME: 7:30 p.m. 2 hrs. 41 min.

**The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug 3-D PG-13**  
Jan. 3-5  
Starring: Ian McKellen, Martin Freeman, Richard Armitage  
3D showing Friday and Saturday evenings.  
Shown in 2D only on Sunday, 2 & 7:30 p.m.

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

Children 12 & Under: \$4 All Others: \$6  
3D Movies: Children 12 & Under \$6 All Others: \$8

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

**Diabetes Education Management Meeting**  
Wednesday, January 15, 2014  
1:30 p.m.  
Cheyenne County Clinic Basement

Presenter - Kirsten Angell,  
Dietitian & Diabetes Educator  
Topic - Healthy Interactions  
with Diabetes

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

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