

Two bridge groups wrap up their season

The two Cancer Bridge groups finished the season with potluck dinners and card parties in May.

The mixed couple group met on Monday, May 11, at the Cheyenne Manor while the Ladies bridge group held their potluck on Wednesday, May 6, also at the Cheyenne Manor.

Playing in the mixed couples were Billie and Gerri Lampe, Ken and DeEtta Knorr, Dale and Mary Rath, Tim and Margaret Poling, John Bartlett and Betty Jones, Joyce Thompson and Raedell Winston, Rick and Linda Rogers, Dolores Kincheloe and Betty Jean Winston, Neil and Nancy McCumber and Floyd and Helen

Frisbie.

Tim and Margaret Poling took high and Dale and Mary Rath, second high.

The Ladies bridge group was composed of the following pairs: Margaret Shay and Elaine Kehlbeck, Gladys Cook and Joan Wellman, Betty Jones and Margaret Poling, DeEtta Knorr and Rose Mary Bierig, Lois Leydig and Arlene Walz, Betty Jean Winston and Dolores Kincheloe, Ethyle Roelfs and Joyce Thompson and Betty Loudon and Eilene Nolan.

Dolores Kincheloe and Betty Jean Winston placed high while Lois Leydig and Arlene Walz placed second high.

Obituaries

Lindon C. Montgomery
Oct. 23, 1943 - May 29, 2009

Lindon C. Montgomery, 65, a McDonald farmer and banker, and Rawlins County civic leader, died Friday, May 29, 2009, at his home near McDonald.

A lifelong area resident, he was born Oct. 23, 1943, in rural McDonald to Burl and Nellie (Pickett) Montgomery. He started school in McDonald and graduated from Atwood High School and Fort Hays State University, where he was president of his fraternity.

On Dec. 27, 1969, he married Diane McGuckin in Kansas City, Mo. They raised wheat, sheep and three sons on the family farm. At the same time, he worked at the People's State Bank in McDonald, retiring as branch manager.

Montgomery was a member and had served as president of the Kansas Sheep Association. He had been a member of the Cheylin School Board, serving McDonald and Bird City, and was a board member of the ACE Foundation and Rawlins County Economic Development. He had been an elder of the McDonald Federated Church, president of the Rawlins

County Farm Bureau and Farm Bureau district Leader of the Year.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Danny Montgomery of Slidell, La.

He is survived by his wife, of the home; three sons, Jeff (Ginger) Montgomery, Abilene, Texas; Mark (Catina) Montgomery, Denver; and Brad (Misty) Montgomery, Oklahoma City; two brothers, James Montgomery, North Little Rock, Ark., and Denis Montgomery, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; two sisters, Connie Bretz, Dighton, and Monti Montgomery, Fort Wayne, Ind.; and seven grandchildren.

Memorial services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 2, 2009, at the church, with Pastor Mark Adams officiating. Private inurement will be later. No visitation.

The family suggests donations to the Lindon Montgomery Memorial Scholarship fund. These may be left at Farmers Bank and Trust in Atwood, or at Peoples State Bank in McDonald or Colby.

The Harrison Chapel of Colby was in charge of arrangements.

Vonda Gayleen Doak
Jan. 30, 1933 - May 23, 2009

Vonda Gayleen (Davis) Doak died Saturday, May 23, 2009, at Bryan Lincoln General Hospital East in Lincoln, Neb. She was 76 years old.



Doak

Vonda was born on Jan. 30, 1933, in McDonald, Kan., to Sewell Willis and Mary Ellen (Buck) Davis. She attended school in McDonald and attained her general education diploma in McCook.

On Aug. 30, 1949, she married Wayne Claude Doak in McDonald. To this union six children were born, Stanley Wayne, Sandra Wynne, Steven Willis, Sidney Warren, Spencer Ward and Shonda Wyleen.

They lived in several states including Texas, Mississippi, Kansas and the Dakotas where Wayne worked for a crew building elevators. Vonda made many friends in every state they lived. Eventually, they made their home in McCook in the 1960s where Vonda was a busy mother and homemaker.

Vonda loved to spend time with all of her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren and was proud of all their accomplishments. She also enjoyed writing poetry, china painting, ceramics and having a camera ready for taking pictures at all occasions.

Because of her health problems,

Vonda moved to Lincoln where she was living at the time of her death.

