

# Family

## Community Calendar

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1**

Preschool Storytime, Pioneer Memorial Library, 10:15 a.m. and 1:15 p.m.  
 Kiwanis, Student Union, noon  
 2nd grade music program, GS auditorium, 1:15 & 7 p.m.  
 Family History Center, 1145 S. Franklin, 7-9 p.m.  
 Boy Scout Roundtable, 1145 S. Franklin, 7:30 p.m.  
 Childbirth Education class, Health Science Building, 7-10 p.m.  
 Priscilla Club, Madge Scott, 7:30 p.m.  
 LAPM, 8 p.m.  
 Tumbleweed Chorus, United Methodist Church, 8 p.m.  
 Step-parenting discussion group, 8:30 p.m.; call Deb at 462-3870 or Randy at 462-7168.  
 Downtown Alcoholics Anonymous, City Hall basement, 8:30 p.m. (non-smoking)

## Deaths

### Irene Robison

Irene Robison of Brewster, 79, died Monday, Oct. 29, 2001, at Colby. She was a homemaker and lifelong area resident.

Her husband, James Kenneth Robison, died July 30, 1994. Survivors include her sons, James L. of Colby, and Dennis Horney, Goodland; sister June Philbrick, Goodland, and Betty Miller, Byars, Okla.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Harrison Chapel, Colby. Pastor Dorine Chambers, Colby, officiating. Burial will be at the Brewster Cemetery, Brewster.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Wednesday.

Memorial donations may be made to Brewster heritage Center or Brewster United Methodist Church, and may be left at Farmers State Bank, Brewster, any Colby bank, or Harrison Chapel.

### Millicent 'Mickey' Tygart

Millicent 'Mickey' Tygart, 85, died Friday, Oct. 26, 2001, in Vista, Calif. She was a nurse and member of Rebekah Lodge of Brewster and Royal Neighbors.

She was a 60+ year area resident. Survivors include her husband, Ross Tygart of Orlando, Fla.; son Robert of Carlsbad, Calif.; and daughter Janet Davis, Orlando, Fla.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Harrison Chapel, Colby. Pastor Roger Michael, Brewster, officiating. Burial will be in Brewster Cemetery. Visitation will be from 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Wednesday.

### Esther (Lister) Brown

Esther Brown, 92, died Thursday, Oct. 18, 2001, at Citizens Medical Center, Colby.

Mrs. Brown was born May 16, 1909, to Byron E. and Vertie M. (Tovrea) Lister in northeast Sherman County. She and her four siblings were all born in a homestead soddy where they resided for many years. Esther graduated from Brewster High School.

Esther married Leslie G. Brown on

Sept. 12, 1928. Together they survived the dust bowl years and many other hardships while establishing a family farm northeast of Brewster. Esther continued to live on this farmstead until the age of 91 when she moved to the Prairie Senior Living Complex in Colby.

Esther was an avid quilter making each of her children and grandchildren a hand-pieced quilt. She was a long time member of the TOB Craft club of Brewster enjoying meeting with her friends and doing craft projects.

Mrs. Brown was preceded in death by her husband in 1976, as well as her two brothers and two sisters. She is survived by her four children and their spouses: Donna J. and James B. Vohs of Wellington, Janis J. and Thomas L. Fraser of Tucson, Ariz., Richard A. and Lynette Brown of Brewster, and James L. and Neysa Brown of Holyrood. Other survivors include nine grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren, and two great-great grandchildren.

Services were Saturday, Oct. 27, at the Brewster Methodist Church with Pastor Dorine Chambers officiating. Inurnment was at the Brewster Cemetery. Mrs. Eva Lou Selby was organist with Mrs. Lynette Brown was soloist.

Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel handled the arrangements. Memorials contributions may be made to Brewster Heritage Center, and be left at the Sunflower bank, the Brewster bank or the chapel.

### Neva L. Volk

Neva L. Volk, 72 died Monday, October 22, 2001 at Presbyterian / St. Luke's Hospital in Denver after an extended illness.

She was born Neva Lois Lyon on May, 27, 1929, at Chardon, in rural Rawlins County. She was married July 30, 1954, to Alvin L. Volk of Upland, Neb., and they made their home in Colby. Neva was a devoted mother and grandmother. She was always active in her church activities and as a hospital volunteer.

Mrs. Volk was preceded in death by her step-father Roy O. Livingston, her brother, Robert Lyon and a sister, Betty J. Sanders.

She is survived by her husband, Alvin L. Volk, Colby; her mother,

# Girl Scouts selling magazines, books, CDs

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A new series of childbirth education classes will begin Nov. 1 and be held from 7-10 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 1-15, and Nov. 29. To preregister, call Jeanene Brown, 462-4850 or 262-7105; Tina Schrick, 462-6845; or Amy

## About Town

Hutfler 462-3461.

Floyd Smith will review *Founding Fathers* by Joseph Ellis at noon, Wednesday, Nov. 7, at Pioneer Memorial Library. These reviews are free and everyone is invited.

