

THE OBERLIN HERALD —

People in Our Community

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Among out-of-town relatives who attended funeral services for Howard Banta on Feb. 21, were David Banta, Karen Field, Kristin Field, and Sanjiv Sheel, Rancho Palos Verdes, Calif.; Mary and Bob Brown, Omaha; Shelly and Keith Smith and Skylar, Castle Rock, Colo.; Kirby, Amber and Kristopher Brown, Des Moines, Iowa; Kim and Brenna Brown, Simia Valley, Calif.; Elizabeth and Robert King, Green Mountain Falls, Colo.; Ruth and Don Morgan, McCook; Mike and Jill Morgan, Indianola, Neb.; and Jean Carse, Cambridge, Neb.

Eric Glenn of Lawrence came last week and he and his mother, Pat Glenn, attended funeral services on Thursday for their grandmother and mother-in-law, Leona Glenn, in Haxtun, Colo. Mrs. Glenn, a resident of Decatur County Good Samaritan Center, died on Feb. 22.

Sue Baird of Aurora, Colo., brought her mother, Anna Ruth Brown, to her home at Indianola, Neb., on Thursday. Mrs. Brown had been staying at the Baird home after being hospitalized a month following surgery in December at Presbyterian/St. Luke's Hospital in Denver. Mrs. Baird returned home on Sunday. Mail will reach Mrs. Brown at Rt. 1, Box 138, Indianola, Neb., 69034.

Jerry and Montine Alstrom spent the weekend visiting Mark and Jessi Luck and helped them move from Goddard into their recently purchased home in Wichita.

Glenda Macy expects to undergo heart surgery today in Wichita. Mail may be sent to Kansas Heart Hospital, 3601 N. Webb, Wichita, Kan., 67226. Phone (316) 630-5000.

—Benefit chicken noodle supper, 5-7 p.m., Thurs., March 6, Masonic Temple for Forget-Me-Nots.

Rosalie Bainter of Selden, an independent Mary Kay beauty consultant, earned the use of a new Pontiac Grand Am for outstanding

sales and team building. She has been selling Mary Kay for two years and took delivery of her new car at Frontier Auto Plex in Colby.

Winning highs in pinocle at Golden Age Center the past week were Vivian Bishop, Donna Kent, Elsie Goodnight, Veanna Orr, Dewaine Stapp and Neva Townsend. Lows went to Faye Miller, Doris Miller, Lora Zwickle, Henry Edgett and Kenneth Van Vleet. Pitch highs were won by Henry Edgett, Doris Miller and Aleen Van Vleet with lows going to Aleen Van Vleet, Elsie Goodnight, Wilma May and Neva Townsend. Bridge highs were won by Phyllis Lohofener, Bobbie Young, Carol Shirley and Annette Miller.

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Nora Bearley spent the past two weeks in Littleton, Colo., visiting her daughter and family, Sandy and Jim Allen.

Natalie Brown of Oberlin was among Student Ambassadors at Kansas Wesleyan University who joined in "A Celebration of Community" Inauguration Week activities on Sunday, Feb. 23. It marked the inauguration of President Philip P. Kerstetter with a variety of community activities. The daughter of Kevin and Jackie Brown of Oberlin, she serves as Student Congress treasurer.

Memorial services were held Monday morning at the First United Methodist Church in Hutchinson for the Rev. Wesley H. Davis, who died Jan. 6, 2003. He was a former pastor at the Jennings, Dresden, Norcatur, Lyle and Clayton United Methodist Churches.

John and Pat Wright attended memorial services on Friday evening for his brother-in-law, Arthur Robbins, 78, at Scottsbluff, Neb. He died on Feb. 22. Among other survivors are his wife, Marjorie, and

three sons, Joe, Tom and Dan, and their families.

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Earl and Elsie Winder returned home recently from Joplin, Mo., where they visited their son and family, Kent and Amy Winder and three daughters. Another son, Bruce Winder and daughter, Ayla, Oberlin, and his son, Eric, Goodland, met them there after attending a Herbalife meeting in Orlando, Fla. En route to Joplin, the Earl Winders visited Lyle and Frances Winder at Derby.

