

THE OBERLIN HERALD — People in Our Community

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Capt. Tanner Woolsey is hospitalized at Research Medical Center in Kansas City, Mo., after becoming seriously ill on his honeymoon in Hawaii. His parents, Bob and Terri Woolsey, returned home Sunday after visiting him and his wife, Kaori, who is with him. Mail will reach him at the hospital, 2315 East Meyer Blvd., Kansas City, Mo., 64132.

Luanne Laird of Celina, Texas.

Merla Rhodes is moving to Hays to be near her daughter, Lori and Ron Leiker, and family. Her address will be 2502 Sherman Ave., apartment 205, Hays, Kan., 67601.

Spring Diederich was among students named by Fort Hays State University College of Business and Leadership as a 4.0 scholar for the spring semester.

Winning highs in pinocle at Golden Age Center the past week were Henry Edgett, Barb Solko, Doris Miller, Kelva Swindler, Merle Shirley and Dorothy Moore. Lows went to Aleen Van Vleet, Dorothy Moore, Doris Gilbert, Henry Edgett, Wilma May, Floyd Edgett and Max Carman. Pitch highs were won by Myrna Jones and Henry Edgett with lows going to Wilma May and Aleen Van Vleet. Bridge winners were Leone Purton and Barb Solko.

Elsie Wolters was a Saturday, June 11, dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Peña and Ian of Colby.

—\$5 haircuts thru July 1 with Timmarie at Beauty Boutique. 475-2440.

Wayne and Dixie Golt returned home Monday from Kearney, Neb., where she was hospitalized a week with pneumonia at Good Samaritan Hospital.

Phil and Marjorie Law of Lakewood, Colo., spent from Friday to Tuesday with her mother, Fern Jording, and both women participated in the Relay for Life Friday evening. Phil played the trumpet in the community band.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday at the United Methodist Church in Atwood for Arden Hale, 85, who died June 14 at the Rawlins County Health Center in Atwood. He and his brother, the late Fred Hale, were owners and editors of the *Citizen Patriot* newspaper in Atwood for many years. Survivors include a son, Kim Hale, Atwood; two daughters, Connie Jo Hale and husband, Kendall Jensen, Seattle; and Marla Dorgan, Huntington, N.Y., and a brother, Richard, of Lawrence.

—All American Buffet, Tuesday, June 28, 6-8 p.m. LandMark Inn, 475-2340 for reservations.

Kalynn Kleidosty of Anchorage, Alaska, came June 10 to visit her great-grandfather, Dale Brunk, and her grandmother, Janene Kleidosty, who has been visiting at the Brunk home. They plan to leave June 24 for Mrs. Kleidosty's home in Lancaster, Calif., and Kalynn will spend some time before returning home.

Elsie Wolters spent several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Peña and Ian in Colby to help care for their infant daughter, Ella Renee, who was born June 14. Lacy Wolters was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wolters one day last week.

Dale and Nanon Clare observed their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday. He is a former pastor of the Oberlin United Methodist Church and they now live at 2913 Nancy Place, Garden City, Kan., 67846.

Lil Corpier and Gene Files returned to Oberlin on June 10 from Las Vegas, Nev., where they had flown from McCook to visit her son, David E. Miller, and family.

Bill and Carol Duncan returned Friday evening from a 10-day trip to Cincinnati, Ohio, where they attended the 90th birthday party for his mother, Audra Duncan, on June 11. The party was attended by 20 family members and many local friends. Mayor Brown of the Lockland suburb was in attendance, presented Mrs. Duncan with an official plaque, and declared Monday, June 13, as Lockland's "Audra Duncan Day." En route home, the Duncans visited their niece, Rachel and Mike Clemons, and newborn great-niece, in Fort Wayne, Ind. In Illinois, they visited Karla Ballengee, daughter of Orlin and Kay Wentz, formerly with the Oberlin Cookson-Hills Christian Home, and also the home. They spent a day in the St. Louis area visiting relatives and friends, including Kelsey Jackson, a third-year Pharmacy College student there.

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Weekend guests of Dr. Gary and Sarah Fredrickson, Karli and Kaine, were Dr. Kurt and Jean Fredrickson, Scott and Tom, Salina.

Kay and Andy Chambers and Luetta Pollnow went to Dodge City on Sunday to visit Shane and Amanda Johnson, and help Shane celebrate his birthday.

Gene and Helen Gee and her mother, Ruth McQuiston, traveled to Topeka on Friday to spend Father's Day weekend with their daughter, Beverly and Robert Keys, Robbie and James. James was dedicated on Sunday at the Topeka Bible Church. While in Topeka on Saturday Gene, Helen, Beverly and Ruth attended the Topeka Beautification Home Garden Tour. They returned to Oberlin Sunday evening.

