

# What treat from your garden was the best?

Alright class! School is now in session. Pay close attention now, because here's what I want you to do.

Grab a pencil and a piece of paper and follow directions carefully because there may be a shotgun quiz later.

On your paper, please describe to me the one single treat that you harvested out of your garden this summer, either fresh, cooked, canned or frozen that has given you and your family the greatest eating pleasure.

Name only one. I know it isn't



**kay melia**  
• the gardener

easy, but I want just the one thing that you enjoyed the most. Go ahead and think about it a moment if you wish. I'll give you a little time here.

All done? Alright, pass your papers down to the end of the row and I'll begin the process of grading them so that we can all see and

hear what some of your choices were.

Here's one that says "afresh picked cucumber, sliced and a big sweet onion, sliced and then slathered in a bowl with salt and pepper

and ranch dressing." Wow, my mouth is watering already. Here's another. "A bowl of small new potatoes, creamed with freshly picked peas and cooked only until the potatoes are tender." How about this one. "A generous helping of tender young green beans fresh out of the

garden, cooked with just a little bacon and bits of sweet onion." This one says "the first big ripe Ambrosia cantaloupe of the season." Amen, brother! Hold it here, where did this one come from. "Several small zucchini, sliced and baked casserole style with onion and creamed with lots of cheese." One of you out there has a great sense of humor!

Here's a couple of others. One says "the first mature head of cabbage of the season, shredded and dressed into a delicious bowl of slaw." One more here. "A big ripe tomato, sliced, with a sprinkle of

salt and pepper. Slicing is optional." There were actually several of your papers that expressed a similar sentiment.

Well, you all did well and nobody has to stay after school. Of course, there's no way you could mess up this test, unless of course you forgot to plant a garden last spring.

Here's my response to the question. "A big bacon, lettuce and tomato sandwich made with two slices of slightly toasted white bread, three slices of bacon fried not quite crisp and a nice leaf of head lettuce. Butter one slice of bread and

generously spread real mayonnaise on the other slice. Slice the tomato carefully so as not to lose any of the precious juice and place the slices between the bacon and the lettuce, not next to the bread. Add a little salt and freshly ground pepper. Repeat the process as often as you can between now and the first freeze of the season, because it's going to be a long time until tomato picking time next summer."

Class dismissed. Unless you happen to have a big ripe watermelon stashed under your desk!

## District Governor to visit Brewster Lions Club

Lions District Governor Rev. Kerry Hookstra will make an official club visitation to the Brewster Lions Club at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 22, meeting at Hunter Hall in Brewster. All club members are encouraged to be present for this important meeting with the District

Governor and other visiting Lions leaders.

The Lions of Western Kansas elected Rev. Hookstra, of the Downs Lions Club, as the District Governor for the 2010-11 club year. He was installed in office while attending the 93rd International Lions Club

Convention in Sydney, Australia, in July.

Rev. Hookstra was called to minister with First Christian Church of Downs in 2007. He is active in the Downs and Osborne Ministerial Associations, along with being a member of the Downs Arts Council

Players. He writes local sports copy for newspapers in Oklahoma and for the Downs News and Times.

Rev. Hookstra is married to Renetta who is also a Lion and serves as District Leo Club Chairperson. Lions Clubs sponsor Leo Clubs as an organization of school-age

youth that is designed to teach and encourage community service. Kerry and Renetta are the parents of five grown children and seven grandchildren.

Lions Clubs is the largest community service organization in the world, with 1.37 million members

in 45,675 clubs, in 206 countries around the globe. In District 17-L, which covers the entire western half of Kansas, there are 1,685 Lion members, in 70 Lions Clubs, all dedicated to serving the needs of their home communities.

## Cancer support group to meet

The Dreiling/Schmidt Cancer Institute will sponsor two public programs in October. A free support group from 6 to 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 7 will be held at the Center for Health Improvement Education Room, 2500 Canterbury.

The cancer support group is for anyone who has been diagnosed with cancer. People are encouraged to be a support person or caregiver. You will have the opportunity to ask questions and talk with other dealing with similar issues. The group is facilitated by Charlene Weigel, LMSW.

There is no registration and participants are asked to use the south entrance to the Center for Health Improvement.

Look Good, Feel Better will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Monday, October 25 in Hadley Room 1 at Hays Med. This monthly special session assists women undergoing cancer treatment with coping strategies regarding appearance-related side effects and regain a sense of control over their lives. There is no registration fee.

For more information please call (785) 623-5757.

## Jazz vocalist to sing in Oberlin

Donna (Kump) Tucker, vocalist, musician and song writer, will perform at 6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) at the Oberlin Gateway Civic Center on Saturday, Sept. 18.

A native of Oberlin, she is the daughter of Don Kump of Kingman and the late Jean Ann (Gamer) Kump and is a 1969 graduate of Decatur Community High School. "She has been blessed with not only a vibrant voice, but also a musical style and enchanting presence both on and off the stage making her an unforgettable talent," said Mary Henzel.

Although she is a native of Kansas, she began her career in Dallas, Texas, as a jazz singer/pianist. In 1999, she began a long-running contract with the Westin Tokyo in Tokyo, Japan. She spends several months a year there performing six nights a week.

When asked where she is from, she frequently responds, "Great people come from Kansas. I live in Kansas but I work all over the world."

Jazz studies have become an important component in her innate creativity. After moving back to Kansas to be near her family, she was hired by Friends University as an artist-in-residence to develop a vocal jazz ensemble. The success of that program was overwhelming. She enjoys working with students and choral directors as they develop vocal jazz styles.

