

## Club News

### LEISURE HOUR CLUB

Seven members of Leisure Hour Club met in the home of Bessie Callihan on Friday afternoon, Sept. 7, for their first meeting of the season. A guest, Maxine Swihart, was in attendance. Bessie had decorated her home with a colorful array of fresh flowers from her own gardens.

Bessie opened the meeting by reading a prayer in honor of those who lost their lives in New York and at the Pentagon during the terrorist attack on Tuesday and she also read a poem entitled *Memories* by Helen Steiner Rice. Roll call was answered with each member telling the year they graduated from high school.

During the business meeting, Hankie Beckman moved that "instead of paying dues to the club this year, that each member should send a check for that amount to the Red Cross instead." The motion was unanimously approved by the club members.

After the business meeting the ladies gathered around Bessie's dining room table for refreshments of a variety of unusual cookies, candies, coffee, and iced tea. While partaking of the refreshments they shared family pictures with each other.

The next meeting will be at the home of Helen Amos with Lenora Haney in charge of the program.

### SHAKESPEARE CLUB

Shakespeare Club met at the new home of Sheila Frahm on Sept. 14, at 1:30 pm with 15 members and two guests present. President Delores Ary called the meeting to order by asking the members to recite the flag salute and repeat the club collect.

Roll call was answered with: "Your ties to a Kansas college." All colleges were mentioned but Colby Community College was represented as being very much a part of our life in Colby since its inception. The minutes were read and approved after a correction concerning the club scrapbook. Jane Johnson distributed the club budget sheets for the months of June, July and August. All dues have been paid for the coming year and we have a balance of \$347.31 in the bank. President Delores read the following correspondence:

Diann Gerstner sent a letter of resignation as president for the year and asked to become a reserve member. She has taken a position with the Colby Public Schools.

We received the yearbook back. No critique was included.

President Delores thanked Kathy Callihan for all help this summer in preparing the club's programs and booklet.

President Delores told of the convention in Phillipsburg on Sept. 21-22. No members responded to the question if anyone planned to attend.

Concerning the highway cleanup program which Shakespeare has participated in each year, Diann was our leader and will no longer be able to do it. We have such few people who are able to help. After discussion, Joyce Hansen volunteered to ask Pi Gamma if they would be willing to combine with our club to continue the program together. Before committing to the project, we will wait for Joyce to report back.

Joyce Hansen brought a card for everyone to sign for Lourena Pratt who is now living at Lantern Park Manor.

President Delores told us our guest day on Oct. 12 will be early so that we can bring visitors. We have lost some wonderful members this year and will be looking forward to adding new members to Shakespeare Club. Also, there has been a schedule change in that the Oct. 26 meeting will be at Helen Frahm's home.

Sheila Frahm presented a program on Higher Education in Kansas. Sheila is employed by Kansas Association of Community Colleges Trustees, a private non-profit organization. Sheila distributed handouts with information concerning the location of all higher education centers in Kansas, and charts showing the history of community colleges enrollment and the mill levies assessed. She discussed at length the new Senate Bill 345 which has changed higher education in Kansas. Sheila closed by sharing with us her great interest in education and encouraged us to make education accessible, cost-effective and of high quality.

### JOHN ATHEY CHAPTER

John Athey Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution met at 10 a.m. Sept. 15 at Trish' Bar & Grill in Hoxie with Regent Irene Cressler opening the meeting in ritualistic form. Judy Watkins gave the President General's Message and Leta Miller gave National Defense with Hatred, and Hypocrisy by Charlton Heston and The Star-Spangled Banner Flag House in Baltimore, Md.

Regent Irene Cressler passed out pencils for roll call which was answered by an "early country school memory or story," depicting "The

Little Country School of yore."

Minutes were approved as read. Irene gave the treasurer's report. The district meeting will be Sept. 17 at Manhattan Holidome. Judy Watkins was installed as vice-regent. Hand out were passed out for distribution for "Constitution Week." Meeting was adjourned by prayer by Irene.

Following lunch we assembled at the Hoxie Cemetery for Memorial Services for Lois Beach Vaughn. A trip to Pratt Ranch was dismissed due to the fog. Our next meeting will be held at The Ramada Inn, Colby 10 a.m. Oct. 20.

### ROTARY

President Brian Staats presided at the Sept. 11 meeting. Guests were Rotarian Harold Fraiser and his wife Ilene from Sharon Springs, Jeff Wagoner, Todd Stramel, and Pam Geishler.

The club's prayer had the terrorist victims from New York and Washington in our minds and hearts.

The club sang a few songs to lighten the hearts of all. Brian announced that the club has approved Todd Stramel's membership to the club. Secretary

Mark Winger gave a short update report. Treasurer Nancy LePell went over the treasurers report. Darryl Henry reminded the members of the highway cleanup Thursday and Saturday.

It was brought to attention that Rotarian Jim Morrison would have heart surgery on Wednesday, Sept. 12.

Mark Winger introduced Girl Scout Leader Kim Diederich. She brought two of the Girl scouts that are working on their Gold Award. This is the last and highest award given in Girl Scouts. This award involves 50 hours of service work. This is in addition to the 25 hours leadership, 25 hours community service, and a career exploration and many more steps.

Girl Scouts Tasha Diederich and Heather Morgan to get the gold award, they are going to plan a carnival. They are responsible for setting up, manning the booths, getting prizes, and refreshments. The girls are asking for donations and help manning the booths. They will be asking for can goods at the door to help Genesis. The carnival will also promote cookie sales for the club's yearly sales.

