

# Mild temperatures draw crowd for car show

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Saturday was a perfect day for the Saturday in the Park car show put on by the Cheyenne County Cruisers club members. For the past two years, the weather has been cool and cloudy with drizzling rain. This year, temperatures were in the 70s and 80s, the sun was shining and there was a light breeze.

The club had dedicated the show in memory of Billy Samler. Billy, who died last year, was an avid club supporter and would have been grinning because of the excellent attendance of the 13th car show.

Scott Schultz, one of the coordinators for the show, said the numbers were up. There were over 100 vehicles from the tri-state area, and 40 motorcycles entered but 65 motorcycles and their riders arrived from Denver shortly after noon.

Mr. Schultz said several of those arriving on motorcycles had never been to St. Francis or to the car show. They thought it was a great ride and really enjoyed the town and show, he said. And, they said they are coming back next year.

Besides the 100-plus entries, there were 10-12 vehicles brought by club members.

The People's Choice award went to Gary Parks, McCook, with his 1969 Chevy Camaro.

For the third year, there was a kids' drawing for three bikes. All kids had to do for a chance at winning them was to register. This year's bikes went to Jorja Juenemann, Daniel Cotton and Savannah Poe. Andrew Andrist, St. Francis, won the peddle car.

The T-shirt quilt, made by Greg and Zona Potter, was won by Jack and Sandy Calahan, Centennial, Colo. Kelly Lampe took home their motorcycle quilt. Lampe was also the blow up car winner.

Gordon Hawkins, Atwood, won the Poker Run; Martin Beikman, St. Francis, won the card game; \$50 bills were claimed by Tina Walz, St. Francis, Andy Devischer, Northglenn, Colo., and Dale Melton, Goodland.

A Charger air compressor was won by Gary Leach, St. Francis; Tony Williams, Goodland, won the motorcycle tool kit; and framed art by Dale Klee was claimed by Beth Figschue, Sydney, Neb. The \$500 gift certificate from Kansasland Tire was won by Ron and Deb Higgins, Yuma, Colo., 2014 show free registration was won by Jennifer Landenberger, St. Francis. John Lampe and Logan Lampe, St. Francis, claimed the free registration.

### Saturday In The Park class winners

Antique: Rodney Shay, St. Francis, 1931 Ford Model A pickup.  
Pre-49-street rods: 1) Gary and

Mary Jo McClanahan, WaKeeney, 1947 Plymouth convertible; 2) Bob and Vickie Adams, Trenton, Neb., 1935 Chevy coupe.

Cars 1950s: 1) Gordon Hawkins, Atwood, 1959 Mercury Parklane; 2) Duane Koch, Otis, Colo., 1955 Chevy station wagon.

Cars 1960s: 1) Gary Parks, McCook, 1969 Chevy Camaro; 2) Keith S. Damrow, Akron, Colo., 1967 Ford Fairlane XL; 3) Roger Blume, Goodland, 1967 Chevy Camaro;

4) Fred Dinkel, Ellis, 1969 Chevy El Camino; 5) Shawn Adams, Culbertson, Neb., 1969 Chevy Camaro; 6) In memory of Bev Posson, Norton, 1963 Ford Falcon; 7) Thomas Crocker, Hays, 1969 Chevy Nova.

Cars 1970s: 1) Royce Kehlbeck, Bird City, 1970 Chevy Camaro SS; 2) Steve Confer, St. Francis, 1973 Ford Mustang Mach 1.

Cars 1980-1999: 1) Deb Fleming, Bird City, 1994 Pontiac Trans Am; 2) Cassey and Bryon Lum, North Platte, Neb., 1996 Chevy Camaro.

Cars 2000-present: 1) Kip Weise, St. Francis, 2013 Dodge Challenger SRT; 2) Leo Mazon, St. Francis, 2011 Chevy Corvette.

British cars: 1) Mike Slattery, Hays, 1951 MG TD; 2) Neal and Carolyn Slattery, Goodland, 1954 Daimler Conquest Saloon.

Pickups: 1) Ron and Deb Higgins, Yuma, 1956 Ford F-100; 2) Rick and Bonnie Morgan, Eads,



CHECKING OUT THE MOTOR in one of the cars on display at the car show on Saturday were Amelia and Ed Zuege.

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Colo., 1962 Chevy C-10.

Under 18: 1) Travis Rogers, St. Francis, 1978 Ford F-150.

Under construction: 1) Martin Beikman, St. Francis, 1933 Plym-

outh suburban.

Other: Chris Zimmerman, St. Francis, 1941 Rat Rod.

Rat Rod - Trophy by Andy and Martin Beikman, Randy Raile,

Goodland.

Motorcycle: 1) Steve Foster, Curtis, Neb., 1997 Honda Valkyrie; Roger Zwegardt, St. Francis, 2007 Harley.

## Fifty kids compete

A weather-perfect day on Saturday brought out 50 kids for the tractor pedal pull held at the car show. All participants received a coupon for a free item at the Cheyenne County Shriner's candy wagon. The top three in each age division received a T-shirt, ribbon and the opportunity to compete at the pedal pull on Sept. 8 at the Kansas State Fair in Hutchinson.

