

# Family

## Death

### Dr. Lawrence J. Cox

Dr. Lawrence J. Cox, 86, of Fredonia, died Sunday, Feb. 5, 2006 at Beverly Health and Rehab in Fredonia.

He was the father of Larry Cox of Colby.

Dr. Cox was born Nov. 28, 1919 in Chandler, Okla. to Herbert and Olga (Soderstrom) Cox. He was a 1939 graduate of Chandler High School.

He earned the rank of Sergeant in the United States Army Infantry, serving from 1942-1946, during World War II, where he also received a purple heart.

Following the service he received a bachelor's degree from Oklahoma State University in 1948; a master's degree from Kansas State University in 1960 and a Ph.D. from North Carolina State in Raleigh in 1969.

Dr. Cox was retired from Kansas State University as an area extension director.

On Nov. 28, 1941, he married Jessie Victoria Acord in Bristow, Okla.

He was a member of First Christian Church in Chandler and an associate member of First Christian Church in Fredonia. Other memberships included Sons of the American Revolution, the Chandler American Legion, Lions Club In-

ternational, Wilson County Historical Society, Senior Citizens of Fredonia, Kansas County Agents Association, Lincoln County Historical Society.

He was also a lifetime member of the Epsilon Sigma Phi Extension Fraternity.

Dr. Cox is survived by a daughter, Karen Wing and husband Mark of Altoona; a son, Larry Cox and wife Cheryl of Colby; two sisters, Louvella Ficke and husband George of Wadsworth, Ill. and Agatha Strickland of Zion, Ill.; a brother, Brenton Cox of Chandler, Okla.; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at First Christian Church in Fredonia with Rev. Steve Brodbeck officiating.

Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Oak Park Cemetery in Chandler, Okla. with Rev. Fred Rider of Chandler First Christian Church officiating.

A memorial has been established in Dr. Cox's name with the Kansas 4-H Foundation and may be sent to Timmons Funeral Home, P.O. Box 168, Fredonia, Kan. 66736.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.timmonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.timmonsfuneralhome.com).

# Brewster enjoys snowy Sunday

It's snowing a little as I write this Sunday afternoon, hope it keeps it up all night, but hope the wind goes down a little.

The boys and girls basketball teams have been doing wonderful. They both won again this past Friday, Feb. 3, in Sharon Springs. You make the city of Brewster very proud of you all.

Carl Samuelson, grandson of Marg Westover, is now home from Iraq, and living in Rapid City, S.D.

If anyone has news for the alumni letter or address changes for the alumni directory, please contact Bonnie Reid, 694-2775 or Joyce Crabtree, 694-2822.

Dean Bell from Brewster has had successful eye surgery and is at home recovering.

He has to wear dark glasses to keep the light out of his eyes, but seems to be in good spirits and still nothing keeps him from sitting in the hot tub.

John Eicher brought Reva to the center the other morning to have



**Betty Jo Baird**

• Brewster Correspondent

coffee and a good visit with everyone. She is such a joy and inspiration to be around, hope she comes back often.

Don't forget the blood pressure check on Feb. 21.

The Brewster Community Church is having their annual Valentine dinner Saturday, Feb. 11. Guest speakers are Jon and Reva Eicher. Should be a night of food and fun.

Dear one, What do you know of a love like mine? A love that stoops to conquer? A love that reaches to redeem? Look at the life of my Son, and you will see my heart. I am the center and the soul of who he is, for he and I are one. Look at him, the One who was willing to leave crowns and thrones and angels'

praise to become a baby laid on straw. Look at him, the One who bowed to be baptized though he had never sinned. Look at him, the One who faced his own accusers, wordlessly accepting their sentence on his life. The One who bore abuse and torture, who bled and finally died so you could live to laugh and love and be reconciled to me. all that you need to know of me, you will find in him. Look at him, Look at my Son, your Savior. Now, turn to me. His Father and Yours, God. Philippians 2:5-8.

