

School lunches have risen 5 cents

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 Students will pay 5 cents more for school lunches and breakfasts when school starts Aug. 20.

Superintendent Rob Schiltz told the St. Francis Board of Education at the Thursday meeting that last year, the food service cost was \$266,386 and they had only brought in \$153,049.

Adults will have a \$.50 increase per meal.

Even by raising the prices 5 cents, the student's cost is still much lower than other schools in Kansas. The adult price increase will bring it up to around the same as other school lunch prices for

adults. We don't, he said, expect to come out even on costs but, by raising the prices, it will bring in around \$4,081.

Grade school student breakfasts went from \$.90 to \$.95; lunch from \$1.35 to \$1.40.

High school student breakfasts went from \$1.20 to \$1.25; lunch from \$1.75 to \$1.80.

Adults will pay \$1.40 for breakfast; and \$2.10 for lunch.

Election

The board election was held. Bonnie Zwegardt will replace John Knodel as president; Kelly Gienger will replace Bruce Feikert as vice president. The board

also agreed to re-appoint Sharon Olofson as clerk; Marilyn Raile, treasurer; and Kite and Day as the board's law firm.

The board will be meeting on the second Thursday of each month with the exception of March and April when the meetings will be held on Monday, March 9, and Wednesday, April 8. Meetings will be held at 7:30 p.m. when it is central standard time, and 8 p.m. during central daylight saving time.

Out-of-district students

Because policy states that each year, the board must approve all out-of-district students attending the St. Francis Schools, they approved the following students to attend school this year: Taylor Archibald, Goodland; Tilyn Bell, Cheylin; Isaac Hathaway, Idalia; Gus Jardine, Haigler; Joslyn and Jacquelyn Ketzner, Cheylin, and Thomas McCurry, Goodland.

Resignation

Tim Lambert had a letter of resignation from his position as junior high girls' basketball coach. Ted Busse has agreed to take on this position.

In other business

In other business: The board agreed to pay \$3,913 in Kansas Association of School Board dues and an

additional \$1,100 for the Legal Assistant Fund.

• lice Kinen agreed to accept a reappointment for 4 years to the St. Francis Recreational Commission.

• Pete Raile, board member, was appointed as the board's representative to the Kansas Association of School Board governmental relations network.

• Sherry Weeks, board member, will once again represent the Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center Board.

• The board adopted the Internal Revenue Service mileage rate, increasing it from 50.5 cents to 58.5 cents per mile.

• Superintendent Schiltz said he expects Scott Carmichael, who has been recovering from a motorcycle accident in Denver, to be back in St. Francis for the start of school.

Next meetings

A special meeting will be held at 7:30 a.m. on Monday, July 21, in the high school library. At this meeting, the board will go over the budget with the superintendent. Any changes will be made and it will be printed in the July 24 issue of *The Saint Francis Herald*.

The regular meeting will be held at 8 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 14, in the library.



D.J. EASTER was one of the many St. Francis youth who enjoyed the summer T-ball league.

Herald staff photo by Betty Jean Winston

50-year celebration brings fond memories

The class of 1958 gathered at the home of Gordon and Betty Orth at 3 p.m. on the Friday of the alumni reunion. They enjoyed a barbecue at 7 p.m.

Members of the class could still move pretty fast when a brief rain downpour sent them scattering with their food in one hand and a chair in another. No sooner had they moved indoors than the rain stopped.

Classmate Keith Wright entertained the group with his guitar. He sang a song he wrote entitled "Since Our Graduation in 1958."

Saturday morning, the class met at the museum for the Breaks Tour narrated by Tobe Zwegardt.

Upon returning many enjoyed lunch at the museum.

Saturday afternoon brought all the classmates back to the Orth home for chip and dip and many more "stories." Then they were off to the school to have the class picture and attend the banquet.

Following the banquet many stopped back by the house for more conversation and more treats.

Twenty-one classmates and one teacher, Frank Brown, and their spouses were in attendance along with two guests.

It was a great weekend event and the weather made it even more special.

Obituaries

Robert (Bob) James Herman

Jan. 18, 1934 - July 10, 2008
 Robert J. Herman died July 10, 2008, at 10 p.m. at Citizens Medical Center in Colby, Kan., under the care of Dr. Matchell. The funeral service was at the Peace Lutheran Church in St. Francis on July 16.

