

Family

Deaths

John Henry Laverenz

Longtime Burlington, Colo., resident John Henry Laverenz, 71, brother of Rosie Bremenkamp of Colby, died Thursday, Sept. 3, 2009, at Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center in Denver.

He was born Feb. 22, 1938, in Hiawatha, to John Martin and Anna (Delzeit) Laverenz. On Aug. 6, 1958, he married Esther Weber at the St. Joseph Catholic Church in Oakley. They moved to Burlington in 1965. He was a member of the St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Burlington, and was a mechanic at McArthur's Implement in Burlington for 30 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters, Loretta Mazenec and Ruthanna Falk.

Survivors are his wife and a daughter, Darla Laverenz, Burlington; three sons, Marty (Beth), Centennial, Colo.; Duane of Burlington; and Darin (Peggy) of Strasburg, Colo.; his sister; and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral Mass was to be at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 8, 2009, at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Colby, with the Rev. Dana Clark officiating. Burial in the Sacred Heart Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials to the John H. Laverenz memorial fund, in care of the First National Bank of Burlington, Box 700, Burlington, Colo., 80807-2315.

Friends may send condolences and sign John's register book at www.lovefuneralhomes.com.



J. Laverenz

Archie Moser

Archie Moser, 84, a Winona farmer and rancher, died Saturday, Sept. 5, 2009, in Lafayette, Colo.

He was born Feb. 24, 1925, in Fulton County, Ark., the son of John and Nancy (Montgomery) Moser.

He is survived by his wife Verla L. Moser, of the home, two sons, Dan D. Moser, Winona; and Ken D. Moser, Colby; five daughters, Sheila I. Johnson and Leisha K. Carpenter, both of Brewster; Brenda L. Gunter, San Angelo, Texas; Linda S. Latham, Winona; Reba F. Mills, Sugarland, Texas; two brothers, Noel Moser, Damascus, Ark.; and Albert Moser, Oakley; a sister, Susan Perryman, Lonoke, Okla.; 14 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were to be at 10:30 a.m. today, Wednesday, Sept. 9, 2009, at the Oakley Church of Christ, with William K. Moser officiating. Burial in Winona Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials to the Oakley Church of Christ or Oakley Alcoholics Anonymous in care of Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel, 745 S. Country Club Dr., Colby, Kan., 67701.

Rusti Hopper

Rusti M. Hopper, 33, a Gem homemaker, died Tuesday, Sept. 8, 2009, at Citizen's Medical Center in Colby.

She was born April 8, 1976, in Oberlin, the daughter of Mance and Carol Trice.

She was preceded in death by her father and a daughter, Hayliegh Merrie Hopper.

She is survived by her husband, Benjamin Hopper; a son, Christian Coulter; and two daughters, Marissa Hopper and Holli Hopper, all of the home; her mother, Hoxie; her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Leonard and Karen Hopper, Gem; and a sister, Tina Cunningham, Hoxie.

Graveside services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 11, 2009, at Beulah Cemetery in Colby.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to noon Friday at the Harrison Chapel in Colby.

The family suggests memorial donations to benefit her family, in care of any Colby bank or the funeral chapel, Box 634, Colby Kan., 67701.

Donor gives 40 gallons

WOODBURY, N.Y. (AP) — A New York man is donating his 320th pint of blood this week, making him one of two people in the U.S. who has given 40 gallons.

Seventy-five-year-old Al Fischer of Massapequa (mass-ah-PEE'-kwah) plans to reach the milestone Tuesday, 58 years after he started giving blood.

According to a New York Blood Center official, only 83-year-old Maurice Wood has donated more blood. Wood is a retired railroad inspector from St. Louis.

Fischer, a print shop operator, donates about six times a year.

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Encore series at Fort Hays begins with radio theater set

Breakdancing, Alabama Blind Boys and giant puppets are a few of the things to be seen in the 2009-2010 Encore Series presented by the Special Events Committee at Fort Hays State University.

All performances will at 7:30 p.m. in the Beach/Schmidt Performing Arts Center in Sheridan Hall on campus.

The first will be on Wednesday, Sept. 30, featuring the radio theatre company, LA Theatre Works. The group will re-create Orson Welles' infamous radio broadcast of H.G. Wells' "War of the Worlds," along with Arthur Conan Doyle's time-travel adventure, "The Lost World." Reserved tickets are \$25 for the public, \$23 for seniors and children under 18, and \$21 for Fort Hays students. Unreserved tickets are \$21, \$19 and \$17, respectively.

On Monday, Oct. 19, "In The Mood" takes a retro look at the music of the 1940s.

On Thursday, Nov. 19, the Turtle Island Quartet and the Luna Negra Dance Theater will collaborate to present a unique living art form known as "Danzon."

Called the official dance of Cuba, Danzon has never ceased to influence Cuban musicians. This traditional Cuban dance form has been rejuvenated as a modern work of art. It introduces mainstream American audiences to a thriving Latino tradition.

Thursday, Dec. 10, will bring the Blind Boys of Alabama to the center. The Blind Boys are the iron men of the music industry. They predate Elvis, Little Richard and Al Green, yet even in their 70s, they are still at the top of the gospel charts, won four consecutive Grammy Awards from 2001 to 2004 and added a fifth in 2009.

The Blind Boys bring out the most spiritual aspects of mainstream music while bringing the music of the church straight to the roadhouse. In the past five years, they have recorded songs by everyone from Tom Waits to Prince side by side with their traditional material and appeared as guests with an array of artists from Peter Gabriel to Ben Harper.

On Jan. 25, giant theatrical puppets will bring J.R.R. Tolkien's "The Hobbit" to life courtesy of Théâtre Sans Fil. The Tolkien fantasy will have a new, larger-than-life look with this adaptation.

To celebrate Valentine's Day, Feb. 16, the series will feature "The Drowsy Chaperone," which bursts on stage to tell the tale of a pampered Broadway starlet who wants to give up show business and get married. Her producer sets out to sabotage the nuptials. Reserved tickets are \$35 for the public, \$33 for seniors and children

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Babies

Laken Lindberg

Laken Ridge Lindberg, son of Kyle and Toni Lindberg, Colby, was born Wednesday, Aug. 26, 2009, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. He weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces and measured 20 inches.

Grandparents are Todd and Sandy Houseman, Colorado Springs, and Dick and Becky Dempewolf and Gary and Annette Lindberg of Colby.



L. Lindberg

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