

Family

Deaths

Harry D. Grimes

Harry D. Grimes, 90, of Colby, died Sunday, March 19, 2006, at Colby. He was born Oct. 4, 1915, in Brown County. Arrangements are pending with Harrison Chapel in Colby.

Rose Mary McKee

Rose Mary (Aschenbrenner) McKee, 79, of Brewster, died Friday, March 17, 2006, at Prairie Senior Living Complex in Colby. Mrs. McKee was born March 7, 1927, in Ellis. She was a homemaker. Mrs. McKee is survived by five sons, Jerry and Jim McKee of Goodland, Jon McKee of Brewster, Jed McKee of Lawrence, and Jason McKee of Overland Park; three daughters, Judy Reid and Jolene Rush of Brewster and Jana Kramer of Seneca; two brothers, Father Ralph Aschenbrenner of Bellville and Dr. Richard Aschenbrenner of Lawrence; one sister, Dorothy Stephens of Colby; 37 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Harold "Shorty" McKee

Kenneth Johnson

Kenneth Johnson, 57, of Topeka, and formerly of Colby, died Thursday, March 16, 2006. He was the Dean of Fiscal Affairs at Colby Community College. Mr. Johnson was born January 16, 1949, in LeMars, Iowa, to Gustav and Ruth Johnson. He received his primary and secondary education in the Schaller School and graduated from Schaller High School in 1967.

Enola Ashlynn Faith Thompson

Todd and Melissa Thompson of Sharon Springs announce the birth of their daughter, Enola Ashlynn Faith Thompson, Wednesday, March 15, 2006, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. Enola weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces and is 19 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Bryan and Edna Bolen of Sharon Springs. Paternal grandparents are John and Angela Thompson of Berthoud, Colo. Enola was welcomed home by sister Adriana Brook Bolen.

Martha Johnson

Martha Johnson, 80, of Topeka, died Monday, March 20, 1996. A funeral mass will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Colby with Father Dana Clark officiating. Burial will be at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Colby. Vigil and rosary will be held today at 7 p.m. at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby. Visitation will be until 8 p.m. today at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby. Memorials are suggested to Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Colby and the Alzheimer's Association. Donations may be left at Farmers Bank and Trust in Brewster, any Colby bank, or Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel. Due to possible weather conditions, dates may change. Please call the funeral home at (785) 462-7979.

Babies

Enola Ashlynn Faith Thompson

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Snow marks March as transitional

The snow we received on Sunday and on into Monday, the first day of spring, has demonstrated that March is a transitional month. Winter will depart, covering the ground in a blanket of white, and as the temperature rises the color of green will appear giving confirmation of spring.

Luke and Julie Juenemann are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Jorja Kimber, who was born March 14. The grandparents are Larry and Kim Juenemann of Chetopa, Kansas and J.W. and Janell Glidewell of St. Francis.

A bridal shower was given for Samantha Allen at the Rexford Community Church Sunday afternoon.

Vicki Allison and daughter, Jami



Vicki Allison
● Rexford Correspondent

Wark, went to Lawrence, Sunday, March 12, to spend four days of their spring break with daughter/sister, Kristin Wark, who attends the University of Kansas. Sunday morning Lawrence had micro burst winds and tornado damage to the town. It was reported that the campus had 60% or their buildings damages and electrical outage so the Monday classes were canceled.

Vicki and Jami were able to go with Kristin to the Brook Creek

Learning Center where Kristin is a teacher's aide to 15 pre-schoolers. They also spent time with Kelly Wark, a cousin who lives in Lawrence.

Sondra Barnett had company last week. Because of spring break, her daughter, Shalom Kruse, Gabriel, Kaleb and Trinity from Pretty Prairie, Kansas and Lori Barnett, Elijah and Joshua from Tyrone, Okla., were here for a few days. The cousins had a great time together.

In honor of Vicki Allison's 50th birthday on March 17, her children, Chad, Rebecca, Kristin, and Jami Wark, help a surprise party for her at the Southwind in Selden Friday evening. Vicki says thank you to family and friends for the celebration and for the cards and gifts she

received. The Lion's Club had a nice turnout for the Beef/Chicken and Noodle lunch Sunday afternoon.

Red Barn activities: There were 12 meeting for Barnswallows on Tuesday. Those card players were Lawrence Horinek, Dick Sanford, Grace Cheney, Jean Hawkins, Doc Dingwerth, Mary Anne and Lawrence Juenemann, Chuck and Parry Williams, Betty and Rex Carswell, and Deb Stepper.

Those at Bible Study on Wednesday were Ranell Lunsway, Delores Dible, Grace Cheney, Patty Purcell, Janette Dible, Edna Colson, Betty Carswell, Deb Stepper, and leader, Jolene Hansen.

Those in from Come on Down were Dick Sanford, Lawrence Horinek, Betty and Rex Carswell and Deb Stepper.

On Friday, March 17, St. Patrick's Day, Koffe Klatch had 15 ladies around the table. Those ladies were Darla Dible, Vesta Roth, Deborah Gamboa, Deb Stepper, Pat Williams, Hulda Wark, Eunice Sanford, Sondra Barnett, Grace Cheney, Berneda Zoberst, Sue Hayes, Delores Dible, Margaret Arasmith, Liz Rall and Jean Hawkins. Golden Plains spring break was March 13-17.

College, scholarship dates looming

The Colby High School Career Center has many resources available on colleges, scholarships and upcoming visits from college representatives. Below are some upcoming events and deadlines.

KU girls-only camps will be June 18-24 and July 16-22. Get hands-on, field trips and cool times. Come to the Career Center to get signed up.

Students who have been admitted to KU for fall 2006 are invited to participate in the Freshmen Summer Institute.

There are two sessions to choose from— June 4-30 or July 2-28. Deadline is May 1 for applications.

Information on the United States Military Academy annual summer leaders seminar is available in the Career Center.

The academy will host two sessions.

The first is June 3-9 and the other is June 10-16. Applications are due by April 1, 2006.

Barton County Community College applications for the sports medicine program are available. Students who are interested can become athletic trainers while continuing their education in college.

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