Bob was born Jan. 18, 1934, to Robert and Martha (Onigkeit) Herman at Pine Bluffs, Wyo. He attended the Golden Prairie School in the Lindberg, Wyo., area. In 1949, he moved to Pine Bluffs with his parents and siblings.

In 1953, he was married to Pauline Helms of Grover, Colo., and they had three children, Diane, Rob and Mike. Later they were divorced and Bob was married to Jeannene Earl. Robbie was born to this union.

His siblings are Emil Herman of Pine Bluffs, Francis Vavra of Amarillo, Texas, Dorothy Garriott of Ludowici, Ga., Margaret Clark of Newaygo, Mich., and Lois Cameron of Cheyenne, Wyo.,

Bob worked for the REA Company, Soil Conservation District, and Carl Fornstorm Farm in Pine Bluffs, Cliff Keeler and Milton Lampe on their ranch in Laird, Colo., before moving to St. Francis in 1965 where he was employed by Willard Zwegardt for several years before taking other various jobs in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and Nebraska and finally retiring in St. Francis in 2007.

Bob has many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. They are Sharif Hdairis of Rochester, N.Y., Jennifer Hdairis of Amman, Jordan; Kareem Hdairis of Amman; Jason Herman of Fort Collins, Colo., David Herman of Rawlins; Jodi Wolfe of Rawlins; Travis Herman of Winters, Calif.; Trista Herman of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Medora Cooper of Russell, Dillon Herman, Jayden Herman, DeMarco Herman, Alex Herman, Donovan Wolfe and Owen Wolfe. He also has many nieces, nephews

and good friends.

He is survived by his wife, Jeanie and kids, Diane, Rob, Mike and Robbie; stepchildren, Tanina, Tal, Uriah and Tracy.

He was preceded in death by his parents, grandson, Robert Dee Herman, Hayden Earl; brothers-in-law, Virgil Vavra, Gordon Pringle and Robert Clark and many other friends.

Pastor Ken Hart, Peace Lutheran Church, officiated at the funeral services.

Honorary pallbearers were Jennifer Hdairis, Sharif Hdairis, Kareem Hdairis, Dillon Herman, DeMarco Herman, Jayden Herman, Alex Herman, Donovan Wolfe, Owen Wolfe and Alex Helms.

Casket bearers were Robbie Herman, Travis Herman, Trista Herman, Jodi Wolfe, John Helms, Tal Earl, David Herman and Uriah Cooper.

Interment was in the St. Francis Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Knodel Funeral Home, St. Francis.

Genevieve Claire Cassidy

Feb. 20, 1913 - July 4, 2008
 Genevieve Claire Cassidy, 95, died July 4, 2008, at the St. Francis Good Samaritan Village in St. Francis, Kan.

Mrs. Cassidy was born Feb. 20, 1913, in Munhall, Pa. She lived there until she and her husband retired to Tampa, Fla. After her husband's death, Genevieve moved to St. Francis in 2001.

Survivors include her son, Ward Cassidy and wife, Gloria; granddaughters, Penny Krien and husband, Kody, and Jenny Busse and husband, Cory; and six great-grandchildren, KC, Adam and Ellee Krien, and Tate, Cassidy and Ben Busse, all of St. Francis.

A private family memorial service will be held.

Memorial gifts may be made to St. Francis Community High School Scholarship Fund in her name.

Arrangements were by Knodel Funeral Home, St. Francis.



THREE-LADY SCRAMBLE was held at Riverside on Saturday. These ladies are putting on the ninth hole.

Herald staff photo by Betty Jean Winston

Ladies hold Saturday golf competition

Riverside Recreation was the scene of a 3-Lady golf tournament on Saturday. The ladies began at 9 a.m., one of the nicest times of the day.

The team of Pat Confer, Nancy Vernon and Darcy Vernon placed first. Second place finisher was the team of Marla Rice, Toni Keller and Judy Gienger while the team of Kari Gilliland, Susan Dinkel and Sondra Bracelin placed third. Several pin prizes were also

involved with the following results:

Longest drive, number 1: Susan Dinkel.

Closest to the pin on chip shot, number 5: Cynthia Poling.

Closest to pin on chip shot, number 7: Pat Confer.

Shortest drive, number 8: Jolene Dodd.

Longest drive, number 9: Natalie Rogers.

Write-In Candidate Steven C. Orth

Democrat for Magistrate Judge

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Pol. adv paid for by Steven C. Orth for Judge, Barbara Ewing, Treasurer

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