

## Thomas County Jail

Booked into the Thomas County jail:

- Steven Hernandez Arredondo, 44, Bemidji, Minn., April 10, possession/distribution of certain hallucinogenic drugs, conspiracy, unlawful use of communication facility, no drug tax stamp, Kansas Highway Patrol, released Thursday to other agency.
- Robert Lee Nathaniel Adams, 18, Colby, Sept. 29, failure to appear/minor in consumption, Thomas County Sheriff's Office, released Thursday for fines and restitution.
- Bonnie Leigh Petersen, 46, Brewster, Oct. 3, driving with license suspended or revoked, Thomas County Sheriff, released

Oct. 5 for time served.

- Bobbie Ann Burroughs, 28, Atwood, Oct. 4, bond violation, Thomas County Sheriff/Court Services of Rawlins County, released same day to Rawlins County.
- Keith Arthor Rock, 27, Colby, Oct. 4, failure to pay (Colby Municipal), Colby Police Department, released same day on bond.
- Joshua J.L. Heier, 21, Quinter, Thursday, criminal damage to property, Colby Police, released same day on notice to appear.
- Lucas Troy Ruth, 23, Colby, Thursday, criminal restraint, domestic battery, criminal deprivation of property, criminal damage to property, Colby Police, released Monday on \$15,000 signature

bond.

- Alexis A. Weishapl, 22, Bird City, Thursday, battery, theft-less than \$1,000, Thomas County Sheriff, released same day on recognizance.
- Larry Gene Davenport, 66, Billings, Mont., Saturday, disorderly conduct, Colby Police, released same day on notice to appear.
- Joseph Lynn Lovett, 54, Montevallo, Ala., Saturday, disorderly conduct, Colby Police, released same day on notice to appear.
- Brandon Steven Wolf, 23, Colby, Sunday, driving under the influence (second offense), Highway Patrol, released same day with charges pending.

## On the Beat

**COLBY POLICE**  
**Friday**

12:26 a.m. – Locked building at Fike Park.

12:31 a.m. – Accident at Super 8.

5:48 a.m. – Unlocked building at Fike Park

8:30 a.m. – Served notice to appear.

10:26 a.m. – Caller had complaint of a camper trailer parked on street. Spoke to owner; will get it moved.

10:35 a.m. – Employee with Kyle Railroad called wanting officer look for white light on maintenance building in the 800 block of N. Range and the 1000 block of N. Country Club Drive. Both were on.

1:12 p.m. – Welfare check. OK.

1:18 p.m. – Criminal damage to property: caller advised pickup was damaged. Report filed.

6:13 p.m. – Criminal damage to property: report filed for damage to vehicle.

10:05 p.m. – Walk-through at Walmart.

11:15 p.m. – Complaint of loud music. Subjects to turn music down.

11:32 p.m. – Caller reported a loud bang on the outside of house. Everything OK.

11:56 p.m. – Caller reported license plate stolen. Report filed.

**Saturday**

12:27 a.m. – Locked building at Fike Park.

1:39 a.m. – Super 8 reported accident.

2:42 a.m. – Caller reported a dog that had been barking for extended periods. Not found with owners.

6:20 a.m. – Unlocked building at Fike Park.

8:50 a.m. – Subject reported accident that occurred yesterday in parking lot at 1100 E. Willow.

10:30 a.m. – Caller reported dog at large. Not found.

1:33 p.m. – Caller reported dog at large. Unable to catch.

3:20 p.m. – Fight: subject called

911, advised of three subjects fighting. Disorderly conduct report filed.

4:04 p.m. – Caller reported accident last night.

4:51 p.m. – Took subject from the Law Enforcement Center back to Walmart.

5:21 p.m. – Took subject from the Law Enforcement Center back to Walmart.

5:41 p.m. – Spoke to Oakley Police Department officer on phone about possible domestic earlier in Colby.

6:06 p.m. – Caller reported dog at large. Same dog as earlier, dog was injured. Turned over to Colby Animal Clinic.

9:54 p.m. – Caller wanted to file charges from earlier fight. Spoke to subject; he will need to speak to officer that was there in the morning.

10:19 p.m. – Subject advised of receiving harassing text messages. Report filed.

11:07 p.m. – Assisted ambulance crew.

**Sunday**

12:15 a.m. – Accident.

12:24 a.m. – Helped Highway Patrol with car stop.

2:12 a.m. – Caller reported a suspicious vehicle in the Beulah Cemetery. Everything OK.

2:51 a.m. – Did a welfare on a vehicle.

12:07 p.m. – Caller reported accident.