A light lunch will be served and a free-will donation basket will be avail-

able to help pay for the meal.

The Shooting Stars Singles Square Dance Club, Hays, will have a square dance on from 8-10:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 7, at the Roosevelt Elementary School, 2000 MacArthur, Hays.

Ron Snyder will call the squares and Ray Moran will que the rounds. There will be a raffle, door prizes and refreshments. Everyone, singles and couples, is welcome.

# Senior Center ready for Halloween

Halloween will soon be upon us. We will have treats at the Senior Center for any of the little ones that venture in. I hope all the youngsters have a good time and that they stay safe. There will probably be a lot more parents accompanying them this year.

The Brewster Senior Center had a face lit this past weekend. It looks like a new place. The Brewster Prairie Gem 4-H Club, along with their sponsor, have fixed this place up for a community project, and if they were to get a grade, I'd give them an A+. There were some rooms that got painted and other areas that were cleaned, and new curtains were put up, even with new hardware, in the front windows. It opened the area and made everything so bright and clean. We thank the 4-H Club for taking on the Center as a project.

You do have Nov. 7 marked on your calendar, don't you? That is the annual United Methodist Women turkey supper, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Serving will be until 7:30 p.m. and a free-will offering will be taken. These ladies do all this work, for this delicious meal, to earn the funds to support their annual mission.

Bob Tygart, formerly of Brewster, and graduate of Brewster High School, Class of 1970, has lost his wife, Peggy in Vista, Calif. She died early this week after a long battle with cancer. Bob's address is: Bob Tygart, 2512 Chermoya, Vista, Calif., 92084.

Several people are acquainted with the work that Dr. Burgos and his wife, Brenda, and family have been doing in China for the last few years. On Tuesday, Oct. 23, Brenda delivered a still-born daughter, Angel Noelle. The Wesleyan Church will forward any con-

## Hospital

**CITIZENS MEDICAL CENTER**  
**Monday, Oct. 29, 2001**

**Admissions**  
 Albino Gamez, Rexford  
 Megan Pilger, Wallace  
 Carmen Fringer and infant male, Menlo

**Dismissals**  
 Nina Griffin, Colby

We welcome your news e-mail to [mnelson@nwkansas.com](mailto:mnelson@nwkansas.com)

## Markets

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## Thank You!

The family of Esther Brown wishes to thank everyone for their many expressions of concern. We would first wish to thank Pastor Dorine Chambers for her caring support at this time, and the Brewster UMW ladies for providing a lunch after the service. To all of you who brought food, sent flowers, stopped by to visit, donated to her memorial fund, or mailed a card of sympathy, we truly appreciate your thoughtfulness. A special thank you goes to the professional caregivers at Prairie Senior Living Center for their gentle, loving care of our mother. We are blessed to have many friends to support us during this difficult time. Thank you all.

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ences you may wish to send to the Burgos family on their loss. Through local efforts, Brenda's parents have been able to make the trip to China and I am certain that will be a big help.

The chili is on for our Senior Center lunch later today. The weather isn't too cold, but maybe it'll taste good anyway. After lunch, I'm going to start making some candies and such for the Center bake sale, which will be Friday, Nov. 16. Come on in and buy something for your Thanksgiving dessert.

This time of year is about as changeable as it gets. One day, the air is as warm and July, and the next, we start thinking about Christmas. But the mums are so beautiful, and the wheat gives a hint that next year will be a bumper crop.

The other day, Roger and I were eat-

The Colby Community College Drama Department will present *Heaven Can Wait*, by Harry, at 7:30 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 8, 9 and 10, in the Frahm Theatre of the Northwest Kansas Cultural Arts Center.

The performance is free to Colby College students, faculty and staff. Adults \$3, seniors and students, \$2. Tickets are available at the campus bookstore during regular hours, or at the door the night of the performance.

ing out, and two men came into the restaurant. When they saw one another, they went up to each other and shook hands. That was no earth-shaking event, but I couldn't help but think about how that doesn't happen very often, anymore. The 'guy' things seems to be to say, "How are you doing, you old \*&#!," or whatever. Just a small thing, or is it? Anyway, that handshake seemed like a really nice memory.

On Tuesday, the Senior Center went to Colby and several of us helped the residents at Prairie Senior Living Center play bingo. After leaving there, we went to Lantern Park Manor to see our friends there. Those that we visited were Maxine Moore, Lore Depe, and Helen Hawkins, and it was good to see them. At Prairie Senior Living Center, there were several who formerly called Brewster home, and it is always good to see them, plus the friends we have gotten to know since going there. The ladies who accompanied me were Roberta Luckert, Inace Parker, Frances Jones and Marjorie Westover.

# FALL BLOWOUT

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- 1993 Buick Regal - 80,000 miles, Auto, \$4,995
- 1994 Ford T-Bird - V-8, Auto, LX, 60,000 miles, \$5,995
- 1995 Ford Probe - Auto, 96,000 miles, \$3,995
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