

Club Clip

Red Hat Mommas

St. Francis was the destination of the Red Hat Mommas from McDonald and Bird City for their meeting on Tuesday, January 21. We went to the "Cuppa Jo's Expresso" to have our lunch. Since Carol Mears birthday is in January, she furnished table decorations. Kary and Kim Zwegardt and their helpers did a fantastic job of preparing and serving lunch to us.



Then the group went shopping at the Methodist Thrift Store. Many treasures were found there. The ladies that enjoyed the day were: Betty Lewis, Joan Tongish, Carol Mears, Margaret Voorhies, Rita Officer, Lois Morelock, Connie Rooney, Vernetta Haack, Bonnie Burr, Bethel Goldt, Edna Roesener, and Florence Antholz.

Margaret Voorhies, Queen, conducted the business meeting. Bonnie Burr read some jokes.

After this, we went to investigate the "Quincy Street Art Gallery." Mike Boyson has a display of his art sculptures made out of old machinery parts. He has welded them together into replicas of many of the antique engines from the Bird City Antique Engine



PEP BAND MEMBERS, joined by some alumni members, rally the Indians during a recent home basketball game. Herald staff photo by Douglas Sloper

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Public Notices

Petition filed in court requesting release

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS
FILED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 59 OF THE
KANSAS STATUTES ANNOTATED

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
ROBERT J. BURR, Deceased Case No. 13 PR 04

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT
THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED

You are hereby notified that on the 22nd day of January, 2014, a Petition has been filed in this court by JR Landenberger, duly appointed, qualified, and acting Executor of the Estate of Robert J. Burr, deceased, requesting that petitioner's acts be approved, account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; the will be construed and the estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the court find the balances requested for executor and attorney fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the estate be closed; and upon the filing of receipts the petitioner be finally discharged as the Executor of the Estate of Robert J. Burr, deceased and the petitioner be released from further liability.

You are hereby required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before the 20th day of February, 2014, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on the day, in said Court, in the City of St. Francis, in Cheyenne County, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course and upon said petition.

JR Landenberger, Executor

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Annual conservation meeting set on Feb. 19

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Notice of Annual Meeting Of The Cheyenne County Conservation District

To all qualified electors residing within the boundaries of the Cheyenne County Conservation District, notice is hereby given that pursuant to K.S.A. 2-1907, as amended on the 10th day of February, 2014 at 6 p.m., an annual meeting of the Cheyenne County Conservation District will be held at the Bird City American Legion Hall, Bird City, Kansas.

The meeting agenda shall include the following business items:
ONE:

The supervisors of the Cheyenne County Conservation District shall make full and due report of their activities and financial affairs since the last annual meeting.

TWO:
The supervisors shall conduct an election by secret ballot of qualified electors there present, of two supervisor to serve for a term of three years from date of said meeting.

The terms of Spencer Schlepp and Clint Bursch are expiring.

All in the county of Cheyenne in the State of Kansas.

By Roger Orth
Chairperson
Cheyenne County Conservation District

Attest
Danielle Holzwarth
District Secretary/Manager

Farms eligible for emergency loans

"Farmers in Cheyenne, Greeley, Rawlins, Sherman, and Wallace counties, who suffered from crop or livestock losses due to drought occurring Nov. 15, 2013 and continuing may now apply for Farm Service Agency (FSA) emergency loans," said Patty Eckhardt, agency farm loan manager. Applications for assistance will be accepted by agency until Sept. 15.

"Loans covering physical and/or production losses are scheduled for repayment as rapidly as feasible, consistent with the applicant's reasonable ability to pay," said Eckhardt. The current interest rate is 2.875 percent but is subject to monthly changes until the loan is approved.

The agency's Farm Loan Programs staff is committed to new and existing customers, agency customer goals and rural communities. The agency's service extends beyond the typical loan, offering customers ongoing consultation, advice and creative ways to make your farm business thrive. At the Farm Service Agency, we want to be your lender of first opportunity to overcome these adverse weather conditions and rebuild your operation to get back on track. Agency's loan staff can refer customers to other public and commercial financing sources that can serve as a blend with agency's farm loan programs.

Agency loans covering physical losses may be used to replace installations, equipment, livestock, or buildings (including homes), lost through this disaster. Agency loans covering production losses may be used to buy feed, seed, fertilizer, livestock, or to make payments on real estate and chattel debts. "Funds can also be used for other essential operating and living expenses," Ms. Eckhardt said.

To be eligible for an emergency disaster loan, an applicant must be operating a family size farm or ranch, must be unable to get credit elsewhere, and must have suffered a qualifying physical and/or production loss from the disaster.

Farmers who suffered at least a 30 percent reduction to at least one cropping enterprise, may have a qualifying production loss. Emergency disaster production loss loans cover 100 percent of qualifying losses. Farmers and ranchers that think they may eligible should contact the Farm Service Agency county office in Goodland, or call 785-899-3070 for additional information and how to apply. USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer. To file a complaint of discrimination, write: USDA, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC 20250-9410 or call (866) 632-9992 (Toll-free Customer Service), (800) 877-8339 (Local or Federal relay), (866) 377-8642 (Relay voice users).

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Tree sale orders accepted

The Cheyenne County Conservation District is beginning to take orders for their annual tree sale. Trees available this year range from Red Cedars, junipers, spruces, pines, shade trees, ornamentals, assortment of fruit trees and bare-root trees and shrubs.

Containerized trees range in sizes of one gallon, five gallon and 10 gallon.

Prices have significantly dropped in 2014, so it is a perfect time to establish a windbreak, or to replant trees that have died inside the windbreak, said Danielle Holzwarth, district manager.

The conservation district also carries a full line of drip and drip fixtures that will save you time watering your trees or garden. Weed barrier is also kept on hand at the district office.

Weed barrier is a porous polypropylene fabric allowing air, water and nutrients to pass through while controlling weed growth. This line of weed barrier is heavier than most weed barrier sold in stores. Weed barrier sizes vary from 4- by 4-foot squares; 4- by 300-foot rolls; or cut to desired length sold by the foot.

Those interested in purchasing trees, drip supplies or weed barrier, call Mrs. Holzwarth, 785-332-2341, extension 101, for more information.

The conservation district also provides online purchasing and a full line of information about the trees on their website at www.cheyennecountycd.com.