

Alice Walz Coffin

Birthday honored

A card shower is being held to help Alice Walz Coffin celebrate her 80th birthday on Oct. 1.

Address greetings to Alice at 19733 Centerville Ct., Parker, CO

Post has meeting planned

American Legion Post 137 will host a meeting for all veterans and their families who wish to learn more about their earned Veterans Administration benefits on Monday, Sept. 27, at 10:25. Veterans and the family members who have specific questions regarding benefits are urged to attend the meeting which will be held at the St. Francis Senior Citizen Center.

The country's largest veterans service organization, the American Legion assists more veterans and their dependents in filing for benefits through service in the Armed Forces than any other group or organization. American Legion members authored the original GI Bill of Rights during World War II and have pioneered many veterans programs including compensation for veterans exposed to radiation and Agent Orange.

The Sept. 27 meeting is part of the Legion's annual American Legion Veterans Affairs Tour when state and district officers visit each of the over 330 post throughout Kansas.

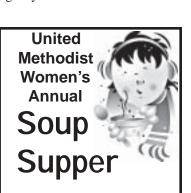
Dancers to perform

The Balkan Folk Dance Company FRULA will perform at Colby High School auditorium on Thursday, Sept. 30, at 7:30 p.m.

Proving their reputation of being the fastest and most exciting dancers in Europe, FRULA will present folk dances from all regions of the former Yugoslavia, as well as Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Albania. Their breathtaking technique transforms customs from these cultures into a theatrical show through the use of dazzling costumes, athletic prowess and flamboyant mo-

Attendees will be admitted by Western Plains Arts Association season tickets or by tickets at the

This program is presented in part by the Kansas Arts Commission, a state agency, and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal



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Lawn Ridge 4-H Club

Club Clips

April

The meeting of the Lawn Ridge 4-H Club was held on April 5 at 7:30 at club in the flag salute. Heidi Yonkey led the club in singing "Peter Cotton Tail". Roll call was answered by "How old is the Easter Bunny?" Secretary and treasurer reports were

Old and new business was discussed. The Northrup family gave a demonstration. Gavin Cooper led the club in playing a game. Leader Christy Wurm gave announcements. Dale Northrup led the club in the 4-H Pledge. Heidi moved we members and one leaders answered adjourn. The Schafer family served refreshments.

Scott Ford, Secretary/Reporter

Due to the weather, there was no meeting held in May for the Lawn Ridge 4-H club.

Scott Ford, Secretary/Reporter

The July meeting of the Lawn Ridge 4-H Club was held at the Equity meeting room on the 21st at 5:30. They made felt-tie blankets first. They then had a potluck supper. After eating, the meeting was called to order by President Kattie Ford. Roll call was answered by "Have you started on your record book yet?"

Leader Christy Wurm talked about the fair and food stands. They will make pies, brownies and macaroni salad on Aug. 3. Relay for Life packets were handed out.

They then moved to the program. Members enjoyed a video tour that had been filmed by JaNan Cooper and Heidi Yonkey earlier that week. Everyone showed his or her projects for the fair. Everyone had a good time with lots of questions asked about different projects.

Meeting was adjourned.

Scott Ford, Secretary/Reporter August

The meeting of the Lawn Ridge 4-HClub was a short and brief meeting held at the food stand on Sunday, Aug. 8 before fair cleanup. Discussion was held about the after-fair fun day. Lots of ideas were thrown out but after sometime, it was decided to wait until late when they had more time.

The Relay for Life was discussed in more detail.

Leader Christy Wurm will send out the clubhouse. Ally Northrup led the $\,$ a letter to let everyone know about the club banquet that will be held in Sep-

Meeting was adjourned.

Scott Ford. Secretary/Reporter September

The meeting of the Lawn Ridge 4-HClub was held Sunday, Sept. 12, at the Equity meeting room. President Kattie Ford called the meeting to order. "Row, Row, Row Your Boat" was led by Gaten Cooper. Twelve roll call. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved Treasurer's report was given.

Under new business the club talked about 4-H Week. They will attend the Salem Lutheran Church on Oct. 3 and deliver cookies on that Wednesday. Friend of 4-H, Dale Shoemaker, Kevin Wright and 4-H Family of the Year awards were discussed. They then had elections of officers.

Leader Christy Wurm gave announcements. Caitlin Northrup led the club in saying the 4-H Pledge.

Meeting was adjourned. Everyone enjoyed a potluck supper after the

Scott Ford, Secretary/Reporter

Tuesday Club

The St. Francis Tuesday Club began the fall season by having a potluck supper at the Lions Club shelter in the park. There were 14 members present on Sept. 14, to enjoy all the delicious food.

The Year Book Committee, Rachael Keller, Mary Lee Frewen and Wilma Lampe, were hostesses. They provided the dessert and Rachael Keller passed out the

year books for the new year with the theme of Reminiscing 30s, 40s, 50s, 60s and 70s. The committee went through the year book and explained the programs. A fun-filled year is planned.

Virginia Cooper, president, conducted the business meeting. The meeting was closed by all members saying the Collect.



ZUEGE - FIVE GENERATIONS - Pictured from left to right: Allen Zuege, Pearl Busby, Carter Zuege (baby), Idele Zuege and Jared Zuege.

Cub Scout Pack 120 enjoys trip to Colorado Springs

Cub Scout Pack 120 of St. watched a magic show, touched hummingbirds. Afterward they Francis spent three days and two nights on a Colorado Adventure! On Friday, Aug. 13, the Scouts left St. Francis and traveled to Garden of the Gods Park in Colorado Springs. The Scouts toured the Visitors Center and watched a movie where they learned how the magnificent red rocks were formed and about the history of the park. They enjoyed hiking through the park and seeing the various rock formations, including Kissing Camels and Balanced Rock. The boys took part in the Junior Ranger Program and successfully completed all of the requirements to earn the Garden of the Gods Junior Ranger Badge.

Friday evening was spent playing miniature golf in Colorado

On Saturday the Scouts spent Pole Santa's Workshop amuse-

the never-melting ice pole, visited with Santa, and rode the rides, with favorites being the space shuttle and the roller coaster.

continued with the Scouts visiting yons and forested mountains. the Cave of the Winds, an underground mansion of rooms and passages, decorated with limestone stalactites and flowstone curtains. The discovery tour led the boys through this magnificent cavern system which chronicles over 200 million years of geological history. The highlight was when they experienced "total cave darkness" - a moment during the tour when all lights within the cave were turned off.

Sunday morning the Scouts visited the Starsmore Discovery Center where they learned about wildlife in the mountains, includthe day having fun at the North ing bears and mountain lions. They went on a nature hike and ment park in Cascade, Colo. They returned to the center to watch for Lila Whitmore.

traveled to North Cheyenne Canyon Park in Colorado Springs where they enjoyed hiking to Helen Hunt Falls, a beautiful waterfall lo-Saturday night, the adventure cated amidst spectacular rock can-

After leaving Helen Hunt Falls the Scouts traveled along Gold Camp Road, a narrow, winding, mountain dirt road that follows the roadbed of the old Cripple Creek short line railroad. With no guardrails and only enough room for one vehicle at some points, it was an exciting ride for the Scouts! The highlight was driving through two old train tunnels where horns were honked to listen to the echoes within the tunnel

Cub Scouts who took part in this fun-filled adventure were Dalton Davenport, Tony Meyer and Logan Whitmore. Leaders were Jerry Whitmore, Cubmaster and

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