Preceding her in death were her parents, Sewell and Mary Ellen Davis; her oldest son, Stanley, who was killed in the Vietnam War; infant sister, Minnie Julia; four brothers, Keith and Verle in infancy, Vance and Verlyn; and three great-grandchildren in infancy.

Survivors include her husband of 59 years, Wayne Doak of McCook; two daughters, Sandra and husband, Mike Budzinski, of Lincoln and Shonda and husband, Stu Grant of Culver City, Calif.; three sons, Steven Doak and special friend, Linda George, of Denver, Colo., Sidney Doak and wife, Sue, of McCook, and Spencer Doak and wife, Tammy, of Lincoln; 16 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren; one brother, Loris "Ver-non" Davis and wife, Roberta, of Kanopolis; two sisters, Caroline Lawson of Bartley, Neb., and Ruth and husband, Ernest Kidwell, of Hastings, Neb.; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and relatives; and devoted friend, Linda Lemmert of McCook.

Memorials may be given in her name. Friends may send words of condolences to www.carpenterbreland.com.

Funeral services were held Friday, May 29, at Carpenter Breland Chapel with Don Murphy officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery.



ON THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL. Republican Senators Tim Huelskamp and Ralph Ostmeyer were in St. Francis on Monday, letting voters know that Senator Huelskamp will be running for Congress. (left to right) Casey McCormick, Senators Huelskamp and Ostmeyer and Elmer Kellner talk over some topics at the Herald office.

Herald staff photo by Karen Krien



SAYING GOODBYE. Dave Meyer (left) enjoys a cookie with Dan Stang during a reception for him. Mr. Meyer is retiring after 46 years of changing tires.

Herald staff photo by Karen Krien

-Cooking with Peg-

By Peggy Horinek
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For the past week I have been visiting family and friends in Joplin, Mo., which is where I am originally from. My sister-in-law, Dorothy Martin, is an excellent cook and gave me several recipes. The pickle recipe is a very crisp sweet pickle which reminded me a lot of my mother's crisp sweet pickles. They took 10 days to make and these are super easy.

If you like coconut, you will be delighted with this cake. I don't care much for frosting so I really liked it as it was so moist.

Coconut Pound Cake

- 2 cups sugar
- 1 cup Crisco
- 2 cups flour
- 6 eggs
- 1-1/2 cups coconut
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- 1 tsp. vanilla

Cream sugar and Crisco until creamy, add eggs one at a time beating well after each, add flour, baking powder and vanilla. Beat well, add coconut and mix well. Pour in well greased and floured bundt pan (just spray it) and bake for one hour at 350 degrees. When you take from oven, pour syrup over cake and let cool in pan.

Syrup: 1 cup sugar, 1/2 cup water. Cook one minute and remove from heat, add 1/2 tsp. coconut and 1/2 tsp. almond flavorings.

Sweet Pickles

- 1 gallon dill hamburger chips
- 4 lb. sugar
- Tabasco Sauce

Drain all juice off of pickles. Work all sugar over chips with 1/4 bottle Tabasco Sauce (or to taste). Keep working until all sugar is mixed in and dissolved. Keep in fridge for a few days. Taste and when ready can be put back in gallon jar or put into smaller jars and refrigerate.

New provider welcomed to area

Obed N. Saint-Louis, M.D. has joined the medical staff of Goodland Regional Medical Center and Goodland Family Health Center.

Dr. Saint-Louis will begin seeing patients at the Family Health Center on June 1. A community reception to welcome the doctor to Goodland is planned from 5 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, June 18, at the Goodland Family Health Center, 106 Willow Rd.

"We are very happy that Dr. Saint-Louis is joining the providers at Goodland Family Health Center," said Lynn Hoelting, Family Health Center administrator. "The addition of another family practice physician further adds to the diversity of choices available in Goodland and will increase the availability of services for our patients."

Dr. Saint-Louis received his

doctor of medicine degree at the American University of the Caribbean in Plymouth, Montserrat, and completed his residency in family medicine at the University of Kansas Medical Center in Kansas City. He also completed an internship in the Department of Family Medicine at the Detroit Medical Center. Before entering the medical profession, he earned a degree in chemical engineering at Kansas State University and worked for Amoco Production

Company in Denver.

