

THE OBERLIN HERALD —

People in Our Community

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Word was received on Sunday of the death of Lyle Crawford of Topeka, a 1969 graduate of Decatur Community High School. He suffered a stroke Saturday night while visiting at the home of his parents, Bob and Ruth Crawford, at Kansas, Okla., and died at a hospital in Springdale, Ark. He was a son-in-law of Elmer Kathka of Oberlin. Mail will reach the Crawford family at Rt. 2, Box 200, Kansas, Okla., 74347-9533. A complete obituary will be carried next week.

Heather Glodt is among students who qualified for induction into the Spring 2004 National Honor Roll. It recognizes high-achieving high school students. She is the daughter of Kelly and Sue Glodt.

Patty McIntire visited before Thanksgiving at the home of Jim and Delores Alexander and family of Rose Hill. Among others present for dinner on Saturday were their sisters, Marjorie and Glenn Ankenman, Federal Way, Wash.; and son, David and Jackie Ankenman, Topeka; and Sue Nitcher, Towanda, and family. The Glenn Ankenmans accompanied Mrs. McIntire home for a visit. An additional Thanksgiving Day dinner guest was David Ankenman. On Saturday, they all attended the Warner family Thanksgiving dinner in Lebanon, Neb.

Weekend guests of Barbara Young were her daughter and grandson, Lisa and Nick Eccles of Edmond, Okla. Nick just returned

from Chili, where he spent the past five months attending school at the University of Chili. He will return to Chicago the second semester, where he is a junior at Northwestern University, majoring in mechanical engineering. They all visited Sunday evening with Kirk and Holly Young and family in Colby.

Lucy Schissler is hospitalized in Denver. Mail will reach her at Presbyterian/St. Luke's Hospital, 1719 East 19th Ave., Room 606, Denver, Colo., 80218. Her phone number is (303) 839-7656. Mabel McLaughlin and Margaret McEvoy visited her on Monday and Tuesday.

Ray and Tyler Martin of Springdale, Ark., and Jennifer Juzmin and Bryan of St. John spent Thanksgiving with Joyce Martin.

Henry Elling, 56, of Gem was flown from Citizens Medical Center at Colby to Swedish Medical Center in Denver on Saturday after suffering injuries in a one-vehicle accident. The accident happened about four miles west of the Thomas-Sheridan county line, according to the Kansas Highway Patrol, when Mr. Elling's tire went off of the pavement and he overcorrected. He was not wearing a seat belt. No further information was available. He is a former Oberlin resident.

Winning highs in pinochle at Golden Age Center the past week were Henry Edgett, Dale Votapka, Dorothy Moore, Wilma May and

Max Carman. Lows were won by Barb Solko, Elden Haas, Henry Edgett, Doris Miller, Floyd Edgett and Dewaine Stapp. Pitch highs went to Henry Edgett and Dale Votapka with lows going to Doris Miller and Dorothy Moore. Annette Miller and Beth Sebaugh were bridge winners.

Phyllis Nicholson of Salina spent the weekend with her mother, Lora Zwickle. On Monday they attended funeral services at Williams Funeral Chapel in Atwood for Irene (Zwickle) Rummel, 95, who died on Friday at the Good Samaritan Center in Atwood. Wayne and Phyllis Zwickle and Amy of Grant, Neb., and Tom Zwickle of McCook also attended. Mrs. Rummel was a sister of the late Walter Zwickle. Burial was at Fairview Cemetery at Atwood.

Gene and Doris Shoemaker of Colby have returned to Denver, where he will be starting a series of chemotherapy and radiation outpatient treatments, which will continue through the first of the year. Mail will reach them at the home of their daughter, Janet Kozacek, and family at 1979 S. Moline Way, Aurora, Colo., 80014-1117.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Inspiration Chapel in Napa, Calif., for Margaret Irene Conzelman, 89, formerly of Norcatour. She was born Dec. 28, 1914, in Norcatour. She married Philip Conzelman on June 2, 1933, in Mankato. Survivors include a nephew, William and

Susie Reager, Sterling, Colo.; three nieces, Tara d'Amrosio, France; Aimee Dannels, McKinney, Texas; and Ashley Reager, Loveland, Colo.; two great-nieces and two great-nephews. Burial was in Napa Valley Memorial Park.

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Dryland sorghum results vary

Dryland grain sorghum yields varied a lot across the area.

Part of this likely came from the cooler temperatures the area received in August. Rain was spotty and growing practices played their part in determining yield.

Below are the dryland milo results from the K-State test plots at Colby, Tribune and Hays.

At Colby, the grain sorghum performance test was planted on May 27 with a final stand of 24,750 plants per acre. The test average for the 33 hybrids was 50 bushels per acre with a least significant difference of 9. The top-yielding hybrids were Garst 5750, Sorghum Partners KS 310, and DeKalb DKS37-07, all at 62 bushels per acre. Other top hybrids were DeKalb DKS36-00 at 58, Croplan Genetics 340 at 55, Asgrow Pulsar and Pioneer 85G01 at 54, and Dyna-Gro DGX-1737 and Seed Resource at 53 bushels per acre.

At Tribune, Drussel Seed DSS B64 was the top-yielding hybrid at 78 bushels per acre. The rest of the top five were Triumph TR438 and Pioneer 85G01 at 76, Pioneer 86-



Extension Lines

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G08 at 71, Dyna-Gro DGX-1737 at 69, and Sorghum Partners KS 310, Croplan Genetics 494, and DeKalb DKS37-07 all at 67 bushels per acre. The 33 hybrids planted averaged 59 bushels with a least significant difference of 8 bushels per acre. The test was planted on June 25 with a final stand of 20,250 plants per acre.

Pioneer 85G01 was the top-yielding hybrid at Hays with a yield of 142 bushels per acre. The test was planted on May 24 with a desired stand of 35,000 plants per acre. The 37 hybrids in the test averaged 120 bushels per acre with a least significant difference of 19 bushels per acre. Other top hybrids were Mycogen 1G600 at 137, Sorghum Partners NK7633 at 135, Pioneer 86G08

and Garst 5401 at 132, and Croplan Genetics 494 at 131 bushels per acre.

To view a complete list of the hybrids, go to www.oznet.ksu.edu/agronomy-block2/ and click on the Kansas Crop Performance icon, or visit your county extension office to pick up a copy.

Brian Olson is Kansas State University extension agronomist for Decatur, Gove, Norton, Sheridan, and Trego counties. E-mail b_olson@oznet.ksu.edu if you have any questions or would like to see a newspaper article on a specific crop production topic. For more information, contact the county extension office, 475-8121.

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Marilyn Horn, a member of the chamber Board, welcomed Judy Scott, (left) and Erica Chambers, owners of Country Woods, located at 106 East Maple in Oberlin.

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