



ANNUAL FAIR PICTURES let everyone know that the fair is just around the corner. Peggy Moberly was busy painting windows in the businesses. *Herald staff photo by Karen Krien*

Hospitalized

The address for cards to Elmer Walz is now Memorial Hospital, 1400 E. Boulder, Room 3346, Colorado Springs, CO 80909. The phone number is 719-365-5307.

Recuperating

Donna Vanderput is recovering from pneumonia and heart problems at the home of her daughter, Amber Konrade. Send cards to Donna in care of Amber Konrade, 11709 E. Kentucky Ave, Aurora, CO 80012.

Schorzman/Bandel reunion

A Schorzman/Bandel reunion will be held on Saturday and Sunday, Aug., 6 and 7, at the St. Francis Senior Center. At 1 p.m. on Sunday a potluck will be held with an open house following at 2:30 p.m.

99th birthday card shower

Dr. Lucille Stephenson will be celebrating her 99th birthday on July 20. Cards of greeting may be sent to her in care of Coral Frohlich, P.O. Box 331, St. Francis, KS 67756.

Conference /trade show

Risk and Profit Conference and Trade Show on Aug. 11-12, Manhattan. Attendees choose eight of 20 sessions. Call Cheyenne County Development Corporation at 785-332-3508 for more info.

Gym closed for refinishing

July 25 through July 29 the St. Francis high school gym will be closed for refinishing.

Junior golf

There will be no junior golf until further notice.

Fair book corrections

There are two corrections which need to be made.

On Page 54 of the fair book, Open Class Miscellaneous Floriculture, the entries will be accepted from 8 to 9 a.m. on Wednesday — not Friday.

On Page 1, under the Schedule, the Public Fashion Revue will be held at 8 p.m. at the Cheyenne Theater in St. Francis. The Fashion Revue has been moved several times: first from the high auditorium, then to the grade school gym but because of remodeling and floor refinishing, caused the third move. The Extension office staff and coordinators for the Fashion Revue are pleased with the final move as there is new, comfortable seating and the building is air conditioned.

Relay for Life T-shirts

Relay for Life survivor T-shirts need to be ordered. Anyone planning to walk in the survivor's walk and wants a T-shirt needs to turn their shirt size into Kathy Weber at 785-332-3386 as soon as possible.

Clough Valley Church of Hope

Clough Valley Church of Hope starts at 8 p.m. central daylight time (7 p.m. mountain daylight time) July 23. Call Jason and Abby Howard at (785) 332-3152 for directions and details

Board of Education

The next St. Francis Board of Education meeting will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 2

Alzheimer's Support Group

There will be no Alzheimer's Support Group meeting in 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.

Vet rep in St. Francis

Jody Tubbs, of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs, at 9:30 a.m. central time on Thursday, will be at the county clerk's office in St. Francis to assist veterans and their dependents with VA claims work. 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.

St. Francis Public Library Gallery

On display in the St. Francis Public Library Gallery from July 1 to Aug. 31, is paintings by Neva DeGood. There are approximately 25 items to view

Compassionate Friends

Cheyenne County Compassionate Friends meets at 7:30 p.m.

the third Wednesday of the month at the Peace Lutheran Church.

Cheyenne County Relay For Life

Teams are wanted for the American Cancer Society's sixth annual Cheyenne County Relay For Life which will take place Aug. 20 and 21 at Sawhill Park.

If you are either interested in having a team, or being on a team, contact Cindy Burr at (785) 734-2443 or Deb Lindsten at (785) 332-2022.

Alcoholic Anonymous /Al-Anon

Alcoholic Anonymous and Al-Anon open meeting, held at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday at the Methodist Educational Building, upstairs. Contact 332-3590.

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter

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

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County residents may now spread out the cost of taxes

Cheyenne County residents wanting to spread the cost of their taxes over the year are now able to do so.

The Cheyenne County Treasurer is offering a tax prepay program at zero cost to the taxpayer.

"This is a very taxpayer friendly program," Dolores Jenik, treasurer, said.

The plan is very similar to an escrow account used by homeowners making house payments to mortgage companies.

Naturally it is less stressful making small monthly payments as opposed to large half payments. Payments can be made by personal check, cash or automatic cash withdrawal (ACH). The taxpayer will

decide on how much and select which date to make the monthly payment.

Therefore when the money is needed, it's available. Not only is the prepay account used for paying taxes, but also can be used for renewing Motor Vehicle Registrations.

In order to participate in this program, the taxpayer's taxes must be current with no delinquencies. The Tax Prepay Program cannot be initiated for delinquent taxes.

How to sign up

Taxpayers must fill out and sign an agreement (either in person or through the mail.) Forms can be found at county treasurer's office or

on the Cheyenne County website at www.cheyennecounty.org.

The Tax Prepay Program for taxes and/or motor vehicle renewals is based on an estimate using the most current tax year or renewal calculated to the first of the month of the due date. The due date will be the last day of the month for motor vehicle renewals, and Dec. 20 and May 10 for property taxes. This will be the norm unless otherwise requested. Habitually late payments forfeit the current tax plan and the right to such an account in the future.

Reminders will not be mailed to taxpayers using the Tax Prepay Program; however, a 12-month coupon book is available upon request for check and cash payment methods only. If the account at the due date is short, the taxpayer will be required to pay the difference.

If residents start now it could be advantageous in paying the 2005 taxes due in December and future taxes and motor vehicle renewals. If interested in this program, please contact the Cheyenne County Treasurer, PO Box 687, St Francis, KS 67756, or (785) 332-8810 or visit www.cheyennecounty.org for forms and more information.

Preparations are being made for annual relay

Preparations are underway for the sixth annual Cheyenne County American Cancer Relay for Life.

"This is our community celebration to raise funds for cancer research," said Betty Loudon, St. Francis, one of the coordinators.

The Relay starts at 7 p.m. on Aug. 20, at Sawhill Park, St. Francis.

One of the ways money is raised for the cause is the sale of luminarias. For \$10, the public can purchase a luminaria in honor of, or in memory of a relative or friend who has been impacted by cancer. Their name is put on a decorated paper bag which holds sand and a candle.

At 9 p.m., the local cancer survivors will light each candle.

"The overall effect is quite beautiful, with the whole park aglow from the flickering candles," Mrs. Loudon said.

The names of the honored cancer victims will be read over the PA system.

Anyone wanting to purchase a luminaria or have not been contacted by one of the relay teams, please call Sherry Schultz at 785-

332-2860. She will see that the name or names are placed around the park on the 20th.

Anyone having questions about the Relay should contact Deb Lindsten, chairman, at 784-332-2022.

Non-surgical treatment of hemorrhoids.
John D. Ferris, MD
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Wed., Aug. 3
Sat., Aug. 6

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Wed., July 27
Cheyenne County Hospital - P.M.
210 W. 1st • 332-2104

Thurs., July 28
Atwood (a.m.) • 626-3211
Colby (p.m.)
CSMC, 175 S. Rance
462-332
CMC, 100 E. College Dr.
462-7511

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Cheyenne Theater St. Francis, KS
785-332-2747

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July 25-29, 2005
By appointment @ Bird City Clinic & St. Francis Clinic

Jr.-Sr. High Students Night
@ St. Francis Clinic
Tuesday, July 26, 2005
5:30-7:30 p.m.
No appointment needed

*Sports physicals forms must be completed and signed by parent before exam. Forms available at clinic.

Corrections

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