

Family

Death

Glenn Shull

Glenn Shull, 71, died Thursday, Oct. 9, 2003 at the Life Care Center in Wichita. Services are pending at Kersensbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby.

About Town

Square dance Saturday

The Golden Buckle's square dance on Oct. 11th will be a casual dress night. Ron Snyder will be the caller. It will be at the Colby Community Bldg. at 8PM CDT. Visitors are welcome.

Legion to sponsor pancake feed next week

The American Legion is sponsoring its annual pancake feed from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday (Oct. 18) at 1850 W. 4th St., Colby.

The meal is all-you-can-eat for \$3 and most of the proceeds will go to support the American Legion youth programs.

Sacred Heart plans dance for middle schoolers

The Senior Catholic Youth Organization is planning a dance from 7 to 10 p.m., Friday, Oct. 10, in the Sacred Heart School gymnasium, 1150 W. 6th St., Colby.

The dance is open to all middle school students (grades sixth, seventh and eighth).

Veterans Parade planned next month

There will be a Veteran's Parade at Fike Park in Colby on Tuesday, Nov. 11, starting at 5 p.m. Following the Veteran's Day parade, a supper will be served at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post located at 220 N. Lake Ave., Colby.

All veterans are welcome to participate in the parade and meal. For those planning to attend, reservations are needed by Monday, Nov. 10. To RSVP, call Jim Vap, 462-3493.

Cellular phones wanted

The Colby Wesleyan Youth group is collecting used, non-activated cell phones as a fundraiser for their ministry trip to Charlotte, North Carolina over Christmas school break.

For those who have an old cell phone they would be willing to donate, please call 462-8391 or 462-2449 and leave a message. The youth group will arrange to pick up the phone.

Sunday Connection this week

Sunday Connection, an informal time for high school/community college students, will meet the second and fourth Sundays of the month, at the Presbyterian Church, 515 West 4th, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. All-you-can-eat pizza for \$2. Pop is free. Call 462-6342 for a ride.

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day Hi-Plains Co-op

Wheat	\$2.98
Corn	\$2.16
Milo	\$3.51
Soybeans	\$6.43

Kansas Leadership Forum recognizes Colby woman

A key figure in the success of a leadership program in Thomas County, and a Kansas State University student from Arkansas City, Kan. have been recognized for distinguished leadership in their communities.

The Kansas Leadership Forum handed out its top awards during its annual conference in Colby recently. The community award was presented to Leilani Thomas of

Colby, and the collegiate award went to K-State student Leslie Small.

Thomas is the long-time coordinator of Leadership Thomas County; director of the Colby Convention and Visitors Bureau; and a leading participant in the Kansas Community Leadership Initiative, said Ron Wilson, director of the Huck Boyd National Institute for Rural Development, which provides ad-

ministrative support to the forum. "Leadership Thomas County is an outstanding program, thanks to Leilani and her team," Wilson said. "Thomas County was one of the community leadership programs to be selected by the Kansas Health Foundation for the first round of the Kansas Community Leadership Initiative." Small, a graduate student in agricultural economics, is a past national FFA officer and a

Truman Scholar at K-State. "We appreciate Leslie's many contributions and national leadership," Wilson said.

Also, several Kansans who coordinate leadership programs for their respective organizations were elected to board positions during the Kansas Leadership Forum's conference. They include: Jon Hotaling, president, (Coffey County Economic Development); Nancy

Longhurst (Lawrence Chamber of Commerce), president elect; Jeanette Siemens (Pratt Chamber of Commerce), secretary; Seth Bate (Winfield Chamber of Commerce), secretary.

KLF is a statewide association for professionals and volunteers who provide leadership education in Kansas. For more information, visit the Web site at <http://skyways.lib-ks.us/orgs/klf/>.

Daughters of Isabella treated to 'gourmet' meal recently

Daughters of Isabella News Immaculate Heart of Mary Circle #747 met Oct. 2 at 6 p.m. for a gourmet meal prepared by Joan Ziegler, Marla Crumrine, CeAnn Rineheart and Loretta Zerr.

It was a delicious meal and it was well attended.

Clubs

A business meeting followed. Father Dana Clark, the Daughters of Isabella chaplain, informed members of the 11th annual International Week of Fasting and Prayer

for the conversion of nations, the end of abortion and world peace. The prayers for this intention will take place from Oct. 5 through Oct. 16. More details will be in this Sunday's bulletin.

