

Family

Deaths

Mary L. Margheim

Mary L. Margheim, 81, of Colby, born May 31, 1925, in McCallister. Services are pending with Harrison Chapel in Colby.

Tickets for Clinton lecture available soon

MANHATTAN — Charles Reagan, chair of the Landon Lecture series at Kansas State University, has announced details of ticket distribution for the Landon Lecture by former President Bill Clinton. The 148th Landon Lecture will begin at 3:30 p.m. Friday, March 2, in Bramlage Coliseum. Admission is free, but a ticket will be required.

K-State students, faculty and staff may pick up their tickets 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 21, and Thursday, Feb. 22, or until the allotment is exhausted. Student tickets will be available on the northeast side of Bramlage Coliseum. Faculty and staff tickets will be available on the northwest side of Bramlage. K-State at Salina students and faculty-staff will receive an e-mail when tickets are available to be picked up.

Students, faculty and staff must show their K-State ID to pick up a ticket and again to gain entry to the lecture. Each person will be limited to one ticket. All seats will be reserved so those wishing to sit together should pick up their tickets together. Admission to the lecture itself will require both the ticket and the K-State ID card.

An announcement will be made at Fort Riley about ticket distribu-

tion. Landon patrons will receive their tickets by mail. Patrons should use their parking passes to park in a special section of the west parking lot.

The Landon patrons entrance is at the southwest doors of Bramlage Coliseum. Once inside, patrons will be directed to floor seating or to a special section at the top of Section 6.

Any remaining tickets will be available for the general public on Friday, Feb. 23, beginning at 10 a.m. at the Northwest ticket windows at Bramlage Coliseum.

Seating is available for people with disabilities.

No handbags, backpacks, brief cases, or bags of any kind will be permitted inside Bramlage on the day of the lecture. Small still cameras will be permitted. There will be no place to check bags.

Reagan said the doors to Bramlage Coliseum will open at 2:30 p.m. and everyone must be seated by 3:15 p.m. "Because everyone must pass through security, we encourage people to be there early and realize there will be a wait," Reagan said.

President Clinton's lecture will be Webcast at <http://www.k-state.edu/landon>

Wheat group to Washington

The image of Kansas agriculture standing together and finding major areas of agreement on farm policy issues will continue in mid-March as members of the Kansas Farm Bill Coalition will travel to Washington. Representatives of the 21 Kansas farm organizations who have joined in the Coalition will be delivering their consensus statements on issues to be included in the 2007 Farm Bill to members of Congress and to the Administration.

The K-F-B-C plans to also demonstrate that agricultural organizations have the ability to work to-

gether in developing farm policy that will create and sustain a competitive and profitable ag industry. Part of the Coalition picture also is the need to provide a safe and secure food, fiber, and energy supply for consumers.

The Coalition unveiled the results of the more than 18 months of work during a news conference in Topeka in early December.

The consensus statements included 34 different farm policy issues upon which the varied organizations were in unanimous agreement.

Colder weather coming to Brewster

Had a good couple days of melting, but still have a lot of snow on the ground. Sounds like we will be back into the cold weather for the next week or so.

Received word of several deaths of people some of you may remember, so will get that information out to you.

First of all, Alvin Helin's sister Wilma Beckner died Jan. 18. She was living in Great Falls, Mont. Also received a letter from Norma Jean (Parker) Hammond. She was Inace Parker's daughter. Norman, Jean's husband, passed away in

Hoxie student helps with project

MANHATTAN — The Kansas State University Student Foundation is launching the inaugural K-State Proud: Students Changing Lives Campaign, the student-driven portion of K-State's Changing Lives Campaign. The objective of the campaign is to raise awareness of philanthropy and the importance of private gifts to the university among students and the entire K-State family. Further, participation in the campaign will demonstrate the commitment of the student body to all others who invest in K-State.

"K-State Proud is a rare opportunity for students to engage in a philanthropic effort that benefits fellow students," said Jenna Kennedy, campaign co-chair and a senior in microbiology, Hoxie. "Through the generosity of each student who contributes, we'll be able to demonstrate to the entire university community what K-State family truly means."

K-State Proud began with a Jan. 11 kick-off event for campus volunteers. It culminates Feb. 12-19 and includes a campaign celebration and pep rally for all student ticket-holders Monday, Feb. 19, before the men's basketball game against the



Betty Jo Baird

• Brewster Correspondent

Sept. 2006, and Inace's brother Elmer (Jack) Johnson of Daves, Calif., died two weeks ago. He was known by a lot of people here in Brewster.

We have a long prayer list this week. Duane Jones will be seeing the doctor, for his check-up, and

him and Ruth hope to be home soon. Our prayers also go out to Vi Bowman, Mark Flanders, Barbara Springstein, Wilma Burk and Vernon Patten.

Don't forget to vote in the primary Feb. 27 and the general election April 3, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. both days.

Elections will be held at the Brewster Senior Center. The center will be closed for everything but voting.

The boys and girls played Oakley Tuesday night. The boys won and the girls lost. Will be playing Sharon

Springs Friday night here in Brewster. Come out and enjoy the games.

I'm afraid that is all the news I've heard this week, so will close with welcoming Eileen Wahl to the community. She is the mother of Lana Felzien and Diana Flanders.

Perhaps you went to bed last night thinking about the overdue bills the lack of finances, the problematic people and situations you have to face. This morning you woke up. Did you give thanks? Maybe your back is out; your leg may be broken; your head is stopped up, or your eye is swollen. So you are in pain, in fear, in an uncomfortable state, but did you give thanks? You may be alone, heartbroken, confused, or disappointed, but the issue still remains, did you give thanks?

Let's put it this way: you can think, you can feel, you are alive. You've got a brain, a life, an idea. All of this means that someday, someday, you can do better. So...Did you give thanks? If you didn't, it is probably because you forgot that when the praise goes up, the blessings come down. That should be enough to inspire you to be thankful.

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- SATURDAY, FEB. 10**
High School ACT test, Colby Community College, 9 a.m.
Bill Voss Novice Wrestling, Colby High School, 9 a.m.
Golden Buckle Square Dance Club, Colby Community Building, 6:30 p.m. soup supper, dance, 8 p.m.
- SUNDAY, FEB. 11**
Pride of the Prairie Orchestra, Colby Community College Cultural Arts Center

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