—Seafood Buffet, Friday, June 24, 6-8 p.m. LandMark Inn. Call 475-2340 for reservations.

Aaron Stef, Bayley Bryan, Adam Overmiller and Adam Spanier of Oberlin were named to the Dean's List at McCook Community College for the spring semester.

Amy Rehm and Eileen Laird accompanied John and Connie Simonsson to Edmond, Okla., where they attended the wedding of the women's grandson, Ryan Laird and Lindsay Brady, on Saturday. The bridegroom is the son of Mike and

Ten county teams walk over 400 miles

By TRANDA WATTS

Can you meet the challenge of walking 423 miles, the equivalent of walking across Kansas?

This question and several others were answered after 2005 Walk Kansas was completed.

Ten teams, usually composed of six people, participated in 2005 Walk Kansas in Decatur County. Eight of the 10 walked more than the 423 miles needed to do a virtual walk across Kansas.

The team reporting the most miles walked was the Road Runners, captained by Kasey May, who combined traveled a total of 923 miles during the eight weeks. Other members were Kelly Black, Stephanie Blau, Loretta McFee, Andrea Burmaster and Tina Perrin.

Other teams that accumulated enough miles to cross Kansas and their captains included Footloose, Fern Moore, 799; Changing Challengers, Regina Stanley, 726; Sam's Spirit, Montine Alstrom, 684; City Slickers, Karen Larson, 670; Far Fetched, Lisa Davies, 588; Cranky Cruisers, Byron Hale, 541; and 5 County Gals and One Guy, Linda Schroer, 461.

The top five individual walkers, their teams and the number of miles walked were Dana Marintzer, Jay Walkers, 220; Mrs. May, 219.5; Laurene Dempewolf, Sam's Spirit, 203; Sheree Milnes, Changing Challengers, 199; and Mrs. Moore, 186 miles.

A new feature this year was to encourage participants to keep track of the number of servings of fruits and vegetables they consumed each day.

A surprising number were not

able to meet the minimum of five daily, and this has been true of walkers in many counties.

Three Decatur County walkers met the minimum of 280 servings of fruits and vegetables for the eight weeks, Mrs. Larson, Vi Krizek and Donna Groneweg. This number was based on the recommended number of servings at the time the walk started. The new Food Pyramid Guidance System, released more recently by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, increased this minimum.

None of the teams met the minimum of 1,680 servings for a team. The top five teams were: City Slickers, 1,459 servings; Sam's Spirit, 1,269; Changing Challengers, 1,128; Road Runners, 1,065; and the Cranky Cruisers, 1,027. This year was an eye-opener for many to see how few fruits and vegetables are actually being consumed by most participants.

If you would like to participate in Walk Kansas 2006, start to plan now. It is a chance to promote health and fitness for the entire family. It's also a great way to enjoy time together as a group or one-on-one with a child or teenager.

Congratulations to all of the participants for a good year in the Walk Kansas program.

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Kansans invited to submit design for logo competition

Kansans are invited to submit designs for the Governor's Hometown Logo Competition.

Kansas has had 44 governors, and new signs will make it easier to identify where they lived. The winner will have their design placed on signs with the name of the town, name of the governor and other details about the community.

Designers must submit a sketch, in color or black and white. An explanation of the concept may also be submitted.

The design:

- Must include the state capitol dome.
- May include landmarks (natural and man-made), landscapes, historical buildings, symbols of resources or industries, state flower and/or outlines of the state. Combinations may also be used.
- Should be kept simple. Logos of commercial, private, educational,

civic, religious, or sports organizations are not acceptable.

• Shall maintain the dignity of the highway system, have broad appeal to the citizens and avoid controversial subjects.

Priority will be given to designs that are enduring representations of the state.

To enter, the sketch must be submitted on the official form, found at www.kansascommerce.com. Enter ConnectCode HOMETOWN. Computer-generated designs may be submitted in hard copy only. No electronic submissions will be accepted.

All entries must be postmarked on or before July 15, and may be sent to The Governor's Hometown Logo Competition, c/o Kansas Department of Commerce, 1000 SW Jackson Street, Suite 100, Topeka, Kan., 66612-1354.

Airman completes training

Airman 1st Class Timothy J. Waterman graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and has gone for technical training at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas.

He is the son of Elmer and Margaret Waterman of Bonaire, Ga., and the grandson of Ed and Rosarie Jecha of Timken and the late Gerhardt and Mildred Waterman. He is a nephew of Melvin Waterman and Karen Eskew of Oberlin.



T. Waterman



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