The Siruta Pedal Pullers from Colby brought up their tractors for the pull. A full pull is 30 feet and if there was a tie then there would be a pull off which meant more weight was added to the sled.

Results:

4 year olds: Julius Jackson, first 30'; Tice McAtee, second, 26'8"; DJ Hoard, third, 26'4". Other participants Teagon Weeter; Reagan Milne, 19'8"; Sierra Milne, 20'8"; Cooper Witzel, 25'10"; Mackie Warford, 17'8" and Sara Allard, 21'7".

5 year olds: Emily Serrano, 30' full pull, 27'5" first; Cody Moberly, 30' full pull, 27'4" second; Matilynn Small, 29'11"; full pull, full pull, third. There was a pull off for first and second and a pull off between four for third then down to two. A very tough group.

Other participants Marci Moberly, 29'11", 26'9"; Naomi Straub, 29'10"; Jaxon Nelson, 29'11", 17'9"; Grace Landers, 22'5"; Cheyenne LaBarge, 29'11"; 30'; 26'5"; Breck Lohr, 29'1" and Mahra Padgett, 19'5".

6 year olds: Daniel Cuttin, 30' full pull, first; Deija Kabureck, 27'8" second and Janae Moberly, 16' third place.

7 year olds: Jordan Smull, 30' full pull, 30' full pull, first; Sydney Allard, 30' full pull; 27'2" second; Josiah Beck, 29' 9" third. Other participants: Kaylee Moberly, 20'1"; Jake Rath, 29'4"; Ian Taylor, 23'1"; Colton Raile, 29'2".

8 year olds: Preston Witzel, 17'9" first; Lyden Lampe, 15'8" second; Talex Weeter, 15'5", 16'5" third. Other participants: Jason Coldart, 12'4"; Issable Gabaldron, 15'5", 14'7"; Jace Landers, 10'.

9 year olds: Trey Climmons, 16'7", 16'5" first; Cutter Neitzel, 16'7", 16'3" second; Cheyenne Yardley, 12'7" third and Christian Gabaldron, 10'2".

10 year olds: Colton Neitzel, 26'7" first; Shadryon Blanka,



TICE McATEE took second in the 4-year-old division of the Kids Tractor Pull held Saturday at the park.

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19'3" second; Doyle Easter, 16' third and Taighe Weeter, 14'11".

11 year olds: Christina Stafford, 27'9" first and Tyler Paulson, 9'4" second.

12 year olds: Nick Paulsen, 27'5", first; Mason Schmid, 24'4" second; Coy Cassaw, 20'5" third and Tressa LaBarge, 12'3".

There were many sponsors who made it possible to bring the Siruta Pedal Pullers to St. Francis and provided the prizes. They included: Cheyenne County Cruisers, Cheyenne County Farm Bureau, United Methodist Thrift Store, Wheeler Equity, Repub-

lican Valley Vet Clinic, Saintry Liquor, Western State Bank, American Implement-Wheeler, Western Auction, TNT Car Wash, Storage and RV Park-Bird City, Majestic Service and Truck Stop, Donna's Gift Palace, Knodel Funeral Home, Ross Manufacturing, Grace Flying Service, Frewen Insurance, Yost Farm Supply, Yost Ford, Bumper to Bumper, Abe Repair, Cornerstone Real Estate, St. Francis Equity, First National Bank-St. Francis, St. Francis Tire, The Classic Rose, Captain Hook's Fine Dining-Wheeler, Pizza Hut, Milliken Law Office, The Flower

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## Club Clip Hospital Guild

The Cheyenne County Hospital Guild met on Monday, May 6, at noon at the Senior Center. Twenty-one members and one guest were present for the salad luncheon. President Betty Loudon opened the meeting and welcomed everyone present, she also introduced Susie Walz, guest speaker. Everyone enjoyed the food that had been prepared.

Susie's talk concerned diabetes, it's symptoms, effects and treatments. Her talk was very informative and interesting.

There are four types of diabetes. Foot care was discussed. All food that is consumed becomes glucose. Diabetes can cause blindness, strokes, foot ulcers and kidney problems.

We need to pay attention to our diet, exercise more

and learn to manage this disease, she said. Carbs were discussed also. There were four food or drink items on each table. These were reviewed concerning the diet.

President Betty thanked Susie and presented her a \$1,000 check for the hospital to purchase the bladder scanner that is needed. The Hospital Guild is providing \$700 and the Thrift Shop is donating \$300 for this item.

Election of officers was held. DeEtta Knorr was the winner of the booklet "Diabetes Meals in 30 Minutes of Less" which was donated by Susie Walz. President Betty thanked Elaine Owens, Carol Forsythe, and Delores Kincheloe, the hostesses; and wished every one a wonderful summer.

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have been several people showing interest in taking the sponsorship over.

- With over 50 kids out for track, Teri Orth was hired to finish out the track season as an assistant coach.
- Susan Dinkel will take her computer and bookkeeping skills from the grade school to helping with food management orders.
- Kent Kechter's contract was extended to 12 months.
- Carla Schiltz was appointed as

the district testing coordinator.

- Nick O'Loughlin will assume ninth grade health. He and Kyle Buffington, both football coaches, will supervise the summer weight programs.
- There will be coaching positions that will need to be filled but

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