

# Family

## Golden Plains Honor Roll

Here are the Golden Plains Schools honor rolls for the second quarter and first semester:

### HIGH SCHOOL Second Quarter

**Superintendent's honor roll** (4.0): Juniors: Isaac Broeckelman, Jonathan Broeckelman, Shaun Gilbert, Michael Roehl. Sophomores: Randi Cressler, Lucas Phillips, Devinn Ritter, Avery Spresser. Freshmen: Trey Schwarz.

**Principal's honor roll** (3.0-3.9): Seniors: Oriana Beltran, Tate Bruggeman, Maria Garcia, Kelton Jones, Randa Lewis, Angel Lobato, Tanner Moss, Damien Plank, Nicholas Rail, Torry Roehl, Ivonn Vargas.

Juniors: Alyssa Babcock, Michelle Becker, Jenna Bruggeman, Justin Dice, Melissa Lobato, Jessica Luna, Karly Miller, Drake Moss, Dylan Moss, Corey Shaw, Jordan Spresser, Aisha Walter, Megan Zodrow.

Sophomores: McKayla Albertson, Aaron Emigh, Susana Galvan, Brandy Gilbert, Marissa Mosier, Jacy Moss, Melissa Ritter, Rilee Spresser.

Freshmen: Hannah Antholz, Viridiana Beltran, Cole Christensen, Raquel Garcia, Katrina Griggs, Tyler Stevenson, Emily Wachendorfer, Ethan Walter.

### First Semester

**Superintendent's honor roll** (4.0): (senior) Tate Bruggeman; (junior) Isaac Broeckelman, Jonathan Broeckelman, Shaun Gilbert, Michael Roehl; (sophomore) Lucas Phillips, Devinn Ritter, Avery Spresser; (freshman) Trey Schwarz.

**Principal's honor roll** (3.0-3.9): Seniors: Jason Ackerman, Oriana Beltran, Maria Garcia, Kelton Jones, Randa Lewis, Angel Lobato, Tanner Moss, Nicholas Rail, Torry Roehl, Ivonn Vargas.

Juniors: Alyssa Babcock, Michelle Becker, Jenna Bruggeman, Justin Dice, Melissa Lobato, Jessica Luna, Karly Miller, Drake Moss, Dylan Moss, Corey Shaw,

Jordan Spresser, Aisha Walter, Megan Zodrow.

Sophomores: McKayla Albertson, Randi Cressler, Aaron Emigh, Susana Galvan, Brandy Gilbert, Marissa Mosier, Jacy Moss, Melissa Ritter, Rilee Spresser.

Freshmen: Hannah Antholz, Viridiana Beltran, Cole Christensen, Sandra Galvan, Raquel Garcia, Katrina Griggs, Tyler Stevenson, Emily Wachendorfer, Ethan Walter.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL Second Quarter

**Superintendent's honor roll** (4.0): Eighth grade: Angela Ritter, Seventh grade: Leea Juenemann, Hailee Spresser, Sixth grade: Todd, Taylor Chance Uehlin.

**Principal's honor roll** (3.0-3.9):

Eighth grade: Jose Bermudez, Haydyn Best, Andrew Luna, Griselda Monge, Derrek Sandoval, Colten Wachendorfer, Morgan Walz.

Seventh grade: Jacob Antholz, Jordan Christensen, EmmyFringier, Tiffani Hapke, Chance Hoeting, Kylie Jones, Jorge Monge, Paulita Ramirez, Tristan Schwarz, Caitlin Spresser, Grant Spresser, Zachary Spresser.

Sixth grade: Rebecca Bange, Ana Bermudez, Joseph Koerperich, Braden Korte, Benny Martinez, Rachael Ritter, Brooke Wark.

### First Semester

**Superintendent's honor roll** (4.0): Eighth grade: Angela Ritter. Seventh grade: Kylie Jones, Leea Juenemann, Hailee Spresser. Sixth grade: Taylor Todd, Chance Uehlin.

**Principal's honor roll** (3.0-3.9): Eighth grade: Griselda Monge, Colten Wachendorfer, Morgan Walz. Seventh grade: Jordan Christensen, Tiffani Hapke, Chance Hoeting, Tristan Schwarz, Caitlin Spresser, Grant Spresser, Zachary Spresser. Sixth grade: Rebecca Bange, Ana Bermudez, Joseph Koerperich, Braden Korte, Rachael Ritter, Brooke Wark.

## Rotary seeks four exchange visitors

Rotary District 5670, covering the 40 counties of north central and northwest Kansas, is looking for four professionals or business people to tour Mexico from June 1 to July with the Group Study Exchange program of Rotary International.

The area of Mexico to be visited includes the Pacific coastal cities of Mazatlan and Puerto Vallarta.

Teams of young professionals from the United States and Mexico will exchange visits for four weeks to experience the way of life, customs and vocational practices while sharing information about their homelands.

A team from Mexico will visit communities in Kansas during April and May this year.

The exchange program is designed to promote international understanding and goodwill through personal connection.

Team members will stay in Ro-

tarians' homes and get to meet their professional counterparts. They will give presentations to Rotary clubs and other groups about their home life in Kansas.