There will be a mass at 7 a.m. Nov. 6 for the deceased members of

Daughters of Isabella.

The Park Circle will be hosting installation of officers for Oakley, Grinnell/Angeles, Colby and Park. The date and time will be set soon.

Members were asked what their opinion was if the circles of this area

should host a state conference in Colby in 2006. Pros and cons were discussed and no conclusion was reached.

Hostesses for the November meeting are Susan Veeh and Nancy Barlow.

Teen unhappy with dad's drinking

DEAR ABBY: I am a 16-year-old girl. My parents have been divorced for many years. Just before starting high school, I moved in with my father and my older brother an hour away, because I was not getting along with Mom's new husband.

It didn't take long to realize how bad my father's drinking had become since the divorce. He had a gun and shot holes in the walls, took a shot at my brother's car, and cursed my brother and me almost daily.

Just weeks after I moved in, my brother went off to college, leaving me alone with Dad. Two days ago, I was driving him somewhere, and he got mad and yanked the keys out of the ignition while we were going down the highway at 65 miles an hour. The steering wheel and brakes locked and we almost crashed.

I was so upset that I yelled obscenities at him before retrieving the keys to drive back home. Once we were on our way, Dad began throwing things at me — then he hit me. He yelled, "Go live with your mother!" When we got home, he called her and she came right away to pick me up.

Now I'm back with Mom and my stepfather, and she wants me to stay. I am torn. As disgusted as I am with my father, I am heartbroken at the thought of moving away from all the new friends I made there. They provided the only stability in my life and kept me going. I feel lost at the prospect of once again starting a new school with strangers. And I miss my dad's black Lab, whom I have grown to love. Dad would never let me take him.

— SOUR AT 16

DEAR SOUR AT 16: As much as you love your father's dog, you were living in an abusive and potentially fatal situation when you were with your dad. For your own safety, you must remain with your mother. You do not have to lose touch with your new friends. You can remain in contact with them via phone and e-mail. And since



Abigail Van Buren

• Dear Abby

you miss having a canine companion to love, ask your mother and stepfather if you can have a family dog. Pets can be a bonding experience.

DEAR ABBY: I became engaged a week ago to "Max," who happens to be a millionaire. I come from an average working-class background and have worked since I was 18. I am now 49. Max is a wonderful and loving man. We live in a beautiful home with a housekeeper and gardener. Max wants me to be a stay-at-home spouse and take care of our social and travel arrangements, etc.

Most of my friends are envious, and yes, it IS wonderful not having to work. However, I feel like I have become a kept woman. This is all so new to me. I have been independent most of my life and I am having difficulty adjusting to this new lifestyle. I feel scared that my life is in someone else's hands, not my own.

What can I do to maintain a sense of independence and still feel that my new "wifely duties" are impor-

The family of Leora D. Kistler



request a card shower in honor of her 80th Birthday, October 16th
Lantern Park Manor
105 E. College Dr.
Colby, KS 67701

Community Calendar

MONDAY, October 13

Duplicate Bridge, airport, 1 p.m.
Quit smoking support group, 775 E. College Drive, 1 p.m.
Monday Afternoon Bridge, Meadowlark Manor, 1 p.m.
Take Off Pounds Sensibly, United Methodist Church, 7 p.m.
Rexford Lions, Rexford Cafe, 7 p.m. (2nd & 4th Mondays)
Pride of the Prairie Orchestra practice, Colby Community College Band Room, Cultural Arts Center, 7:30-9 p.m.
Alcoholics Anonymous, City Hall Basement, 8:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, October 14

Early Childhood grade school screenings, Colby United Methodist Church, 8:30 a.m.
Rebekahs, Betty Carney, 10 a.m. (2nd & 4th Tuesday)
Rotary, Student Union, noon
Alcoholics Anonymous, city hall basement, noon (non-smoking)
Ladies cards and social, Country Club, 5:30 p.m.
Weight Watchers, United Methodist Church, 6:30 p.m.
Domestic Violence Support Group, 7 p.m. Call 462-2860
Sweet Adelines, United Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m.
New Hope Narcotics Anonymous, City Hall Basement, 8 p.m.



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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
		Cardiology Clinic Dr. Miller	Lung & Sleep Disorders Clinic Dr. Albers	Urology Clinic Dr. Werth	Podiatry Clinic Dr. Reeves	
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