Bulletin Board

80th birthday

Stop by the Police Department from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday to wish Norvin Anderson a happy 80th birthday.

Open house

Donna and Norvin Northrup welcomes everyone to share the Christmas Season with them at their annual "Open House" from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday afternoon, Dec. 17, at their home.

Address change

Dave Roberson has a new address as he continues recovery in Denver. Send greetings to him at Berkley Manor, 735 S. Locust St., Denver, CO

Girls Musical

The seventh and eighth grade girls will be presenting the musical "Adventures Of A Comic Book Artist" at 7 p.m. on Tuesday at the high school auditorium. Check ad for ticket

Late publication

The Saint Francis Herald and Bird City Times will publish one day later during the Christmas and New Year's holidays. The newspapers will go to the post offices on Dec. 28 and Jan. 4 instead of Dec. 27 and Jan. 3. The staff of The Herald and Times wish everyone a happy holiday.

Cookies and cider at Post Office The St. Francis Post office will be having cookies and cider on Monday,

Dec. 18, during business hours. **Storytime presentation**

The Cheylin High drama class will present a storytime at the Bird City

Public Library on at 12:30 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 14. For preschool children. Call 734-2203. Farm Bureau open house

held at the Farm Bureau office in St.

Francis during normal working hours on Wednesday. Ad in classifieds.

Christmas Open house A Christmas Open House will be

held at Girlfriends & Guys too on Dec. 21 and Dec. 22. Ad in classifieds. Commissioners

The Cheyenne County Commissioners will meet at 8 a.m. on Friday,

Hospital Board

The next meeting of the hospital board will be at 3 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 28, in the meeting room in the clinic basement, St. Francis.

Cheyenne County Hospital

sponsors free dance The Cheyenne County Hospital will be holding a free dance from 8

p.m. to midnight on Saturday at Riverside Recreation. **Installation of officers**

St. Francis Lodge will hold a closed Installation of Officers for 2007 at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 20 at

the St. Francis Lodge Hall. ABC Preschool Chili Feed ABC Preschool Chili Feed will

stract. Ad elsewhere in this issue. **AARP**

AARP will be having their Christmas Get-together at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 13, at the Heritage Corner Cafe in Bird City. Call Clarence Iliff 332-8958.

Country Christmas Songfest The Country Christmas Songfest will be held at 5 p.m. on Saturday at the Salem Lutheran Church. Check

Non-surgical treatment of hemorrhoids.

John D. Ferris, MD

will be at: 291 15th Street Burlington, CO

Wed., Dec. 20

For information or appointment, call 1-800-593-0009

Medicare assignment accepted.



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The Saint Francis Herald

KS-\$38 Area - \$33 Out-of-State - \$42

Bird City Times **KS-\$30** Out-of-State - \$34

story for activities planned for the

ABC Preschool Chili Feed ABC Preschool Chili Feed will take place beginning at 5:30 on Monday, Dec. 18, during the Christmas on Us drawing in front of the Jaqua Abstract. Ad elsewhere in this issue.

St. Francis Library Art Gallery

The St. Francis Public Library is featuring "Wishes for Christmas" by the Grade School Art Class at the Library Art Gallery during the month of December.

Dribbling/Ball Handling Camp - note time change

Dribbling/Ball Handling Basketball Skills Camps for students in grades kindergarten through fifth will be held from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Saturday. The camp is sponsored by Cheylin Recreation Commission and held in the basketball gym in McDonald. Wall-in and register at the door. Call (785) 538-2370 if you have questions.

Mid-Winder Conference

The Department of Kansas, Veterans of Foreign Wars and it's Ladies auxiliary will hold their State Mid-Winter Conference and Council of Administration meeting Jan. 5 through Jan. 7, at the Holiday Manor in McPherson.

Veterans' Affairs Representa-

Jody Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs will be in St. Francis at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, Dec. 21, at the County Clerk's office to assist veterans and their dependents with VA claims work.

The representative will be in St. A Christmas Open House will be Francis the first and third Thursdays of every month.

MAC Attack

The 16th annual MAC Attack Youth Basketball Tournament will be held in McCook the weekend of Jan. 20 and 21. Grades fourth through eighth will be participating. Deadline for entering is Jan. 8. Entry forms can be picked up at Sports Shoppe in McCook or online at www.geocities.com/macattackbb. For more info contact Greg Larson at (308) 345-5185.

Kids Wrestling

Kids wrestling practices will take place on Tuesday nights from 6:15 to 7:00 p.m. for kindergarten through third grade and 7 to 8 p.m. for fourth through sixth grade at the high school wrestling room.

Youth basketball

Youth basketball program has practices on Monday nights in the grade school gym. The advance session is from 6:15 to 7 p.m. and the beginning session from 7:15 to

Bicycles still being collected

The Lions Club is still collecting take place beginning at 5:30 on Mon-bicycles to take to the Norton Cor-church came upon the accident day, Dec. 18, during the Christmason rectional facility to be repair. The and notified the Cheyenne County be going well. Us drawing in front of the Jaqua Ab- bicycles made be taken to the Saint Francis Herald office for later pickup. Please bring to front door of Herald.

