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Family Irish performance

Saturday at college

music, and dance? Well, you are as a singer and pianist. He has rein luck! Tony Kenny and Stars of leased 25 recordings, including Jury's Irish Cabaret (from Dublin) seven gold and two platinum discs will take the stage at the Colby Community College Cultural Arts Center in Colby at 7:30 p.m. Sat- every fall with his cast of dancers urday.

In the world of Irish music, Year" for three consecutive years, adults, \$15, students K-12, \$8.

Are you a fan of Irish singing, he has performs around the world throughout his career.

Kenny tours the United States and musicians.

Admission for this program is Kenny needs little introduction. by Western Plains Arts Associa-As Ireland's "Entertainer of the tion Season Ticket or at the door,

Musical fair coming to Hays on Saturday

to street rhymes and sing-a-longs, dren from 10 to 11 a.m. Explorathe String-a-Palooza musical fair tion centers available will include and extravaganza will provide lots an "instrument petting zoo," a of entertainment for children at "drumming circle," "make your the Memorial Union at Fort Hays own RainStick," a preschool song State University.

String-a-Palooza, organized by the Western Kansas String Academy and the Alpha Pi chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota, starts at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 14.

Maria Anthony of Lawrence will do two half-hour children's concerts. Anthony uses guitar, flute and bodhran, an Irish frame drum, for accompaniment in her performances, which include stories, sing-a-longs, humor and poetry. She uses costume, rhythm and rhyme. Programs include translation from Gaelic, songs about children by children, otherwise known at "street rhymes," and movement activities.

Her first concert will begin at 9:30 a.m. This concert will concentrate on pre-school-aged children while her second, at 11:30 a.m., will be for children of all ages.

She has been performing since 1982 and has produced four recordings of traditional and original music with violinist and singer Megan Hurt as well as the folkrock band "Uncle Dirty Toes." There will be hands-on booths

On the Beat

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COLBY POLICE Friday

6:17 a.m. - Caller sick at 770 bound on U.S. 24 turning north in Dylan Dr. Turned over to Citizens alley west of Franklin. Located Medical Center.

12:29 p.m. - Assisted sheriff's

HAYS - From violins and cellos and exploration activities for chilcircle, "exotic string instruments" and an electric instrument experiment station.

> older, violin and cello lessons will be offered at 10:30 a.m. Children in the second grade or above can participate in guitar lessons as well. For these half-hour sessions, instruments will be provided to introduce children to the art of playing a musical instrument. Call the academy by Thursday to reserve a seat

At 11 a.m., a musically illustrated reading of Pete Seeger's story "Abiyoyo!" will be performed by the academy' intermediate and advanced orchestra, playing music written by Krista Connelly, a Hays junior. Dr. Doug Drabkin, associate professor of philosophy, will narrate.

Registration will be in the Sunset Lounge at 9:15 a.m., but visi-

as their schedules allow. For information, contact Cathy Drabkin, executive director of the academy, at (785) 628-5363 or at cadrabkin@fhsu.edu.

For children in kindergarten or

tors are welcome to come and go

7:23 p.m. - Erratic driver west-



Ann Scheufler and Ethan Walker

Colby grad to wed in McPherson church

Ann Scheufler of Sterling in dietetics.

and Ethan Walker of McPherson plan to marry Saturday, Jan. 2, 2010, at the Free Methodist Church in McPherson.

The bride is the daughter of Lee and Margaret Scheufler of Sterling. She is a 2006 graduate of Sterling High School and will graduate from Kansas State University in May with a degree

The groom is the son of Boyd and Sharon Walker of McPherson. He is a 2004 graduate of Colby High School and will graduate from the University of Kansas School of Nursing in May.

The couple will live in Kansas City.

Farm Service pays out

acres enrolled on 49,834 contracts

Across the country, said Adrian J. Polansky, state executive director of the U.S. Farm Service Agency, participants received \$1.7 billion on about 33 million acres. He said Conservation Reserve is the largest public-private partnership for conservation and wildlife habitat in the United States.

Landowners in the program plant long-term, resource-conserving cover to improve water quality, control soil erosion and enhance habitat for waterfowl and wildlife. In return, the agency pays ments on 10- to 15-year contracts. the county office.

Conservation Reserve Program counting Office for the entire annual rental payments were is- country and not from the agensued the first of October to Kansas cy's county office. Owners may farmers and ranchers for a total receive an electronic payment in of \$122.8 million for 3.1 million their bank account before they receive their statement in the mail, he said.

Because of a glitch found in the new web-based payment system, some Conservation Reserve assignments to lenders were not applied, the agency says. Anyone receiving a check in error needs to contact their bank, the agency said.

