

# Family

## Singing Quakers to be here Sunday

The Friends University Singing Quakers choir from Wichita will tour western Kansas in a four-day swing this week dubbed the "At Home on the Range" tour, stopping in Colby on Sunday.

"Listeners throughout the country have been impressed and inspired by the quality of musical selections and the sensitive musicianship consistently demonstrated by this truly fine choral music ensemble," said Dr. Thomas H. Cook, interim chair of the Division of Fine Arts at Friends. "This is a remarkable group of young singers to prepare and share great choral music."

The choir will sing at 7 p.m. Friday at Liberty Middle School in Pratt; 6:30 p.m. Saturday at St. Fidelis Catholic Church in Victoria; 11 a.m. Sunday at the Colby United Methodist Church; 3 p.m. that day at Atwood High School; and at 7 p.m. Monday at Garden City High School.

"The performance will feature both sacred classics and modern show stoppers," said Dr. Mark Bartel, the director, "and a set of songs about the state composed by Kansas musicians."

For information, call the Fine Arts office at (316) 295-5537.

## SuperCroc exhibit opening at Sternberg

HAYS – You might say it was a case of letting the cat out of the bag. Except that in this case the "cat" is a 40-foot-long, 10-ton crocodile.

"The Science of SuperCroc" exhibit, until now seen only in Chicago, Cincinnati and the Netherlands, will open at Fort Hays State University's Sternberg Museum of Natural History on Saturday. Museum officials and a three-person crew from Project Exploration, the exhibit's owner, are installing the exhibit, which arrived in three semi-trailer loads.

The exhibit, which has as its centerpiece the 40-foot-long crocodile, will be here until Aug. 5. It also includes the actual fossil skull of the SuperCroc, a copy of the 6-foot-long skull for photo opportunities, and an interactive skeleton of the crocodile-mimic dinosaur, *Suchomimus* (pronounced SUE-koh-MY-mus).

"SuperCroc's scientific name is *Sarcosuchus imperator* (SAR-koh-soo-kus IM-peer-AH-tor), which means flesh crocodile emperor," Dr. Ed Hammond, Fort Hays president, said at the news conference and demonstration. "The first fossil was discovered by a French paleontologist during the 1940s and '50s. Paul Sereno discovered SuperCroc on an expedition to Niger in Africa in 2000, and it took more than a year for technicians and students to clean up the bones. Artist Gary Staab, a Hays native, fashioned the 'skin' version of the croc."

Hammond said Staab would be in Hays on the weekend of the grand opening to talk about SuperCroc and how he designs and builds models of fossils. A few weeks later, Sereno will speak about SuperCroc and his other adventures.

He said sponsors include McDonald's, Fort Hays State and the museum, Project Exploration, the Hays Convention and Visitors Center, Eagle Communications and Monster Energy drink. A Facebook page had been created to keep up with all things SuperCroc.

"For updates about the Science of SuperCroc exhibit at the Sternberg, go to the Facebook fan page and become a fan," Hammond said. "Just log in to your Facebook account and search for SuperCroc at Sternberg Museum."

SuperCroc, the animal itself, at 40 feet is as big as Sue, the *Tyrannosaurus Rex* skeleton that formed the basis of one of the Sternberg's most popular exhibits ever. Besides the original skull and a copy, a cast skeleton, this exhibit includes an interactive skeleton of a dinosaur from the same period that mimicked crocodilian features, a fleshed out version of the skeleton and a fleshed out head plus an expedition tent and supplies to give a taste of what it was like to dig SuperCroc out of the Sahara. Another half-dozen or so exhibits give the context of SuperCroc's evolutionary family tree.

The installation at the Sternberg is the full "Science of SuperCroc," said Carl Gustafson, exhibits coordinator for Project Exploration.

"It has a lot of size, so not a lot of places can get it all in," he said.

## 'Cowpoke' kids ride in Colby

The High Plains Horseman's Day is just around the corner on Saturday, April 17, at the Logan County Fairgrounds in Oakley.

This will be a fun-filled educational day, organizers say. A special program is designed for the horse-crazy kid in your life. Youth ages 7 to 12 can participate in the "Cowpokes" session from 1:30 to 3 p.m., led by the Colby Community College equestrian

team. Team members will teach kids about the horse, what it eats and what it likes. "Cowpokes" do not need to bring their horses; the team will have several available for hands-on activities. Registration is required by April 16.

Registration for the day begins at 8:30 a.m. For information or to register, contact the Thomas County Extension Office at (785) 460-4582.