3:54 p.m. – Helped sheriff's office on possible fight.

4:25 p.m. – Caller reported dog at large. Unable to catch; left message for owner.

4:44 p.m. – Assisted code enforcement/emergency management on call.

8:23 p.m. – Caller reported two juveniles may have started a dumpster fire. All OK, located subjects at Fike Park; they didn't.

**THOMAS COUNTY SHERIFF**  
**Friday**

9:01 a.m. – Provided vehicle identification number inspections

for MC Auto Outlet.

12:57 p.m. – Provided vehicle identification number inspections for Motor Town.

2:45 p.m. – Caller reported cow loose near the 3000 block of U.S. 83. Cow located in corn field, contacted owner.

6:46 p.m. – Transported blood from Citizens Medical Center to Logan County.

**Saturday**

11:21 a.m. – Caller reported a tractor and grain cart parked in roadway at County Rds. 24 and DD. Owner arrived to remove it.

1:30 p.m. – Caller reported theft of yard ornament from residence on Pioneer Drive. Report filed.

3:20 p.m. – Helped Colby Police with fight at Walmart.

4:16 p.m. – Sheridan County advised of cow out at U.S. 83 mile 173. Unable to locate.

8:51 p.m. – Caller reported cow out on U.S. 83 at mile 175 area close to the road. Located, unable to catch.

11:11 p.m. – Callers reported subjects riding dirt bikes four miles west of Colby. Spoke to subjects, told them to go home.

11:44 p.m. – Helped motorist at I-70 eastbound mile 53.

**Sunday**

12:22 a.m. – Assisted Highway Patrol with car stop at Second and Chick.

1:58 p.m. – Narcotics violation: report filed for incident in the jail.

2:50 p.m. – Civil stand-by in Brewster.

3:48 p.m. – Anonymous caller reported man and woman had a prior fight in the area of 2100 block of E. Fourth Street. Everything OK; no report at this time. Deputy and community service officer assisted.

8:48 p.m. – Provided traveler's aid.

10:16 p.m. – Everything OK with stalled vehicle in the 400 block of U.S. 83; Subjects said help en route.

## Look at all the ribbons we won



JOAN TODD  
Taylor Todd, member of the Abilene Hustlers 4-H Club, won the State 4-H Champion in Junior Reining on Sept. 16 at the 2011 Kansas State Fair in Hutchinson on her horse, Cat Smooth. She is pictured on Social Gemt, the horse she rode Sept. 17 to place sixth in the English Pleasure, seventh in English Equitation, 10th in Western Pleasure and eighth in Horsemanship at the State 4-H Horse Show. Taylor is the daughter of Jay and Brandy Todd of Rexford.

## Cottonwood to have cooking, antiques and music Saturday

The public is invited to the annual Cookin' at the Cottonwood, an afternoon of entertainment, antique appraisals and food competitions Saturday at the Cottonwood Ranch State Historic Site a half mile west of Studley on U.S. 24.

Cooking competitions include pies, cookies, four varieties of cooked meats and homemade chili. There are no entry fees and the competitions are open to all.

The pie baking contest had three categories: fruit, cream and other. Pies should be turned in by 1:45 p.m.; judging begins at 2 p.m. All pies will be sold by the slice following the competition.

The cookie-baking contest is new this year and encourages participants of all ages. Entries should include 13 cookies – a baker's dozen. One cookie will be judged on taste, texture and appearance. Remaining cookies will be sold.

Interested chili makers should provide at least one gallon for judging. The meats and chili will be served as a buffet at 5 p.m. Tickets for the buffet are \$6 for adults, \$3 for children under 12; kids under four are free.

Bob Jones, an antique dealer and auctioneer from Jennings, will be available from 1 to 5 p.m. to appraise antiques to determine their worth in western Kansas. Jones will also have items for display. There is a \$3 entry fee for each item and a limit of two items per person.

Six pieces of furniture first used by Fent and Jennie Pratt in the house during the mid-1890s have recently been acquired. The pieces were sold at the Hilda Pratt estate sale in 1980 and offered to the Friends this spring. Horsehair dining room chairs, a settee, rocking chair and an embroidered stool have returned to the ranch and are now on display in the house.

Free entertainment for the afternoon will be provided by Millbrook. The group from Hill City features old time vocals, guitar and fiddle.

Proceeds from the event will benefit Friends of the Cottonwood Ranch to help maintain the property. The event is sponsored by the Friends' non-profit organization, the Hoxie Hotrodders, a branch of the Atwood Lions Club, and the Kansas Historical Society.

For information, contact the Cookin' chairperson Jane Haffner at (785) 675-3740.



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