

# Family

## Babies

### Camdyn Brielle Goodman

Camdyn Brielle Goodman, daughter of Lance and Courtney Goodman of Colby, was born Monday, Oct. 11, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center. She weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces and measured 19 inches. Grandparents are Rick and Gina Haeffner of Colby, Steve Goodman of Goodland and Vickie Crotinger of Goodland.



Camdyn G.



Payton D.

### Payton Steven Duraso

Payton Steven Duraso, son of Angela and Anthony Duraso of Goodland, was born Monday, Oct. 4, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center. He weighed 6 pounds, 2 ounces and measured 18 inches. Welcoming him home were siblings Alex Garcia and Larissa Duraso. Grandparents are Mary and David Rich of Deerfield and Gail White of Weskan.

### Lilly Anne Fenske

Lilly Anne Fenske, daughter of Justen and Valorie Fenske of Colby, was born Tuesday, Oct. 12, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center. She weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces and measured 18 1/2 inches. Grandparents are Tammy and Brad Ackerman of Colby and Trish Fenske of Oakley. Great-grandparents are Diane and Barry Kaaz of Colby and Bill and Ruth Cooper.



Lilly Fenske

### Toby Rylan Prideaux

Toby Rylan Prideaux, son of Tyrel and Heather Prideaux of Atwood, was born Tuesday, Oct. 5, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center. He weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces and measured 19 inches. Welcoming him home were siblings Jordynn Fields and Tucker Prideaux. Grandparents are Martin and Anita Barton of Bird City, Ardene and Bev Wilkens of Hays, and Randy and Melanie Prideaux of Atwood.



Toby P.

### Brynley Ann Scott

Brynley Ann Scott, daughter of Aaron and Heather Scott of Topeka, was born Monday, Oct. 4, 2010, at Stormont Vail Hospital in Topeka. She weighed 8 pounds, 13 ounces and measured 21 1/2 inches. Grandparents are Stan and Cheryl Edmundson of Colby, Rob and Kathryn Scott of Wichita and Christie and Dick Robbins of Dodge City. Great-grandparents are Jim and Mildred Barnhart of St. Francis and Marguerette Edmundson of Colby.



Brynley Scott

## Story contest open for entries

Entries are being accepted for the annual Kansas Factual Story Contest, sponsored by the Native Sons and Daughters of Kansas.

The contest encourages preserving in writing factual, unpublished happenings and anecdotes in the lives of Kansans today and yesterday.

Cash awards for winners are provided by Mary Lynn Oliver of Wichita, following a tradition begun by her mother, Olive Ann Beech.

Stories should have taken place in Kansas; be limited to 750 words; be true and not have been published. The contest is open to anyone, anywhere. Only one story may be submitted per person.

Entries must be submitted by e-mail no later than Wednesday, Dec. 1. Send them to Vicky Henley, Kansas State Historical Society, Inc. via e-mail to: membership@kshs.org. In subject area of e-mail include "Beech Memorial Contest."

Judging will be done by a from the Kansas Historical Society and winners announced on Friday, Jan. 28, at the annual meeting of the Native Sons and Daughters of Kansas in Topeka, one day before the state's 150th birthday.

Cash awards are: first place, \$175; second place, \$125; third place, \$100; and \$50 each for two

honorable mentions. Entrants are asked to keep copies of their entries; none will be returned. The Kansas Historical Society may preserve all stories.

In 2010, Marcia Dumler of Perry won first place, Alvin Lee Daetwiler Jr. of Parsons won second, Betty Ann Williams of Larned won third and honorable mention went to LeNore Stumpf of Axtell.

Questions should be directed to: Vicky Henley, executive director, Kansas State Historical Society, (785) 272-8681, ext. 209; e-mail: membership@kshs.org.

### Thank You

We wish to express our gratitude to everyone who sent cards, flowers, memorials, brought food and for your thoughtful telephone calls and visits, after the death of our mother, Naomi Flipse. We also want to give a special thank you to all the people who cared for her the past several years; everyone at PSLC, Brian Unruh, Dr. Regier, and Dr. Hildyard.

Valerie and Darrel Wark and family  
Bruce and Cleona Flipse and family  
Rosa Flipse and family

## Drive defensively during deer season

TOPEKA – Defensive driving on Kansas roads and highways during this fall's deer mating season is a necessity, according to Sandy Praeger, Commissioner of Insurance.

"Driving on Kansas roads and highways ... means a possible encounter with a deer," Commissioner Praeger said. "I urge Kansans to be alert, especially at sunrise and sunset, when visibility is lower and deer are moving."

Mid-fall and mid-spring are likely times of the year for deer to be seen on roadways; this is because of breeding habits during the fall and growth of vegetation during the spring.