Because of another error, landowners should review all their payment statements for all farms in all counties to determine if the total final direct payments equals the total direct payments less total advance payments. If there is any annual rental and cost-share pay- discrepancy, they need to contact

4-H Club

The Abilene Hustlers 4-H Club met Monday, Nov. 2, with 25 members present. President Sarah Lamm called the meeting to order and Hannah Strange led the club in the flag salute before they ate a pot-luck dinner.

Kinley Ziegelmeier led the club in fun game called, "What Time is it Mr. Wolf?"

members having to name something related to Thanksgiving.

Kayle Shields led the club in singing "If You're Happy and You Know It."

Jory Koon read the minutes of the last meeting before Rachel Lamm reminded people to come to the front of the room when giving announcements.

Council Representative Rachel Lamm said pizza sales would begin in December. This is one of the club's biggest fundraisers. It was announced that the club would build the pizzas on Sunday, Feb. 14.

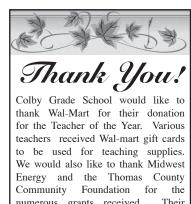
Kimberly Gerstner gave a project talk titled "A Trip of a Lifetime," about her trip to Japan. She also showed a slideshow of pictures from her trip.

Community Leader Donna Lamm handed out club awards which included a \$10 Sonic card for the members who did record books.

New members Amanda Barnum, Carter Stanley, Jenna and Shelby Crampton, and Piper and Bailey Koeperich, were initiated. The meeting was adjourned after Vice President Brennan Ziegelmeier announced next month's meeting would be Monday, Dec. 7, at the 4-H building. Brook Ziegelmeier

Bridge Club

Meadow Lake bridge winners for Tuesday, Nov. 3, were first, Barb Ulmer; second, Sarah Jane Barrett; third, Ken Ptacek; fourth, Dave Ulmer; fifth, Mary Kersenbrock.



Deaths

Shirley Griggs

Shirley Griggs, 70, Colby, died Wednesday, Nov. 11, 2009, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. Services are pending with Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby, (785) 462-7979.

Roll call was answered with Head to visit **Brewster Lions**

Lions District Governor William "Bill" Fairchild will make an official club visitation to the Brewster Lions Club at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 9, at Hunter Hall in Brewster. All club members are encouraged to be present.

Fairchild has been district governor since July 1. He has retired from the Larned School District, where he served as transportation manager, bus driver and trainer, first aid trainer, and driver improvement program instructor. He is a charter member of the Kansas State Pupil Transportation Association.

Judge takes guilt public

BEDFORD, Pa. (AP) - In exchange for no jail time, a woman and her adult daughter have agreed to stand outside a Pennsylvania courthouse holding signs saying they stole a gift card from a 9-year-old girl on her birthday.

Fifty-six-year-old Evelyn Border and 35-year-old Tina Griekspoor stood outside the court for 4 1/2 hours Nov. 3. They held signs that read: "I stole from a 9-year-old girl on her birthday! Don't steal or this could happen to you!"

Bedford County District Attorney Bill Higgins says they swiped a gift card the girl set on a shelf while an employee helped her.



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office on call at Country Club from road on N. Range. Drive and Brookside. Report.

2:12 p.m. - Dog at large caught at 1665 W. Fifth. Turned over to Colby Animal Clinic.

3:11 p.m. - Arrest warrant served on Thelma Sue Rock by

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day **Hi-Plains Co-op** Wheat (bushel) Corn (bushel) Milo (hundredweight) Soybeans (bushel)

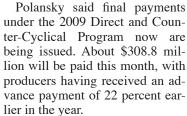
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and spoke to subject.

Oakley police.

Shooting class starts for 4-H

The 4-H Shooting Sports Program for bb-guns and air rifles will begin at 6 p.m. Thursday at the 4-H building. The first session will be in the classroom. Meetings will be held each Thursday from 6 to 8 p.m. for 4-H members nine years old and older. For questions, call Mike Wetter at 460-0808.



Payment statements will be mailed from the Kansas City Ac-





Colby Grade School would like to thank the community and McDonalds for the success of the McDonald's Neighbors Night. We appreciate your attendance and support in making this night a huge success. Thank you for your support of public education



numerous grants received. Their contributions will help fund supplies for various activities throughout the school year





313 Kansas Ave., Brewster, Ks. Sat., Nov. 14, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Central Sun., Nov. 15, 1-5 p.m. Central HELP US CELEBRATE 25 YEARS IN BUSINESS!!!! **DON'T MISS THIS EXCITING EVENT! SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!!!** MINI CLASSES ALL DAY LONG BOTH DAYS for all ages....Learn new techniques in many craft areas...Get ideas to make Christmas gifts/ornaments...LOTS OF NEW INVEN-TORY THROUGHOUT THE STORE! Brand new "the craft peddler 25th Anniversary" Cookbook debut! This will make GREAT Christmas gifts! Lots of delicious refreshments...Drawings every hour both days! Free gift with purchase. Unbelievable SALES ON NEW MERCHANDISE Sign up for scrapbooking classes 785-694-2817 Regular hours Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

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