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### Thursday, July 22, 2004



Mr. and Mrs. Jess Williams

## **Card shower planned** for 60th anniversary

The family of Jess and Frances ebrate their 60th wedding anniver- Francis, KS 67756. sary with a card shower on July 29.

Williams wish to help them cel- Frances Williams, P.O. Box 53, St. vice

# **Firemen receive** relief fund money

The Kansas Insurance Commissioner, Sandy Praeger has announced that Cheyenne County Firemen will be receiving a total of \$19,067 out of the Firefighters Relief Fund.

In 2003, Kansas firefighters responded to 158,000 calls. Unfortunately, one firefighter was killed in the line of duty and 236 firefighters had injuries. Every year, the Kansas Insurance Department administers the benefits for the Kansas Firefighters Relief Fund. This account is used to assist firefighters and their families when accidents or death occur in the line of duty.

This year, the fund has generated \$8.3 million that will be distributed to 582 Firefighter Relief Associations statewide.

"I know that all Kansans sincerely appreciate the sacrifices the area served by the fire departthese 12,500 volunteers and 2,800 career firefighters make everyday to protect everyone who lives in this great state," said Commissioner Praeger.

Fund is generated by a 2 percent tax on the fire and lightning insurance premiums paid in the state for the previous calendar year. This year's distribution represents an increase of \$900,000 from last year's figures

Last year, the Firefighters relief Association provided \$1.36 million for relief benefits to firefighters and \$555,000 in benefits to beneficiaries. The Firefighters Relief Association also used fund money to pay \$5.9 million in insurance premiums, \$176,000 for annuities for volunteers and \$75,000 for pensions.

The majority of the funds are distributed to the 582 Firefighters Relief Associations throughout the state and is based on a formula established by the legislature according to population and valuation of ments. Of the overall distribution, \$8 million will be distributed to local associations.

### **Burns are healing**

Jacki Evatt, mother of Michael Hanson, said Michael is recovering after being burned while doing some welding on a demolition derby car on Sunday, July 11. He had been taken to the Greeley Burn Center in Greeley, Colo., where he was in intensive care for awhile. However, on Friday, he was able to return to his home in St. Francis. Ms. Evatt said he still has some healing on his arm and face but his throat is much better.

### Fair Parade

Aug. 7 is the day for the Cheyenne County Fair Parade down St. Francis' Main Street. The theme is "As Good As It Gets" and every individual, organization and business is encouraged to enter a float or some entry in the parade. Entry blanks can be picked up at First National Bank, Bankwest, the Chamber office and *The Saint* Francis Herald office.

### Quilts on display

A quilt display by Jacque Zweygardt is being featured in the St. Francis Public Library Gallery during the month of July.

### **Tag deadline**

All residents with last names beginning with J, K and L should purchase their car, pickup, motorcycle and motorized bike tags and pay their vehicle personal property tax by the end of the month to avoid paying a penalty.

### Hilt family reunion

A Hilt family reunion is being held at noon on Sunday, July 25, at the St. Francis Senior Citizen Please send cards to Jess and Center. Bring your own table ser-

> **High school sports schedule** Monday through Thursday, weights, 6:30 to 8:30 a.m. and 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday: open wrestling, 7 - 8 p.m.

The high school gym will be closed for refinishing the last week of July 26

### Schorzman/Bandel reunion

The Schorzman/Bandel reunion will be held Aug. 7 and Aug. 8 at the senior center in St. Francis.

#### Eggers 8 Museum needs displays

Have you an antique item or collections you would like to share for display during the Tri-State Antique Engine and Thresher Show? Contact Bonnie at 734-2484, Vernetta at 734-2575 or bring display to the museum on Wednesday morning, July 28.

### **Upper Republican Basin** Advisory Committee

The Upper Republican Basin Advisory Committee will meet at 1:30 p.m. Monday, July 26, at the Norton Public Library.

### **Board and**

Wedding

**Registry** 

and

## **Bulletin Board**

### **Advisory Council meeting**

The Board of Directors and the Advisory Council of the Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging will meet at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 27, at the Q-Inn Restaurant in Quinter.

For more information call the agency at 1-800-432-7422 or (785) 628-8204.

