

THE OBERLIN HERALD —
People in
Our Community
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Duane and Carol Witt returned home last Tuesday from Kansas City, where he had undergone surgery. They were houseguests of their daughter, Luan Taylor, while he was recuperating.

Vera Lindemann was honored on July 23 with a party at the lakeside home of her granddaughter, Polly Lindemann, near Wichita in observance of her 95th birthday. Helping her celebrate were her six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Attending were Pat, Kent and Nelson Reinhardt, Otis; Derek, Jennifer, Landon and Alexa Reinhardt; Bison; Allison, Larry, Kylee and Bevin Gradig, Hutchinson; Troy, Kim, Luke and Elise Lindemann, Marilyn Lindemann, and Polly Lindemann, Wichita, and Rocke Lindemann, Denver. Gene Lindemann was ill so he and his wife, Yve, were unable to attend.

Bill and Nora Urban, Mackenzie and Mason have moved to Oberlin from Tonganoxie. He is working as a truck driver for H.M. Farms of Trenton, Neb., and she is working part-time in the county clerk's office. They are presently staying with her parents, Ron and Dee McDougal, but plan to restore the farm home northwest of Oberlin where he was reared.

Sunday dinner guests of Vernon and Jeanette Diederich were Pat and Audrey Diederich, Moundridge; Carmil, Wayne and Mandy Summers, Colby; and Rocky and Teresa Diederich and Jori.

Lyle and Leona Hilker have returned home from Syracuse, Utah, where they visited her son and family, Steve and Trina Krause, Gracie and Jacelyn. They also enjoyed visiting several places in Salt Lake City, including the Pioneer Museum.

Gail and Kay Marcuson were houseguests of Rick and Sally Marcuson and Grady of Overland Park from July 22-26. Other guests were Mollie and Ryan McDermott of Houston.

Kathy Fraker and Aaron of Fallon, Nev., came Saturday to spend a week with Bob and Marian Fraker and other relatives. They visited last week with her parents, Lloyd and Cathy Wade, at Russell.

Peggy Fiala of Orlando, Fla., came Saturday and is a houseguest this week of John and Pat Wright.

Matt Machart and a friend, Daquari, of McPherson stopped on Friday to visit Elmer and Vi Kathka. They were en route to Culbertson, Neb., to visit his sister-in-law, Karen Machart and family, of Everett, Wash., who were visiting her parents, Paul and Mary Nichols.

Jon and Ana Wishon and Spencer returned home July 24 from Guadalajara, Mexico, where they spent three weeks visiting relatives. Her mother, Elena Zunioga, had visited a month with them and they took her home.

—Volunteers needed to work games and rides at Decatur County Fair Aug. 9-13. Call 475-3351 or stop by Ray Jewelry. 29-31

Dale and Cheryl Votapka returned home last Tuesday evening after traveling for the past two weeks. They attended the Winnebago Grand National Rally in Forest City, Iowa. En route, they visited Janice and Gordon Lanning, Gilmore City, Iowa. En route home they visited two of their daughters, Drs. Pam and Eric Huerter, Finnegan, Maxwell and Jack, Lawrence; and Luanne Rupe, Joshua, Jonathan and Jonah, Hays. They also spent time with Flossie Millage, Belton, Mo. Nicole Ellis, Manhattan, accompanied them to Oberlin where she is spending time with her grandparents, Chuck and Joy Votapka.

Brett Lohofener spent Wednesday with his grandmother, Mary Lohofener. He has completed undergraduate school at Wake Forest University in Winston-Salem, N.C., and will leave Aug. 10 for New Orleans, where he will enroll in law school at Tulane University. His parents are Bill and Sharon (Erickson) Lohofener of North Platte, Neb. Erik and Jean Erickson of Colby are his maternal grandparents.

Winning highs in pinochle at Golden Age Center the past week were Wilma May, Henry Edgett, Floyd Edgett and Lawrence Wenger. Lows went to Dewaine Stapp, Dorothy Moore, Henry Edgett, Max Carman, Wilma May, Floyd Edgett and Barb Solko. Pitch highs were won by Henry Edgett and Dorothy Moore with lows going to Floyd Edgett and Merle Shirley. Bridge winners were Annette Miller and Dorothy Cochran.

Arts and Humanities offers season tickets

The Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission began season ticket sales for the upcoming season this week.

Scheduled programs include a Last Indian Raid Tour on Sunday, Sept. 25; "Barefoot in the Park," performance by Southwest Nebraska Community Theater, Saturday, Oct. 8; Sweet Adeline's Nebraska Pride chorus, Sunday, Nov. 13; Chapter 6 men's acappella chorus Christmas Concert, Sunday, Dec. 11.

Kicking off the new year will be comedian Sam Griesbaum, Saturday, Jan. 28; dinner theater and performance by the Blue and Gray Brass Brigade, Saturday, Feb. 18; a

piano/organ duet performance by Dr. Gary Fredrickson and Dr. Jeff Curtis, to be announced; and local bands, Rendezvous and Oberlin Area Concert Band, 2 p.m. Saturday, March 12. All performances will be at The Gateway.

A complete schedule appears elsewhere in this week's *Oberlin Herald*.

