

On the Plains

Idalia News

By
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Library News
The Idalia School Library will be hosting a Scholastic Read, White and Blue; Reading is all American Book Fair. The dates are Oct. 19 through Oct. 29 in the Library during regular school hours. The fair will be open before and after the Halloween Parade. The funds raised will be used to purchase additional books for the library.

It's a girl
Michael and Jessica Wolf are the proud parents of a baby girl born Sept. 28. The little miss tipped the scales at eight pounds and seven ounces and measured 21 inches long. She was named Emily Brooke Wolf. She was welcomed home by a brother, Ethan, four years old. Grandparents are Roger and Queen Kleweno of the area. Gerald and Margaret Wolfe of Burlington. Great-grandparents are Jim and

Marie Bartlett of Burlington and Sophia Wolf of Burlington. Luella Kleweno of Colorado Springs, Nellie Chambers of Hugo, and Alvera Kleweno of Sterling.

Michael and Jessica, Ethan and Emily Brooke are now residing at Ulysses, Kan., where Michael is employed.

St. John United Church of Christ News

St. John United Church of Christ invites everyone to come join them. Sunday school is at 10 a.m. Worship service is at 11 a.m.

Confirmation class is now meeting at 4 p.m. Thursdays at the church. It is not too late for others to join the class.

Guest Day

Five ladies of St. John United Church of Christ attended Guest Day Thursday afternoon at Hope Congregational Church. There

were 15 ladies from the Methodist Church, Six from St. Paul Lutheran Church, 4 ladies from First Christian Church, one lady from the Christian Church in Burlington, 10 from Emmanuel Lutheran Church and 15 from Hope Congregation Church.

Funeral Service

Arla Hall was born Dec. 22, 1924 and died Oct. 1 in Greeley.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Oct. 5 with Reverend Job Patton officiating at St. John United Church of Christ.

Escorts were Daniel Curran, Jonathan Nassar, Raymond Keefe, Timothy Hall, Gary Kudron, Cori Hall, James (JB) Whatley, Kevin Jensen.

Interment was at Lucas Cemetery.

Honored in Denver Post

Kaleb Rittenhouse, a student of

Idalia High School was recently honored by the Denver Post, being named Male Student athlete of the week for the entire state.

The following clip is from last week's Denver Post, when the announcement was made. Rittenhouse was also feted on Channel 9 for the same honor. Kaleb is the son of Jim and Kathy Rittenhouse.

Pinochle Club

Violet Knapp attended her Pinochle Club Wednesday afternoon hosted by Doris Meyers at her home.

Larry and Janie Beckman were last weekend visitors of their son and wife, Ryan and Jenny Beckman at New Castle, Colo.

Larry and Janie Beckman attended the football game in Colorado Springs at the Air Force Academy against New Mexico Saturday afternoon in which Air Force won. Enroute home visited daughter, Amber and husband Joey Huber at Castle Rock, Colo.

Clay Blankenship was a weekend visitor and guest of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Allen and boys.

Betty J. Moellenberg was a Sunday dinner guest of Dennis and Laura Lengel and Kevin.

Jessica Wolf and family arrived Thursday to spend the weekend visiting her parents, Roger and Queen Kleweno and R.J. and Jim and Marie Barlett of Burlington and friends and other relatives. They attended Hope Guest Day Thursday afternoon at Hope United Church of Christ.

Clarence Lidke was admitted to Kit Carson Memorial Hospital in Burlington last Monday, Oct. 4.

Lincoln Wilson of Goodland was a Thursday afternoon visitor of Clark and Mildred Rolow.

Betty J. Moellenberg was a Wednesday afternoon visitor of Harlan and Shirley Boden.

Steve and Mark Engemoen of Fort Collins were Friday visitors and helpers and overnight guests of their aunt, Alma Helling. Esther Engemoen has been visiting her sister for over two weeks returned home with her sons, Saturday.

Terry and Janice Souther spent three days in Millenhen and

Johnstown visiting their son and daughter and families, Heath, Tiffany and Connor, Misty, Monte and Dillon.

Jerry Weissar was a Thursday visitor of her mother, Fern Summers at Burlington Care Center and attended a meeting. Thursday evening she attended accountability Meeting in Idalia school.

Darby Shanks took her grandmother to St. John United Church of Christ Sunday morning and then they enjoyed dinner at Prairie Vista Restaurant. Darby spent the afternoon visiting and helping her grandmother.

Gary Long of Burlington was a Sunday dinner guest of his grandparents, Clark and Mildred Rolow and was an afternoon visitor and helper.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Lengel of Hugo, Dick and Diana Homm of Colby were Saturday dinner guests of Howard and Burdine Homm.