Aden Glaze of Oberlin was among Fort Hays State University students enrolled in the Agriculture Department's Beef Production Class who attended a day-long seminar in Phillipsburg on Feb. 10. He is the son of Mick and Linda Glaze.

Among Fort Hays State University students who attended the State Education Day recently in Topeka was Robert Fossum, a freshman, of Hays, but formerly of Oberlin.

Julie Morris of Kansas City, Mo., and JoAnne Morris of Lebanon, Neb., visited over the weekend with Ken and Christie Morris. On Sunday they attended services at the Oberlin United Methodist Church to hear the Brass Ensemble of McCook, which performed. Ken Morris plays trombone and Neal Russell of Oberlin plays the trumpet.

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Mary Henzel was honored with a surprise "no host" luncheon on Friday at the LandMark Inn. She was recently named the Outstanding CattleWoman of the Year for 2002 during the American National CattleWomen Awards Banquet held at the national convention in

Nashville, Tenn. Others present were Heidi Wiebe, Barbara Dehlinger, Sarah Orr, Janice Ganje, Judy Ladenhoff, JoAnn Neidenthal, Detta Anderson, Eloise Smith, Jolene Fortin, Gladys Geis, Joyce Hartzog, Lynda Peters and Kay Marcuson.

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Decatur Coop Association wants to congratulate Eric McMurtrey on becoming a Kansas Certified Crop Advisor!

The Certified Crop Advisor (CCA) program was created by the American Society of Agronomy and is the largest certification program in agriculture. The purpose of the CCA program is to identify agronomists who have an extensive agronomic background, the willingness to broaden their knowledge through continuing education, and experience in both agriculture in general as well as advising growers with best management practices.

Eric has been employed with Decatur Co-op for five years. In addition to being an agronomist for the co-op, Eric also operates one of the co-op's liquid applicators when needed.



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Area students on National Honor Roll

Five area students qualified for induction into the 2002-2003 National Honor Roll.

They include: Haley Leitner, daughter of Deb Leitner and Jerry Leitner; Sarah Olson, daughter of Mark and Barbara Olson; Abby Ream, daughter of Terry and Peggy Ream; Zachary Scott, son of Eric and Cindy Scott, and Angie Fortin, daughter of Jack and Donna Fortin. The National Honor Roll recog-

nizes high school students who have achieved exceptional academic success. The 2002-2003 Commemorative Edition, which was released in December, honors students who excelled during the 2001-2002 school year.

"The future is in the hands of our children," said Lynn Romeo, publisher. "These young people have worked hard to attain academic success. Honoring their achievement

provides motivation and encourages them to continue striving. We're proud to include them in the National Honor Roll."

The honor roll contacts potentially qualifying students after reviewing their academic information. Students are asked to submit information about their grade point averages, their interests, activities, and future goals for further consideration. Only students with a B or better average are eligible. This year, 68 percent of the inductees averaged an A- or better and 32 percent average B through B+.

Senior recital set Sunday

Christopher Smith, son of Larry and Karen Smith of Oberlin, will present his senior student recital for a degree in Musical Theater at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Fine Arts Recital Hall on the University of Nebraska, Kearney campus. He is a baritone.

Songs will include three Vaudeville selections — "Harrigan," "Curse of Aching Heart," and "Stop Yer Ticking Jock"; three pieces by Noel Coward — "Men About Town," "You Were There," and

"Nina"; contemporary music theater selections, "Kings Dilemma," "Multitude of Amys," "It's Hard to Speak to My Heart," "She Cries," and "Grateful," and from the Broadway play, "The Music Man," "Sadder but Wiser Girl," and from, "Chicago," "Mister Cellophane."

Mr. Smith is a 1999 graduate of Decatur Community High School, where his vocal teacher was Susan Nelson.

He was named to the Dean's List for the fall semester of 2002.



Chris Smith

Video for parents set Tuesday

All parents of students in grades 8-12 are invited to view the suicide prevention video at 7 p.m. on Tuesday at the library at Decatur Com-

munity High School.

For details, contact Marsha Richards at 475-2231.

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