**In remembrance of Bryan Highland a fellowship will be held on Saturday, February 11, 2006 from 3-5 p.m. at the Senior Progress Center, 165 Jike Park St., Colby.**

**Memorials are suggested to his children's education fund and can be left at any Colby bank.**

*Bridal Registry*

Ashley Jones & Austen Moser  
February 17, 2006

Ashley Friesen & Jeremy Bridgeman  
Wedding February 25, 2006

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### DR. LAWRENCE J. COX

Dr. Lawrence J. Cox, 86, a resident of Fredonia, and formerly of Chandler, Oklahoma, died Sunday, February 5, 2006 at Beverly Health and Rehab in Fredonia. He was born November 28, 1919 in Chandler, the son of Herbert and Olga (Soderstrom) Cox. He was a 1939 graduate of Chandler High School. He earned the rank of Sergeant in the United States Army Infantry 1942-1946, during World War II, where he also received a purple heart. Following the service he received a bachelors degree from Oklahoma State University in 1948, a master's degree from Kansas State University in 1960; and a Ph.D from North Carolina State in Raleigh in 1969. Dr. Cox was retired from Kansas State University as an Area Extension Director.

On November 28, 1941 in Bristow, Oklahoma, he married Jessie Victoria Acord. She preceded him in death October 6, 2000.

He was a member of the First Christian Church in Chandler and an associate member of the First Christian Church in Fredonia. He was also a member of the Sons of the American Revolution; the Chandler American Legion; Lions Club International; Wilson County Historical Society; Senior Citizens of Fredonia; Kansas County Agents Association; Lincoln County Historical Society; and a lifetime member of the Epsilon Sigma Phi Extension Fraternity.

His survivors include: Daughter and Son-in-law: Karen and Mark Wing, Altoona, KS; Son and Daughter-in-law: Larry and Cheryl Cox, Colby, KS; Sisters and Brother-in-law: Louvella and George Ficke, Wadsworth, IL; Agatha Strickland, Zion, IL; Brother: Brenton Cox, Chandler, OK; Sister-in-law: Ruth Cox, Houston, TX and 8 Grandchildren; 5 Great Grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Loren Cox; one sister, Treva Cox; and one grandson, Ken Wing.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, February 9, 2006 at the First Christian Church in Fredonia with Rev. Steve Brodbeck officiating. Graveside services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, February 10, 2006 at the Oak Park Cemetery in Chandler, Oklahoma with Rev. Fred Rider of the First Christian Church in Chandler officiating. The family will receive friends from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 8, 2006 at Timmons Funeral Home. A memorial has been established in his name with the Kansas 4-H Foundation and may be sent to the funeral home. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.timmonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.timmonsfuneralhome.com). Timmons Funeral Home, PO Box 168, Fredonia, KS 66736, is in charge of the arrangements.

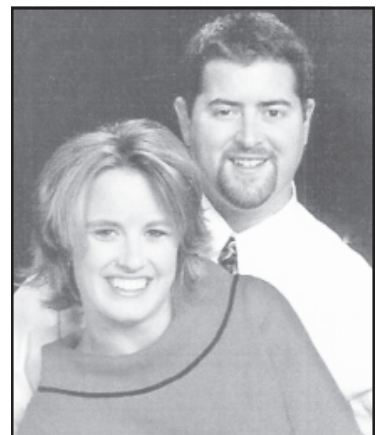
## Neff, Karlin to marry in fall

DaLaena Dawn Neff and Matthew David Karlin announce their engagement. Parents of the couple are Ron and Lois Neff of Selden and Ted and Diane Barnekoff of Shawnee.

Neff is a graduate of Colby High School and Kansas State University. She is staffing manager at Allied Staffing in Lenexa.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Shawnee Mission Northwest High School. He owns and operates a stucco construction business in Kansas City.

A 2006 fall wedding is being planned.



DaLaena Neff and Matthew Karlin

## Happenings

The Shooting Stars Singles Square Dance Club of Hays is having a "Tenderfoot" square dance

from 2-5 p.m. Sunday at Roosevelt Elementary School, 2000 MacArthur, Hays.

Al Braun will call the squares and que the rounds. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The dance will also feature a "hiz 'n hers" square dance clothes sale and refreshments and door prizes. For information, call (785) 726-4432.

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**Portabello Mushroom Topped Ribeye**  
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