Tickets may be purchased from any commission member or by calling Ella Betts, (785) 475-3557 or Mary Henzel, (785) 475-3329. Commission members are Ken Shobe, Kelly Shields, JoAnn Neidenthal, Gary Fredrickson, Peg Smith, Kay Gaskill and Ron Jansoni.

Rotary members hear about cabinet business

Lee Gilliam told Oberlin Rotary Club members how he started in the cabinet manufacturing business at their meeting at The Gateway last Tuesday.

Mr. Gilliam, owner of Creative Dimensions, which has a plant in the industrial park just east of Oberlin, said that his father began working in the cabinet industry in 1956 and became a dealer in 1966. He started a cabinet operation in Omaha in 1968 and supplied cabinets to Montgomery Wards in the midwest.

His father helped him get started in the business in 1985. Since then, there have been big changes and growth in the industry in the past 25 years. They began with laminate and have since switched to Formica for cabinets. Other changes have included the use of electronics and computers, along with e-mail, faxes and telephone marketing and sales. Computer pricing, he said, calculates costs, materials and labor, and automated machinery with programmed codes makes designs, angles and cuts.

He said that hardware from Austria is used in construction of the cabinets and they are all put together with dowels. He often attends trade shows which demonstrate new

ideas, machinery and techniques in cabinet manufacturing.


One of the jobs which his company completed was the renovation of the Frank Lloyd Wright house in McCook. He said that he welcomes those who would like to tour Creative Dimensions.

Rotarians were reminded to contact Ralph Unger for assignments to work at the Ferris wheel at the Decatur County Fair, an annual project of the service club.

District Gov. Sharon Treaster will visit the Oberlin club on Tuesday, Aug. 16. Other August programs will feature Kelly Glodt, Charles Haag, Doug Hasty, Jim Hollowell and Cynthia Haynes.

Internet Tonight!
474-2206

Happy 90th to Jay Gallentine
 The family of Jay Gallentine, Norton, would like to request a card shower in honor of his 90th Birthday on Tuesday, August 9. Jay was a long-time Norcatur area resident and farmer. He retired from farming in 1977, and with his wife Vi, moved to Norton. Cards may be sent to 909 Quail Drive, Norton, KS 67654



Please join us on Saturday, August 13, 2005 at the Leoville Parish Center for a dance hosted by the children and grandchildren of Stan and Ramona Shaw to honor them on their 45th wedding anniversary.
No gifts please, your presence will be a cherished gift.
If unable to attend, cards may be sent to HC 1 Box 55, Jennings, KS 67643



Stan and Ramona Shaw - August 13, 1960

Carmon's Celebrate 50 Years with a reception at The Gateway
 Jim and Norma Carmon will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception to be held at The Gateway on Sunday, August 14, from 2 to 5 p.m. A short program, led by their children and grandchildren, who are providing the reception, will begin at 2:30 p.m. Jim Carmon and Norma Bailey were married on Feb. 26, 1955. The Carmons moved to Decatur County in 1968 when Jim became pastor of Lund Covenant Church. When he began full-time evangelism in 1974, the family moved to Oberlin, where they remained for 10 more years. The Carmon daughters graduated from Decatur Community High School (Vickie, '74, Yvonne, '75, Janet '77, and Janell, '80.) Jim was also pastor of churches in Tennessee, Wisconsin and Montana. Since retiring, Jim and Norma have lived in Texas, Nebraska and Montana. They moved to Wisconsin in 1999, where Jim is pastor of First Baptist Church of Falun. Vickie and Armin Sowers live in rural Decatur County. They have two grown sons, Darrick and Kay Dee (Nichols) live in Sharon Springs with their daughter Kellie. Son Yancy and Amanda (Zodrow) live near Oberlin. Yvonne and Dennis Schultz live in Mount Gilead, Ohio, with their daughters Hadassah, 21 and Adina, 19. Janet and Wylie Anderson live near Alliance in western Nebraska. Their children are Lacy, 19, Kelsie, 15 and Wil, 13. Janell and John Meyers live in Detroit, Mich. Amanda is 21, Joel is 19, and Seth is nearly 11. The family requests no gifts at the reception. If you are unable to attend, cards may be sent directly to Jim and Norma at 10509 SR 70, Siren, WI 54872 or call 715-689-2216.



HMC Named Among Top 100 Quality Hospitals

What do Hays Medical Center and the Mayo Clinic have in common? Hays Medical Center has been ranked alongside the Mayo Clinic and other such prestigious hospitals in the Top 100 Quality Hospitals in the United States.

We're pleased to be in such good company and we're proud to be the only hospital in Kansas to receive the Top 100 Award.

The Top 100 Quality award is based on data submitted by hospitals across the country to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS). That data is now available to consumers on the CMS website. And when compared to those hospitals, Hays Medical Center ranks among the best.

Well before CMS launched its initiative, quality patient care has been and continues to be a top priority at Hays Medical Center. Working to develop a 'culture of patient safety' – and introducing our own programs on influenza and pneumonia prevention – Hays Medical Center is the first hospital in Kansas to make its quality data available to the public on its own website – as early as two years ago.

For physicians and staff – who place a high priority on quality and patient care – this national recognition comes as no surprise. In fact, that quality has been recognized numerous times by statewide organizations and journals and now we're pleased to be recognized nationally, too.

Thanks to our physicians and associates for making this award possible.

The Hays Medical Center Board of Directors

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