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day

Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat (bushel)	\$3.93
Corn (bushel)	\$3.12
Milo (hundredweight)	\$5.14
Soybeans (bushel)	\$8.30

## Corrections

The Colby Free Press wants to maintain an accurate record of our town. Please report any error or lack of clarity in a news story to us at 462-3963.

**Thank You!**

A special thank you to everyone for the cards, phone calls, visits, food and prayers while I was in the hospital and since I've been home.

Thanks to Dr. Hildyard and hospital staff for their great care. Also to Father Dana Clark and Jeannie Solko for their visits and prayers.

Thanks again,  
*Kenny and Joyce Rohn*

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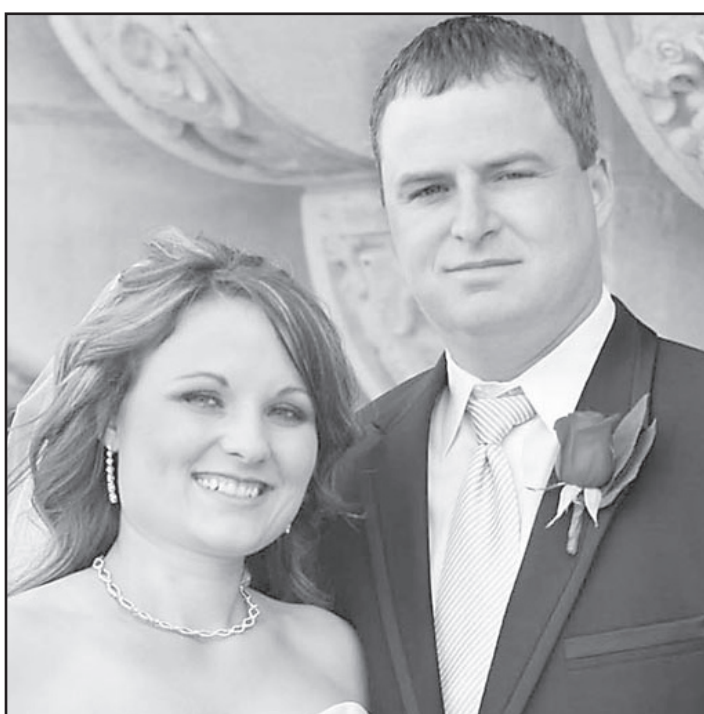
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March 13 & 14  
Saturday • 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Sunday • 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Admission • \$3  
Information  
308-995-2258



Mr. and Mrs. Moore

## Couple married in Dodge City church

Monica J. Rein and Ryan J. Moore were married Nov. 7, 2009, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Dodge City. Father Ted Skelsky officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Daryl and Vonja Rein of Cimarron, and the granddaughter of the late Raymond and Mildred Oyler, Ingalls, and the late Cletus Rein, Bazine, and JoAnn Rein of Emporia.

She graduated from Cimarron High School in 2000, from Fort Hays State University in 2005 and from Northeastern State University in Tahlequah, Okla., in 2009 with a doctorate in optometry. She is in practice with Dr. Rod Copeland in Dodge City.

The groom is the son of Donald (Monty) and Sandy Moore of Monument. His grandparents are Ralph and Marcella Albers and Glenita and the late Donald Moore of Oakley.

He graduated from Oakley High School in 1996 and from Beloit Technical College with a degree in agricultural equipment technology. He is a territory manager for Tisco-Woods Equipment, supervising six Midwestern states.

Stacey Rein of Dodge City and Amanda Rein of Emporia, sisters of the bride, were maids of honor. Bridesmaids were Rachael Schluterman, Fort Smith, Ark. and Carrie Suttle, Okarche, Okla.

Russ Moore of Hays, brother of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were Casey Moore, Oakley, brother of the groom; Scott Ptacek, Garden City, cousin of the groom; and Anthony Owens, York, Neb.

Flower girls were Brooke and Chloe Ptacek, Garden City, cousins of the groom, and Katie Schluterman, Fort Smith, Ark.

The couple are living in Dodge City.

## Babies

### Julian David Salcido



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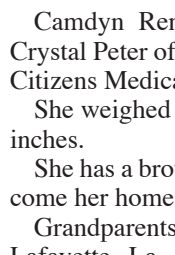
Julian David Salcido, son of Rito and Teia Salcido of Colby was born Friday, Feb. 19, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center.

He weighed 6 pounds, 11 ounces and measured 18 1/4 inches.