Lawrence and Sigrid Ebeler of Mexico City were Saturday afternoon visitors of Virgil and Violet Knapp. They were going motor to Aurora Sunday to visit their son, Claude and stay there while Claude is on vacation.

Beecher Island News

By
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There were 41 at Sunday School with Ben Jones giving the special number.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Osmus were in Colorado Springs Saturday morning to watch Cameron Bowman play football. They were lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowman and family. Saturday evening they took Matt Osmus out to supper in Denver. Sunday they attended a birthday party in honor of Shelia Bowman at the Dave Kerbs home in Severance, Colorado. Others present were Timpy Bowman and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Kerbs and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kerbs. They returned home Sunday evening.

Nettie May Welton had lunch Saturday with Ralph Walchle.

Wednesday overnight guests of Harold Kamla were Pearl Englund and Yvonne Bills.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Rose and Chynna, Sandy Madsen and Kinsey went to Denver Saturday to watch the Volley ball game which Mallory played.

Mr. and Mrs. Leis Sackett and children were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hurlburt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Shaver of Hays met Mr. and Mrs. Rex Shaver at Idalia Monday morning for breakfast.

Violet Brown attended a baby shower for Sandy Wolf Saturday.

Boni Osmus visited Perk Salvador Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Salvador joined them for lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Rose and Chynna and Kinsey Madsen attended the reception Saturday evening in honor of the newly weds, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Cohoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dent were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Homm. They called at the Ron Browns on their way home.

Kinsey Madsen was a Saturday over night guests of Chynna Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. George Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Allen Sunday evening.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Shively were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Willard, Mr. and Mrs.

John Osmus and Jacob and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Allen, Rodney and Tyler Wade.

Karen Willard and Austin brought Nelson Ekberg home Friday afternoon to spend the weekend with his family. Kris and Laurie Jones took him back Sunday afternoon. Connie Ekberg of Colorado Springs also spent the weekend with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Shively went to Boulder and had lunch with Kelly Shively.

Doris Whomble spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Shively.

Rodney and Tyler Wade spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Allen.

Rowe Shively visited Charlie Shively Sunday Evening.

Haigler News

By
Opal
Collicott



Leah Brewer of Tucson, Arizona and her sister, Sherri Gregory of Lincoln, Nebraska were callers the past week in the home of Floy and Raymond Ruggles. Leah will spend some time here, and also in St. Francis, Kansas before returning to Arizona. Sherri left on Sunday, October 10, for Lincoln and Union College.

Richard and Laura Pearl Wall were Sunday visitors in the home of Bob and Merry Lu Simmons and Quentin of Wray, Colorado.

Lynn Wonder and Nancy Johnson of Greeley, Colorado,

were callers on Saturday, October 9, at the home of Dale and Theo Wishon. Sunday callers were Karla and Jack Parker and son Dalton of Wray, Colorado.

Jerry and Betty Smith of Holyoke, Colorado visited his sister, Betty and husband Gerald Myer on Saturday, October 9.

Sunday visitors, October 10 in the home of LaVoine and Opal Collicott were their grandsons, Matthew and Mitchell Collicott. They were accompanied by their mother, Mellisa Rosenfelt of McCook, and Melissa's mother,

Carolyn Rosenfelt of Benkelman. Other callers were Galena Webster, Myrna Mulligan, LaNeta Carlock, Gerald Myer, and Grace Adams of Haigler; and Pastor Anne Gatobu of Chappell. Evening supper guests were Myrna and Charlie Mulligan.

Dode and Dale Faylor visited their mothers, Vinnette Faylor and Dorothy Rathburn at Hillcrest Care Center in Wray, Colorado, following the church services on Sunday October 10.

Club Clip

The Idalia Starlight's started October by thanking the 2003-2004 officers and recognizing the contribution each made to the club over the year. The club doubled its membership and a special effort was made to make each meeting entertaining and educational.

The new officers were inducted with a description of their responsibilities to the club.

The club decided to set up a display in the school lobby for 4-H Week and make arrangements to visit class this month to promote 4-H and share the projects the members have completed.

The special speaker was Karen Hartford. Ms. Hartford's presentation was on photography. She reviewed the requirements of Unit 1 and critiqued several photos for us. Then she told us "the rule of thirds" in photography. Members then divided into three groups and experimented with "the rule of thirds" in some of their own pictures. Ms. Hartford looked at each photo and commented on the composition. The members thought photography was an exciting workshop.

In November the outstanding junior, intermediate and senior members will be honored. Sharon Blakham will present "Consumer Choice Judging." Andrea Knodel and Aston Weyerman will bring refreshments.

Corrections

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