This is an Oberlin Arts and Humanities season ticket event or \$10 for adults, \$5 for students grades 1-12 at the door.

For information, call Ella Betts (785) 475-3557 or Henzel (785) 470-0218.

### Worship warms the heart

**Calvary Gospel Church**  
**Pastor:** Randy Payne  
Fourth & College • 890-3605  
**Saturday night:** 6 p.m.  
**Sunday:** Kid's Church: 10 am  
Morning Service: 10 am  
Prayer and Praise: 6:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday:** Royal Rangers Missionettes 6:30 p.m.  
Adult mid-week service: 7:00 p.m.  
Youth @ the Rock House: 6:30 p.m.  
Small Group Ministries meets through out the week.  
[www.calvarygospel.net](http://www.calvarygospel.net)

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help**  
**Pastor:** Father Norbert Dlabal  
307 W. 13th • 890-7205  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**  
5-5:45 p.m. Saturday or by appointment  
**Mass Schedule:**  
**Saturday:** 6 pm, **Sunday:** 10:30 am  
**Spanish Mass:**  
**Sunday:** 12:30 pm

**Word of Life**  
10th & Clark • 899-5250  
**Pastor:** John Coumerilh  
**Sunday:** 9:30 a.m. - Morning Star Cafe Opens  
10 a.m. - Worship Celebration  
and Kids' Church  
**Life Groups** - call for times and locations  
[www.wordoflifegoodland.org](http://www.wordoflifegoodland.org)  
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**Pastor:** Perry Baird  
890-3375  
**Sunday:** Worship Service: 9 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.

**Bible Baptist Church**  
**Pastor:** Clifford Middlebrooks  
Fifth & Broadway  
890-7368  
**Sunday:** Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Morning Service: 10 a.m.  
Evening Service: 6:30 p.m.  
**Wednesday:** Evening Bible Study: 7 p.m.

**Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints**  
1200 15th Street • Burlington, CO  
(719) 346-7984  
**Sacrament Meeting:** 10 a.m.  
**Sunday School:** 11:15 a.m.  
**Priesthood/Relief Society:** 12 a.m.

**United Methodist Church Brewster:**  
**Pastor:** Dorine Chambers  
Worship Service: 10:45 a.m. CST  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. CST  
**Winona:**  
**Minister:** Sheryl Johnson  
Worship Service: 9 a.m. CST  
Sunday School: 10:15 am CST

**First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)**  
**Pastor:** Rev. Carol Edling Jolly  
Eighth & Arcade • 890-5233  
**Sunday:** Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.  
**Sunday School:** 9:15 a.m.  
**Activities:** Junior High & High School Youth Groups, Adult Bible Study, Choir, Men's and Women's Groups, Devotions Study, Monthly Fellowship  
**Special Notice:** Handicap Accessible, Hearing Assistance Equipment and Infant and Toddler Nurseries Available

**Church of the Nazarene**  
**Pastor:** Bob Willis  
Third & Caldwell  
899-2080 or 899-3797  
**Sunday:** Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Service: 6 p.m.  
**Wednesday:** Evening Service: 7 p.m.

**Goodland United Methodist Church**  
1116 Sherman 899-3631  
**Pastors:** Dustin and Shelly Petz  
**Saturday:** Worship: 5:30 p.m.  
**Sunday:** Adult Classes: 9:15 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
**Wednesday:** Wednesday Nite Live  
5:45 - 6:45 p.m. Simple Supper "Free will Offering  
6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Classes for all ages

**First Baptist Church**  
**Pastor:** Travis Blake  
1121 Main  
890-3450  
**Sunday:**  
Coffee fellowship: 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 10 a.m.  
Sunday School: 11:15 a.m.  
**Thursday:** Bible study 9:30 a.m.  
Wheatridge Center

**St. Paul's Episcopal Church**  
13th & Center  
Church 890-2115 or Rectory 890-6969  
**Priest:** Father Hal Lycett  
**Holy Eucharist:** 10:00 a.m. Sunday  
10:00 a.m. Thursday  
**Daily Morning Prayer**  
For emergencies 890-6969

**Harvest Evangelical Free Church**  
521 E. Hwy. 24 • 890-6423  
**Pastor:** Brian Fugleberg  
**Sunday:** Worship: 9:30 a.m.  
No Sunday School this summer.  
**Wednesday:**  
Senior high 6:30 p.m. at Chuck and Janet Redlin's  
[www.goodlandefree.com](http://www.goodlandefree.com)

**Emmanuel Lutheran Church**  
13th & Sherman • 890-6161  
**Sunday:** Christian eduction/fellowship:  
10:15 a.m.  
Worship Service: 9 a.m.

**Seventh Day Adventist Church**  
1160 Cattletrail  
**Pastor:** Jerry Nowack  
**Saturday:** Sabbath School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 11 a.m.

**Church of Christ**  
401 Caldwell  
890-6185  
**Sunday:** Bible Study: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:45 a.m.  
**Wednesday:** Bible Study: 7 p.m.

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### Western Plains Arts Association Season Opener

### Bummer the Drummer and the Kansas City Street Band

September 12 at Goodland High School auditorium, starting at 2 p.m. MT  
Admission: \$12/adult \$6/student

Season tickets available by contacting Roxie and Eric Yonkey, or Curtis Duncan. (\$40/adult, \$15/student)

This concert sponsored in part by the Kansas Arts Commission and the National Endowment for Arts.

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