

Dust storm bad, but many had worse, correspondent says

Did anyone else have a desire to be in a different part of the country Saturday afternoon?

Sounds like a lot of folks were in different parts and they even had it worse than us. It's hard to believe there is anything more destructive than one of those dirt storms, like blew through here, on Saturday evening.

But there were lots of folks looking at vacant slabs on Sunday morning where their houses once stood. And there were other folks that lost loved ones in torrents of water during floods and heavy rains on the same evening. So as ugly as it was, that blowing dirt was better than some of the things that were happening to others.



Sally Michael
• Brewster Correspondent

My mom used to say that Memorial Day was either one of the prettiest days of the year or one of the ugliest.

She never let my dad take the stove down in the living room until the first of June, because she said "Memorial Day can be the coldest feeling day of the year!" I've noticed that she has been right many times.

Anyway, today, Tuesday, the sun came up and there was no wind.

Pretty soon it was as though all the wind and dirt hadn't blown after all and the air smelled pretty good again. But if you looked close at the window and door sills, it was easy to tell that we had a dirt storm. We are still praying for some general rains as I know this whole area needs moisture badly.

It sounds like even though there was blowing dirt, the Class of '54 of Brewster High School had a very good reunion with lots of reminiscing. They were even able to eat prime rib, baked potato and salad by candlelight at Bubba's after spending the day visiting at Lawrence and Lila Mayer's new home north of Brewster.

One sad note was that one of the participants in the reunion passed away at his home in Denver on Monday.

James Lydick had remarked to friends about how happy he was that he was able to attend the reunion and enjoyed seeing all his former classmates.

I'm sure all his friends will cherish the time they were able to spend with this fellow.

Another loss was due to an automobile accident that took the life of a fine man and a state senator that will be sadly missed by many. Stan Clark was killed near Oakley on Saturday evening during the blowing dirt and we send our sympathy to his wife and son, parents, brothers and sisters and all other relatives and friends of this kind, gentle man. He will be missed in many areas.

Last week I mentioned we were going to Hays to watch our grandson, Nathaniel, graduate from eighth grade at the High Plains Christian School in Hays.

It was a great program and the kids are so very good at presenting their patriotism and Christianity as well as other scholastic achievements. I want to thank Zelma Kinrade for taking time out of her busy schedule to watch the Senior Center for me on Thursday and Friday. On Monday, Roger and I were

able to have lunch at the Butterfly Cafe in Goodland with my sister and brother-in-law Harriet and Thurl Demaree.

It is good to see them feeling so good. Following lunch, Roger and I drove through the Goodland cemetery and I was impressed with how nice it looks.

We got a letter from Jan (Tygart) Davis of Orlando, Fla. She said her brother, Bob, is marrying again on June 9 in California. They will be spending their honeymoon in Hawaii. It was good to know they are all thinking about coming back for next year's all-school reunion.

Saturday is the City Wide Garage Sale and it sounds like it might rain. . . hey, if that's what it takes, you won't hear me complain. I can't think there would be anyone from this area that would mind a little rain.

Just found out there are some folks around town that have had problems with a fish-eating sea bird. Seems the bird has emptied out

the fish ponds in town and has gotten himself a bad reputation for making off with the water pets that folks have enjoyed in their ponds. It doesn't seem that should be a problem in our town, does it? Do any of you have any suggestions as to how the fish could be kept safe without harming the birds that have flown so far inland? I keep thinking mosquito netting and yet that seems like it would take away the natural atmosphere of the fish pond.

There is a new little miss, name Christina Holub that lives in Brewster.

I caught a glimpse of her this morning and she was all of five days old. She is the daughter of Jason and Nicole (Shannon) Holub and is going to be watched over by one older sister and two older brothers as well as her parents. Congratulations to this family.

That's it for this week. Hope we have all the wind and dirt out of our systems and that we can look forward to some nice bountiful rains.

Selden youth named in international event

HAYS — A Selden youth was among the winners this year at the Fort Hays State University's Block and Bridle Club. Now in its 31st year, the Little International Showing and Fitting Contest was held at the Fort Hays State University Livestock Pavilion.

Entrants competed in six categories: swine, dairy, horse, sheep, beef and teams. Overall, this year's com-

petition held a total of twenty-nine contestants.

In the dairy and beef category, Erin Rogers of Selden took reserve novice and reserve champion respectively. Others students competing came from Colorado, Nebraska, and many other areas of Kansas.

For questions, call (785) 628-4206 or email to: urelations@fhsu.edu.

Winona Girl Scouts go to Wolf Creek Lodge

Girl Scout Leaders Jean Spencer, Ruth Smith and Kim Doherty treated the Winona Girl Scouts to a fabulous end-of-the-year trip to Wolf Creek Lodge near Kansas City. The girls enjoyed the indoor water park located within the hotel and an afternoon in Cabela's. Girls accompanying the leaders were Rachael Smith, Jerri Williams, Kara Gfeller, Rebecca Smith, Alex Doherty, Lily Meska, Jessi Williams, Bethany Spencer, Hailee Doherty and parent volunteer Jana Gfeller.

Hedge trimmers were humming were humming and mowers were making a racket in the wide-open spaces at the Winona City Cemetery Monday. Members of the Triplains Class of 2005 were oblivious to any intruders, be they two-legged or four-legged. Their efforts to accomplish the project they had taken to task were rewarded. Standing atop the mesa-like area, the sur-

rounding green crops and lush pastures create a beautiful pastoral scene. Kansas does have a unique beauty. The veteran's memorial has undergone a facelift also.

Out of town visitors of Evelyn Langdon on Monday were Marvene Wahl and her son Kendal Wahl of Wichita. They came to Winona to decorate the graves of Marvene's late parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Seimers.