Sainty Serenity Seekers/ **Alcoholics Anonymous**

Sainty Serenity Seekers open meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous is held at 7:30 p.m. each Thursday evening at the United Methodist Education Building at 104 W. Webster, St. Francis. Call (785) 332-6542 for more information

James E. Reeves, DPM Podiatrist/Foot Specialist Reconstructive Surgery Foot & Ankle Injuries For appointments call: **Rawlins County**

Health Center 785-626-3211

Wed., Dec. 20 **Cheyenne County**

Hospital - P.M. 210 W. 1st • 332-2104

Thurs., Dec. 21 Atwood (a.m.) · 626-3211 Colby (p.m.)

CSMC, 175 S. Range 462-332 CMC, 100 E. College Dr. 462-7511

> Fri., Dec. 22 Atwood - All Day



Panbacker, Dr. Tom Keller, Dr. Ron Maifeld and Dr. Judy worked with all four of these veterinarians.

Haiglerresidenthome

following car accident

The Benkelman Post reports that authorities. She was taken by am-

Jill Zuege continues to recuperate bulance to the hospital in St.

at the home of her parents, Donnie Francis and shipped by fixed wing

RETIREMENT TIME — Shirley Amack visits with Dr. Bill Baxter at the reception held in her honor. Mrs. Amack has

Receptionist retires after 33 years

Bv Karen Krien

A retirement party was held for Shirley Amack on Sunday.

keeper, receptionist and respon-Republican Valley Veterinarian Clinic for the last 33 years.

Lee Mills sold the business to Dr. Bill Panbacker. When Dr.

and Ginger Zuege, in Haigler fol-

The single vehicle accident oc-

curred on a rural road south of St.

Francis on Sunday morning, Oct.

22, when Miss Zuege was en route

from St. Francis to Haigler. She

surmises that she hit a soft spot,

then lost control of her car, and

admits to the importance of wear-

driving to St. Francis to attend

A mail service carrier who was

lowing a car accident.

ing seat belts.

and Dr. Panbacker worked to-

While she never worked for Dr. Mrs. Amack has been a book- Ed, she said he came in when she first started and gave her a few sible for ordering supplies at the pointers on things that would work. And, she said, his advice worked.

Dr. Panbacker and Dr. Keller She began her career at the had a computer system installed clinic after Dr. Ed Keller and Dr. when she began and all of the information was kept on the system.

When Dr. Panbacker's father Keller's son Tom became a vet, he became ill, he went back to Washcame back to St. Francis and he ington County. Dr. Keller eventu-

aircraft to Greeley, Colo., where

health-care personnel tended to

her injuries. She suffered a dislo-

cated left hip and fractured five

vertebrae and some ribs as well as

Miss Zuege was fitted with an

upper "turtle shell" body brace

and utilizes a walker for mobility.

She was released from North

Colorado Medical Center on

Tuesday, Oct. 24, and returned to

Her healing process is reported to

bumps and bruises.

her parental home.

ally sold the business to Dr. Judy Baxter. Dr. Ron Maifeld filled in for Dr. Baxter when needed. In all, Mrs. Amack worked for four veterinarians during the 33 years. "Each veterinary had their own

way of doing things and were enjoyable to work with," she said.

Mrs. Amack said she stayed out of the barn where the big animals were worked on. "Dogs and cats could be dan-

— Weather —		
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Date	High	Low
Dec. 5	65	22
Dec. 6	51	17
Dec. 7	41	17
Dec. 8	66	20
Dec. 9	66	20
Dec. 10	63	19
Dec. 11	50	26

gerous enough," she said.

Now that she is retired, she said she would like to travel with her husband Alvin.





SHOWTIME: 7:30 p.m.

1 hour, 40 min.

Dec. 15, 16 & 17

Williams, Brittany Murphy, Hugh Jackman, Nicole

Kidman

Starring: Elijah Wood, Robin

Action/Adventure, Kids/Family, Musical/
Performing Action/Adventure, Kids/Family, Musical/

Happy Feet

Rating: PG for some mild peril

St. Francis, KS 785-332-2747

Senior Citizens: \$3 Adults: \$4



Register: Donna's Gift Palace;

Schultz's Ltd.; www.jcpenney.com

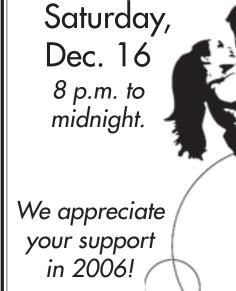
CHEYENNE COUNTY HOSPITAL 785-332-2104

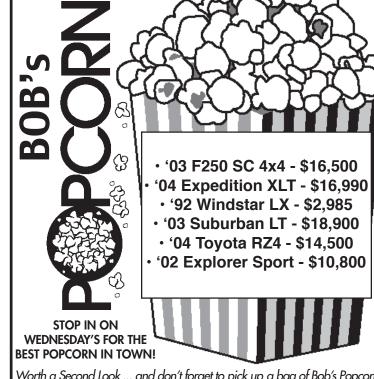
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at Riverside Recreation on

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