Deer cause an estimated 1.6 million vehicle crashes annually, according to AAA. The average property damage for each accident is \$3,000.

Commissioner Praeger urges Kansas motorists to check with their insurance agents to find out the type of vehicle accident damage coverage their policies have. Then, if a deer accident occurs, a policyholder should contact his or her insurance agent or company quickly to begin the claims process.

To help avoid deer-vehicle collisions, Commissioner Praeger suggests the following:

- Stay alert, always wear your seat belt and drive at a safe, sensible speed for conditions.
- Watch for the reflection of deer eyes and for deer silhouettes on the shoulder of the road.

- Do not rely exclusively on devices such as deer whistles, deer fences and reflectors to deter deer.

- When driving at night, use high-beam headlights when there is no opposing traffic. The high beams will illuminate the eyes of deer on or near a roadway.

- Brake firmly when you notice a deer in or near your path, but stay in your lane. Many serious accidents occur when drivers swerve to avoid a deer and hit other vehicles or lose control of their cars. Potentially, you will risk less injury by hitting the deer.

- If you see one deer, it is likely there are more deer close by.

- If the deer stays on the road, stop on the shoulder, put on your hazard lights and wait for the deer to leave the roadway; do not try to go around the deer while it is on the road.

When an accident occurs, motorists should consider the following:

- If you do hit a deer and are uncertain whether the animal is dead, keep your distance. You might be dealing with an injured, wild animal with sharp hooves that can inflict serious injury.

- If the deer is blocking the roadway and poses a danger to other motorists, you should immediately report the incident to the local law enforcement agency.

"Do everything you can to protect yourself and your family while driving this fall," Commissioner Praeger said.

## Corrections

An article on the Page 1 of the Monday, Oct. 25, edition of the *Colby Free Press* incorrectly stated Roadrunner Manufacturing completes five trailers in one day. They complete five trailers a month. It also incorrectly stated Brad Skolout was born on his parents' farm. He was born on the family farm. These were reporting errors. It incorrectly stated he builds trailers for other companies who put their logo on them and that he went to engineering school at K-State. These were information errors.

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day  
**Hi-Plains Co-op**

Wheat (bushel)	\$5.98
Corn (bushel)	\$5.03
Milo (hundredweight)	\$8.46
Soybeans (bushel)	\$10.84

## High Plains Lions Club

Sheryl and Larry Brenn served a beanie-weeney supper to the High Plains Lions Club at the meeting Oct. 11, held in the Student Union at Colby Community College.

Elmer Lawver introduced his wife Donna as a guest, and gave a program on the orphan trains that were sent out from the east coast, including many to Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska. The Lawvers visited the National Orphan Complex in Concordia and became interested in several of the children sent to this area.

In 1853, Charles Brace, a New York minister, started the Children's Aid Society for the city's children in need. Many were orphans and others lacked parenting. Some parents were single women, some were jobless and some children had been disowned by their families, all abandoned to live on the streets. As other eastern cities were facing the same prob-

lem, a plan was formed to send the children west on trains to an area where farmers were in need of help. An estimated 250,000 children were sent west during the 1880s and 90s.

The Lawvers went to Pawnee, Neb., to find out what happened to the 14 boys and two girls on a particular train, and discovered through newspaper archives that the newly formed families were not always successful.

President Justin Burris presented Lawver and Norman Whitaker with pins for 100 percent attendance.

Coming events discussed were the leadership training that was to be held Oct. 16 for club officers and the Wellness Fair on Saturday, Nov. 13, the annual pancake feed and Christmas party were also discussed.

Sheryl Brenn won the drawing.  
— Roger Hale

## Shakespeare Club

The first meeting of Shakespeare Club for the new year was held at the country home of Kathy Calliham. Everyone enjoyed the drive to her home and viewed her trees, yard, flowers and fountain.

Calliham called the meeting to order with the flag salute and Club Collect and asked that everyone respond to roll call with "highlights of my summer and fall plans."

The minutes from the May luncheon meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer Verna Wiens, reported the records are up-to-date and the balance is \$363.46 and she noted she almost has all the dues.

There was no additional business or correspondence. Cards were signed for Jeanne Tyfault on the death of her father and continued get-well wishes for member

Jane Bandy. Calliham adjourned the business meeting to begin the program: a review of the coming year and the year books and provided an excellent program about her visit to Cloud and Washington County with the master farmer/master homemaker alumni group. She got to visit an assistance dog training facility, a pie factory, wind farm and college training program, and other highlights of this area of Kansas. She concluded the program by noting that she had no idea there was so much to see and do.

Members expressed special thanks to Joyce Hansen for preparing the yearbooks.

The next meeting was to be Oct. 22 at the home of member Diann Gerstner.

— Sheila Frahm

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