A graveside service was held at the Winona City Cemetery Thursday for Arlene Standley. Her husband was the late Aubrey Standley. She was a sister-in-law of the late Daisy Latham.



Jean Lowe
• Winona Correspondent

Colby student to perform

Stacy Zerr of Colby, a sophomore at Sterling College, will be participating in the college's fall musical of "Children of Eden." Zerr is the

daughter of Steve and Lucy Zerr and is one of more than 50 students performing in and helping with the show.



Worship in the church of your choice this weekend.



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Schedule of church services

ASCENSION-ON-THE-PRAIRIE EPISCOPAL, Rev. Don Martin, College Drive & Wheatridge Rd., 462-3041, Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a.m. every Sunday. Christian Education and Choir Practice for Youth, 5:15 p.m. Wednesday, September through May

COLLEGE DRIVE ASSEMBLY OF GOD, Rev. Leonard Burgess, 245 W. College Dr. - 462-8234, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., 1st Worship Service - 8:15 a.m. 2nd service - 10:30 a.m.

BEREAN CHURCH, Rev. Francis Harwerth, 1000 S. Franklin - 460-3076; Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m., Sunday Evening Youth 6:00 p.m., Tim Morris, associate pastor; e-mail: morris4him@st-tel.net. Awana Clubs, Wednesday, 7 p.m., Middle School, Wednesday, 7 p.m. @ the Colby Armory

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. David Hill, Grant & Webster Street, 462-2867, Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday School 9:15 a.m., Evening Worship 6:30 p.m., Wednesday Bible 7:30 p.m.

COLLEGE VIEW BAPTIST CHURCH, (SBC), 1185 Wheatridge Rd. at College Drive, 462-7144, Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship services, 10:45 a.m.

MINGO BIBLE CHURCH, 420 Main Mingo, 785-462-2992: An independent community church served by Village Missions Pastor Chris Shubert. Sunday School: 9:30AM - all ages. Sunday Services: 10:45AM. Sunday Nights: 1st Sunday of the month: potluck following morning service - no evening service; 2nd Sunday: services at 6:30 PM; 3rd Sunday: informal fellowship - bring a snack to share!; 4th and 5th Sunday: services at 6:30 p.m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC, 462-2179, Father Dana Clark, Pastor, Saturday Eve. Mass 5:30 p.m., Sunday Masses 8:00 & 10:00 a.m., Confessions will be heard Saturday 4:30-5:05 p.m. and from 7:30-7:45 p.m. and 9:25-9:40 p.m. on Sunday.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. Carol Rahn, 515 W. 4th, 462-6342, Sunday School 9:15 a.m., Worship, 10:30 a.m. September through May; Worship 9:30 a.m. June through Labor Day.

WESLEYAN CHURCH, 320 W. Pine - 462-8391, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:40 a.m., Sunday Evening Cell groups at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday Youth Ministries, Kids Clubhouse 7 p.m.

TEENS FOR CHRIST CONNECTION, Everett Robert, 462-7404, Both middle school and high school program.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS, 1145 S. Franklin - 462-6605, President Dave Geldmacher, 846-7740; Elmer Schielke, 1st counsellor, 462-9022 and Calvin Haverfield, 2nd counsellor, 672-4165. Sacrament meeting 9 a.m., Sunday School and Primary 10:20 a.m., Priesthood, Relief Society, YM/YW, 11:10 a.m.; Family History Center open to public, 7-9 p.m. Thursdays, or by appointment. Call 462-3571.

COLBY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Rev. James Mardock, pastor, 950 S. Franklin, 462-6521, Sunday Worship Services at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m., 6:30 p.m., Fellowship coffee 9:30 a.m., Sunday School, 9:45 a.m., KXXX broadcasts 11:00 worship. <http://www.gbmg-umc.org/colby-umc/>

REDEEMING LOVE CHURCH, 345 N. Franklin, Bishop W.G. and Rev. Orvella Romine, Sunday service, 5 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, 510 E. 4th, Jay Kelley, minister, Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday Eve. Worship 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, (Disciples of Christ), 385 W. 3rd - 460-2718, Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. followed by Sunday Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m. E-mail: fcccolby@st-tel.net

LANDMARK UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH, Pastor Doyle Glasscock, 815 West 3rd - 462-3667, Service times: Sunday, 10 a.m., 6:30 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, David S. Hall, Pastor, East 5th & Country club, 462-3497, Worship, Saturday, 5:30 p.m.; Sunday School and Bible Class 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Lutheran Hour on KXXX at 10 a.m.; KGCR at 2 p.m. website <http://www.trinitycolbyks.org>

OUR SAVIORS LUTHERAN CHURCH Brewster, Sunday Worship 9 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m.

PLEASANT HOME CHURCH, Pastor, Charlie Buch, 694-2242, 3190 Road 70, Edson, Worship, 9:00 a.m., Sunday School 10:00 a.m., Evening service, 6:00 p.m.

LEVANT COMMUNITY CHURCH, Pastor Jerry Vincent, 586-2376, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Morning worship 10:30 a.m.

WINONA METHODIST CHURCH, Rev. Michael Eurit, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m., Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. (CDT)

BREWSTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PO Box 250, Brewster. Pastor Dorine Chambers, 785-462-6044, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m., Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.

THE SHEPHERD'S STAFF, REXFORD, Rev. Mike Meserve, Outreach; Lane Purcell, Men's Ministry, 687-2565

REXFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH, Rexford - 687-3305, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

BREWSTER COMMUNITY CHURCH, Mike Pinkelman, Pastor, Brewster - 694-2720, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship Service 10:30 a.m., Sunday Night Bible Study 7:30 p.m., Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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