## Coming attractions listed

Bonnie Reid brought in a list of upcoming events. They are: Sept. 21-22, Kansas West United Methodist Women's Annual meeting at Garden City; Sept. 26, the United Methodist Women's meeting at 7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.

Still no word from the Thomas County Health Department as to when the flu shots will be available, but as soon as we know, we will pass it on. Flu shots are highly recommended again, and especially for those of us that might have a few years on us. And, remember the pneumonia shots also help protect us from serious illness.

Beverly Frailey will be in the hospital for a few days, so we have her as our prayer list. Wilma says she hopes she gets home soon.

I am very proud of the leaders of this country. The service form the National Cathedral showed that there is a unity

## Hospital

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Admissions  
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Teresa Berggren and infant female, Colby  
Eileen Rhea, Oakley

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day	
Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat	\$2.56
Corn	\$1.98
Milo	\$3.07
Soybeans	\$4.05

The public is invited to attend a fundraiser for **Cutter Kvasnicka** Saturday, Sept. 22 1:00-3:00 p.m. Colby Community Bldg. Sponsored by Country Peddler Company of America. Come view our treasure keepsakes and whimsical holiday decorations! Save on shipping! **DOOR PRIZES REFRESHMENTS**



Sally Michael

• Brewster Correspondent

that has been missing for far too long. Be sure to keep our country in your prayers.

## Methodists plan smorgasbord

The regular meeting of the United Methodist Women of Winona was Wednesday, Sept. 5, in Dunlap Hall. Twelve members and one guest were present. The lesson was by Norma Lee Plummer and the hostess was Lola Bretz. The annual smorgasbord was discussed. A date is yet to be decided. Keep it in mind.

Karen Montemayer and Linda, Garden City, were Saturday-Monday guests of LaVonne Baxter. Linda was a Saturday overnight guest of Amber Dirks, Sidney and Jared in Goodland. Gathering on Sunday for dinner with LaVonne were Bill and Pat Weeks, Hoxie, Greg Baxter, LaNita Shepard, Amber and children, Karen and Linda.

John and Tonya Lamb, Gus and Kelly, hosted a supper Sunday, Sept. 2, at their ranch home. The occasion was to celebrate the birthdays of Beth Lamb and Tonya's brother, Cody. Guests were: Charlie and Pat Norton and Cody; Mary Lamb and friend; David

The children of **Elva Livingston** are requesting a card shower for her 80th Birthday, Thursday, September 27th



Cards may be sent to: 820 E. 8th St., Colby, KS 67701.

# Patriotic scholarship competitions set

## Happenings

Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Ladies Auxiliary announce the start of this year's *Voice of Democracy Program* competition. This a national audio essay competition designed to give 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students the opportunity to voice their opinion on their responsibility to our country. The theme for this year is *Reaching Out To America's Future*. All students, in public, parochial, home study program or private schools are eligible to participate. Entry deadline to the local post will be Nov. 1. First place winners from National wins an all expense trip to Washington D.C. plus a \$25,000 scholarship. First place from department level will be \$1,000; second place \$750; and third place a \$500 scholarship. For more information, contact your local VFW Post or its Ladies Auxiliary or VFW State Headquarters at: VFW State Headquarters, P.O. Box 1008, Topeka, 66601-1008, (785) 272-6463.

Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Ladies Auxiliary also sponsor a youth essay contest for 7th and 8th grade students in public, private, parochial school or home study program. The theme is *Is Freedom Really Free?* and entries should be typewritten in English and between 300 words and 400 words. The youth essay deadline is Dec. 1. "Through these youth programs, one voice will give us liberty and justice for all," said Donna Graham, Voice of Democracy chairman.

The Golden Buckle Square Dance Club will host a square dance Saturday, Sept. 22, from 8-10:30 p.m. at the

Colby Community Building with Bob Householder of Russell calling. Visitors are welcome. The Colby club's cards list the Burlington Stampede that day in error. The stampede is the following Friday and Saturday.

The Kansas Veterans of Foreign Wars in cooperation with the Dwight D. Eisenhower Museum will hold their annual vigil at General and Mrs. Eisenhower's burial site on the Eisenhower Center grounds in Abilene

on Oct. 12-13. The Kansas VFW has been responsible for maintaining this annual vigil to commemorate President Eisenhower's birthday since 1990, on the occasion of his 100th birthday. Opening ceremonies will begin at 7:30 p.m. on Friday night. Members of the Kansas Veterans of Foreign Wars will stand the vigil starting at 8 p.m. to 8 a.m. Saturday. Any Kansas Veterans of Foreign Wars members wishing to participate may do so by contacting Kansas Veterans of Foreign Wars State Headquarters, P.O. Box 1008, Topeka, 66601-1008 or (785) 2726463.

## Community Calendar

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Brown bag Al Anon (non-smoking), 775 E. College Drive, noon  
Senior Survivors, Meadowlark Manor, noon  
New Hope Narcotics Anonymous, City Hall Basement, 8 p.m.

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

Share delivery, Sacred Heart gym, 9 a.m.  
Sixth Street Alcoholics Anonymous, 1275 West 6th, 8:30 p.m.

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• Winona Correspondent

Lamb and Kristen; Jason and Molly Lamb and Mattie; Jack and Beth Lamb; Roger and Marge Ausmus; Larry and Michele Werth, Wyatt and Layton.

Saturday morning visitors of Roger and Marge Ausmus were Lawrence and Louise Denning of Sharon Springs. They were enroute to a Denning family reunion in WaKeeney. Afternoon visitors were Rich Ausmus and sons, Colorado Springs, Colo., and Kyle Bartell.

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