Brother Simon, 2, and sister, Adrian 1, welcomed the baby home.

Grandparents are Kenneth and Marilyn Criger of Stratton, Neb.; Edna Crieiger, Benkleman, Neb.; and Mary Garcia of Dodge City.

### Camdyn Renee Peter



Camdyn Peter

Camdyn Renee Peter, daughter of Nathan and Crystal Peter of Brewster, was born Feb. 23, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center.

She weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces and measured 19 inches.

She has a brother Devin and a sister Peyton to welcome her home.

Grandparents are George and Shirley Granander, Lafayette, La., and Curt and Jeannie Peter, Rockledge, Fla.

### Huntley Kruse Schlageck

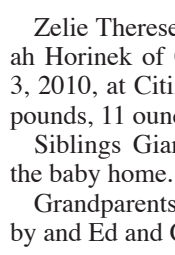


Huntley S.

Huntley Kruse Schlageck, son of Cody and Layla Schlageck of Colby, was born Wednesday, Feb. 24, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center. He weighed 8 pounds, 1 ounce and measured 20 1/4 inches.

Grandparents are Rick and Lori Woodall and Pete and Kim Schlageck, all of Colby. Great-grandparents are Jim and the late Loretta Woodall and JoAnne Brown of Colby; Joe and Marlene Cooper, Hoxie; and Gale and Janice Schlageck, Grinnell.

### Zelie Therese Horinek



Lucas H.

Zelie Therese Horinek, daughter of Clint and Sarah Horinek of Colby, was born Wednesday, March 3, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center. She weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces and measured 20 inches.

Siblings Gianna, Edward and Cecilia welcomed the baby home.

Grandparents are Tony and Anita Horinek of Colby and Ed and Carmel Rita Moore of Chicago.

### Lucas Benjamin Horinek



Lucas H.

Lucas Benjamin Horinek, son of Normalea Payeur and Gabriel Horinek of Ludell, was born Friday, March 5, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center. He weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces and measured 19 inches.

Siblings Ethan Ross and Gabriella Hope welcomed the baby home.

Grandparents are Cathie Payeur of Oakley and Lester and Marilyn Horinek of Atwood.

## On the Beat

### COLBY POLICE

**Friday**  
5:01 a.m. – Walk-through at Bosselman's.

8:53 a.m. – Spoke to principal at Colby High School about illegally parked vehicles in parking lot. Vehicles moved.

12:28 p.m. – Opossum in garage at 1265 Brookside Drive. Provided information to owner.

11:13 p.m. – Becky Pounder arrested on warrant.

11:19 p.m. – Accident at Walmart parking lot.

**Saturday**  
2:06 a.m. – Driving under the influence report on traffic stop.

2:26 a.m. – 911 caller said someone was chasing him from B-Hive. Made contact, everything OK.

6:04 a.m. – Alarm at Sonic. Spoke to manager; everything OK.

9:30 a.m. – Subject reported his fiancée is being harassed by

ex-husband via phone at 1150 S. Franklin No. 43. Report filed.

11:29 a.m. – Subject reported that someone went through her mailbox earlier in week at 915 Brookside Drive. Spoke to reporting party; no report at this time.

11:39 a.m. – Hit-and-run accident witnessed in parking lot at Dollar General. Spoke to victim; no report wanted.

4:37 p.m. – Someone at Central Kansas Foundation called about subject threatening to burn house down at Sunflower Apartments. All OK.

6:42 p.m. – Call that son's glasses were damaged by two subjects at Fike Park. Spoke to subjects.

11:51 p.m. – Narcotics violation

report filed for incident at Ninth and Donelan.

### THOMAS COUNTY SHERIFF

**Friday**  
8:50 a.m. – Four outdoor extension cords cut at 3000 County Rd. M.

9:13 a.m. – Report of daughter being harassed and damage to vehicle at 325 Nebraska, Brewster. Report filed.

7:02 p.m. – Out-of-state pickup with trailer and farm tractor unloaded with hazards on; no people present at U.S. 83 and County Rd J. Not found when sheriff arrived.

**Saturday**  
4:48 p.m. – Assisted police at Sunflower Apartments. All OK.

**Sunday**  
12:07 a.m. – Ambulance call at 520 Center, Rexford.  
7:53 a.m. – Oakley police reported accident at about 1 a.m. in the 1700 block of County Rd. A. Report filed.  
8:40 a.m. – Took inmate to Larned State Hospital.

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