Along with his training in family medicine, Dr. Saint-Louis is also interested in emergency medicine and completed course work in pediatric emergency medicine as well as trauma. He worked as an emergency room physician at Mercy Hospital in Independence, as well as at Atchison Memorial Hospital. He most recently practiced Family Medicine at Decatur Health System in Oberlin.

The Uptown Meat Market and Deli

(In Downtown St. Francis)
Opening Day!
Tuesday, June 9th at 9 a.m.

St. Francis come see your new locally-owned meat market and deli where quality, selection and service work together to make a difference.

Opening Weekend Specials

(Prices effective Tuesday, June 9 - Saturday, June 13)

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| USDA Choice Black Angus Boneless Ribeye Steaks | \$8.49/lb |
| Lean 85/15 Ground Round | \$2.09/lb |
| Callicrate All-Natural ground beef 85/15 Buy 2, 1 lb. packs get-one-free | |
| USDA Choice 6 oz. Beef Kabob's with Vegetables | \$2.79/Kabob |
| Fresh Homemade Pork Sausage | \$1.99/lb |
| Ellinwood, Kansas Bacon 1 lb. pack | \$4.19 |
| Farmland Jumbo Deli Style Franks 2/1 lb. packs | \$2.50 |
| All Natural Smart Chicken Whole Fryers | 99¢/lb |
| All Natural Smart Chicken Drumsticks or Thighs | \$1.59/lb |
| Fast-Fixen Chicken Nuggets, 36 oz. bag | \$4.99 |
| Tilapia Fillets (A great mild fish) 1 lb. pack | \$3.99 |
| Supreme Choice Catfish Fillets 1 lb./pack | \$3.99 |

Deli A Go-Go- Specials

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| Fresh Pasta Italiano | \$2.99/lb | Fresh Deli Sliced Colby Jack Longhorn Cheese | \$2.99/lb |
| Fresh Three Bean Salad | \$3.49/lb | Fresh Made to order 6" Sub Sandwich | \$3.99 |
| Fresh Spinach Dip | \$3.99/lb | | |
| Fresh Deli Sliced Roast Beef | \$5.99 lb | Add chips, side salad and dill spear for \$5.49 | (Drink not included) |

Limits Apply to all Sale Items

Sawhill Diamond Jubilee

Thank you to all who bought a balloon

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| Barbara Parker | Krien Pharmacy, Inc. | Walter & Evelyn Ellis |
| Bier's Hometown Store | Krien Steel (Ron, Janice & Wade) | Western Auction & Real Estate |
| Bruce & Sharon Feikert | L&W—Andrist Insurance Agency, LLC | Yost Farm Supply |
| Bumper to Bumper | Lampe Hardware | Classy Classic Red Hat Club |
| Carl and Kate Jenkins | Mavern Gienger | Gary & Carol Rogers |
| Carl Hendricks | Milliken Law Office | Jeff & Sharon Olofson |
| Chelly Moore | Morrow's Garage (Norman Morrow) | Marie Holzwarth |
| Cheyenne Lumber Co., Inc | Owens True Value | Sandra Smull |
| Coleen Applegate | P.E.O. Chapter U | Schultz's LTD |
| Common Threads Quilt Guild | Parkhill Restaurant & Lounge | Shay Realty, Inc. |
| Dale & Deb Patton | Rachael Keller | St. Francis Equity |
| David and Dawn Fry | Rambler's Club | Warren Cook |
| Diamond R Bar | Roger & Myra Douthit | Bonnie Cram |
| Eddy & Sherry Schultz | Ronnie & Dorothy Hill | Knodel Funeral Home |
| Elmer & Dorothy Kellner | Sainty Stitches Fabric & Yarn Shoppe | Ross Manufacturing |
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| Glenn & Louanne Isernhagen | St. Francis Junior Girl Scouts | St. Francis Federated Music Club |
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| Gordon & Betty Orth | St. Francis Tire & Service | Gloria Cassidy (Ben, Tate & Cassidy Busse, Adam & Ellee Krien) |
| Gordon & Carol Ross | Steve, Jean Ann, Jenna & Jessica Confer | United Methodist Thrift Store |
| Grace Flying Service, Inc. | Stuart's Jewelry | Donna's Gift Palace |
| Greg & Julie Wolters | Thomas and Sandra Bandel | In Memory of |
| Hilltop General Store | Tim & Robin Burr | Josephine Jaqua Churchill |
| John Bartlett | Tim & Robyn Raile | (R.M. Jaqua Abstract Co.) |
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