### Cooperating **Collection Site Workshop**

A workshop will be held at Pioneer Memorial Library in Colby for instruction on how to use the Cooperating Collection Site, which is a collection of reference materials that are use din locating foundations to access grant funding for causes. Workshop will be held Wednesday, Aug. 11 from 5 to 6:30 p.m.. There is no charge. For more information contact Debbie Tittle, Pioneer Memorial Library at (785) 462-4470 or Western Prairie Resource Conservation and Development at (785) 462-2602.

### **Historical Society** needs school pics

The Cheyenne County Historical Society is looking for photos of old country schoolhouses. One of the goals of the Society is to make a map of Cheyenne County's country schoolhouses. The pictures will be scanned and returned. The members are trying to find pictures of every old schoolhouse and place them on the map. For more information, contact the museum 785-332-2504 or Mrs. Bucholtz 785-332-2040.

### **Hospice Service**

Hospice Services Inc., has information available about end-oflife care, advance care planning, and other related topics. Hospice Service, Inc. is available to provide programs for groups and organizations. For more information, please call 800-315-5122.

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### For the Record

Sheriff's report

Activity in the sheriff's depart-

- ment included: 31 Vehicle inspections
  - 15 Summons
  - 5 Subpoenas
  - 3 Garnishments 1 Contempt of Court
  - 2 Speeding tickets
  - 5 Warnings for speeding
  - 6 Cattle-out calls

3 Reports of marijuana growing

wild June 30: Report of mowing tractor missing in Bird City was investigated. The tractor was located and returned to the owner.

July 1: Officer checked property in Bird City with a broken sewer pipe.

July 1: A dog running at large in Bird City was reported. The owner was located.

July 2: Officer investigated a call about power lines on K-27 northwest of St. Francis. Prairie Land Electric cleared the wires from the highway.

July 3: Officer warned resident in Bird City of lighting fireworks after time stated in city ordinance.

July 5: Officer investigated a report of lightning rods taken from a house in Bird City. Matter was resolved.

July 6: Officer warned resident in Bird City of lighting fireworks after designated time.

July 6: Anna Teal, Atwood, was headed easthound on U.S. 36 west of Wheeler when her 2002 PT Cruiser struck a deer. Over \$500 in damage was reported but there were no injuries.

July 6: Officer investigated a re-

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### **Alcoholic Anonymous** /Al-Anon

Alcoholic Anonymous and Al-Anon open meeting, held at 8:30 p.m. Thursday at the Methodist Educational Building, upstairs. Contact 332-2078.

### Northwest Kansas

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides 24-hour-7 day-aweek services 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 if you are in need of assistance, please call the toll-free number 1-800-794-4624.

July 10: Officer investigated a report of a person hauling young Miller, et ux, E20' of lot 10 and kids on a four-wheeler on the the 25' of lot 11 in block 21 in Bird angle road northwest of St. City. Francis. A verbal warning was given.

July 10: Robbie Beckman was arrested in McPherson on wildlife charges in Cheyenne County. **Real Estate** 

Janice Churchwell, et vir, to Rodney Kent Klepper, et ux, lot 12 and 13 in block 20 in Bird City.

Kelly S. Morris, et ux, to James R. Hardt and Dale G. Hardt, the SE1/4 of Sec. 6 and NE1/4 of Sec. McGinnis, et ux, all of lot 2 in 7, Township 3S-39W in Cheyenne County

Brian Donald Brent, et ux, to Joan G. Wellman, all of lot 15 in block 58 in St. Francis.

Phyllis A. McConnell to Six Boys, L.L.C., a Limited Liability Company of the State of Colorado, the S1/2 of Sec. 22-4S-37W in Cheyenne County.

the NE1/4 of Sec. 25-1S-42W in block 2 in St. Francis. Chevenne County.

Mary E. Walden, to Christopher Howard, et ux, lots 3 and 4 in block 41 in Bird City.

Jeannette P. Baker, et vir, to Grace E. Zweygardt, the SE1/4 of heat winner; 25-yard breast-Sec. 22-4S-39W in Cheyenne stroke, heat winner. County.

SHOWTIME: 8:00 p.m.

Dennis Hengen, et ux, to Brian

Arthur H. Ferber, III, to Steven M. Krug, et ux, the NW1/4 of Sec. 17-1S-38W in Chevenne County.