Round-trip airfare will be provided by Rotary International and the host country will provide meals, lodging and group travel. Team members pay only for their personal and incidental expenses.

Adults between the ages of 25-40 who want to apply should be employed full-time in a business or profession. Applicants must live or work in Rotary District 5670.

Applications are due by March 15.

For information, call Rotarian Jan van Asselt at (620) 241-3899 or e-mail [janvanasselt@cox.net](mailto:janvanasselt@cox.net). In Colby, contact club President Shannon Wells at (785) 460-2000.

## High Plains Lions Club

High Plains Lions prowled into their bimonthly den to escape the raw wind Monday for their first meeting of the new year. Roger Hale called the meeting to order.

Lion Mary Hurtt led in singing the birthday song to John Sanders and Virgil Jones. Minutes and treasurers reports were approved.

Community activities members participated in were recycling, Christmas baskets and assisting with the pancake feed.

Fliers were handed out for this year's Buffalo Bill's Baden Powell dinner on Feb. 8.

High Plains Lions will host the area Valentine's Day party on Feb.

9 and will assist with the upcoming ham-and-bean feed to be held at the Orscheln Farm and Home store on Saturday, Jan. 31.

Virgil Jones will check with the band instructor to determine if there are two band members interested in playing in the Lions State Band at the state convention.

Members were encouraged to vote on the 8 Wonders of Kansas Commerce and were informed the book bindery in Selden is in the running.

The club recognized the loss of long-time member Hubert Cooper. Next meeting will be Jan. 26.

## Bridge Club

Winners for Meadow Lake Bridge on Tuesday were: a tie for first place between Margaret Deneler and Joy Davis; second, Sarah Jane Barrett; third, Jean Snyder; fourth, Janet Harper; fifth, Ken Ptacek.

## Friends invited to send cards

The children of Margaret Perkins invite friends and family to honor her with a card shower on Jan. 21 for her 82nd birthday. Cards will reach her at 1775 W. Fifth St. in Colby.

## Babies

### Leah Ellen Stallbaumer

Leah Ellen Stallbaumer, first child of Rod and Angela Stallbaumer of Scranton, Kan., was born Dec. 12, 2008, at St. Francis Hospital in Topeka. She weighed 9 pounds, 1 ounce and measured 21 inches. Grandparents are Larry and Vonna Shertz of Monument and Dan and Teresa Stallbaumer of Bern.



Leah Ellen S.

## Student services director named employee of year

Director of Students Services Paul Chaffin is the second recipient of the Northwest Kansas Technical College's Employee of the Year Award.

Chaffin, a 26-year employee, received a plaque from President Kenneth A. Clouse at the annual Christmas party Dec. 20. He was selected based on campus-wide nominations, with the winner

chosen by a committee of faculty, staff, community and board members.

"My observation is that Paul is viewed by the majority of the college employees as an asset to making the college perform to peak levels," Clouse said. "He dedicates enormous hours to assisting our students and helping them succeed in their pursuits."

## Speakers bureau will focus on Lincoln bicentennial year

TOPEKA – The Kansas Humanities Council has a new Abraham Lincoln Speakers Bureau series to commemorate the Lincoln Bicentennial.

Nine programs offer fresh perspectives on Lincoln's life, presidency and legacy. A complete list of programs, booking information and fees can be found at [www.kansashumanities.org](http://www.kansashumanities.org).

"The programs are an engaging and informative way for Kansas communities to take part in the Lincoln Bicentennial," said Julie Mulvihill, executive director of

the council. "Program participants will examine Lincoln's life and his legacy in the 21st century..."

Topics including Lincoln's 1859 visit to Kansas, his law career, his place in history and the impact of John Brown's raid on the 1860 presidential election.

The council, a nonprofit agency, conducts and supports community-based programs, provides grants for programs and encourages Kansans to participate in their communities. For information, call (785) 357-0359.

## Student Honors

### Ouachita Baptist University

Chris Gordon of Colby was named to the President's List for the fall semester at Ouachita Baptist University in Arkadelphia, Ark.

To be named to the President's List, a full-time student must have a 4.0 grade average with a minimum of 12 academic hours. A total of 222 students made the list.

### Bethany College

Crystal Mannebach, a Bethany College senior, is one of 156 students to be named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester. Those on the list must be full-

time students with a semester grade average of at least 3.5 on a 4-point scale.

Crystal is the daughter of Bob and Evelyn Mannebach, Colby.

## Corrections

Speakers for wellness session for Jan. 19 and 26 were reported incorrectly in a story on Page 1 of the Wednesday, Jan. 14, issue of the *Colby Free Press*. Fitness testing by Colby Community College fitness students will be Monday; Jenny Niblock will speak on the long-term benefits of proper nutrition on Jan. 26, and Dr. Denis Medeiros, head of the Department of Human Nutrition at Kansas State University, will talk about fad diets on Feb. 2.

### ☆☆☆☆

Hubert Cooper's age was re-

ported incorrectly in his obituary on Page 4 of the same paper. Born in 1922, he was 86, not 78, when he died Monday, Jan. 12. This was an editing error.

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