Arthur H. Ferber, III, to Henry Krug, Jr., et ux, the E1/2 of Sec. 18-1S-38W in Cheyenne County.

Carol Jean Connett, Executor of the Estate of Billy Bruce Cole to Robert Erskin, Jr., et al, the W75' of lot 20 in block 8 in St. Francis.

Bankwest of Kansas to Michael block 33 in St. Francis.

Cindy Jo Ham to Mark J. Zimbelman, et ux, the NW1/4 of Sec. 3-2S-39W in Cheyenne County.

James D. Leach, et ux, to J. David Hendricks, et ux, a tract of land located in the NW1/4 of Sec. 33-3S-38W in Cheyenne County.

H. Wendell Kite, et ux, to Otto Doris Whipps to Roger Samler, Isernhagen, et ux, lots 4 and 5 in Correction

**Glenda Krien** 

785-332-2670

2 hours 7 min.

In the final swim meet held in Wray, Colo., on July 9 and July 10 it should have read: Jacy Hilt, 8and-under, 100-yard free relay,



### -St. Francis News-

Marilyn Krien, Aurora, Colo., was a Tuesday through Sunday house guest of Billy and Karen Krien. Other guests in the past two weeks were Todd Krien, Celeste, Texas, and Tyler Krien, Salina. All were visitors of Bill and Leone Krien.

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The Children & Grandchildren of

Date Cheyenne County received July \$19,067 with the Bird City Fire July The Kansas Firefighters Relief Department receiving \$4,899; the July Cheyenne County Rural Fire De- July partment, \$6,809; and the St. July Francis Fire Department, \$7,367. July In the surrounding counties, July Rawlins County received \$15,674 and Sherman County received \$27,246.

A total of 16,500 fires were reported in Kansas in 2003 with losses estimated at \$82.5 million.

### Weather\_

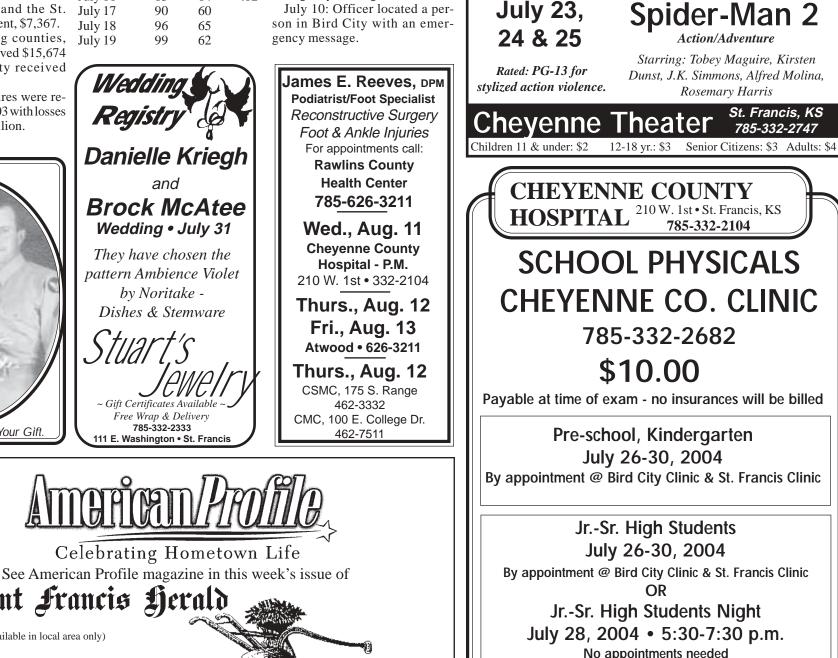
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16	83	64	.12
17	90	60	
18	96	65	
19	99	62	

port of amber warning lights being taken on K-161.

July 7: Officer checked out people camping in the Bird City park.

July 10: Officer located a person south of St. Francis with an emergency message.

July 10: Officer located a per-



 Bird City • Colby Goodland • Kirk, CO Oberlin • Quinter • St. Francis

Sharon Springs

No appointments needed

\*Sports physicals forms must be completed and signed by parent BEFORE exam. Form available at clinic.



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