

# THE OBERLIN HERALD — People in Our Community

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Lacey Badsky of Hays, and Pvt. Evan Smith of Nickols, N.Y., who is serving in Iraq, came Friday to visit her parents, Ken and Jan Badsky, then were married at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday at the Faith Lutheran Church by Pastor Charlotte Strecker-Baseler. Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Troy and Paula Gnad and family, and Kenyon Badsky, Hays; Jessica Shojon, Ellis; Tim Hrnchir and Conner, North Platte, Neb.; and Sylvia Wachendorfer, Chad Focke and Mandy Morgan, Selden.

Gary and Maria Sanden returned home Thursday from McAllen, Texas, where they had spent the winter.

Easter Sunday dinner guests of Bob and Deanna Castle were Mr. and Mrs. Devan Castle and family, Hoxie; Chris and Curtis Walston, Doris Fringer, Martha Fringer, Carolyn Shirley and Shelby Brown.

Dale and Eris Young entertained to Easter dinner on Sunday Tucker and Tonya Woolsey, Trae, Taite and Trenneddy, Quinter; Tyler and Becky Woolsey, Hays; and Bob and Terri Woolsey and Joe and Candy Dejm.

Kent and Patty Reinhardt of Otis were Easter dinner guests of Vera Lindemann at the Frontier Restaurant.

Dan and Melinda Grafel, Kade and Isabel were hosts for an Easter supper on Sunday. Guests were Sheila Marney, Rossville; Greg and Amanda Grafel, Kel and Reece, Connie Grafel and Norma Grafel.

Marty Munson was honored by her daughter, Michelle, and her husband, David Littrell of Denver, with a surprise dinner on Saturday at Sappa Manor in observance of her 80th birthday, which was Easter Sunday. Others present were Larry and Barb O'Toole, Wichita; Ron and Jackie McKillip, Sam and Tiffani O'Toole, Parker and Peyton, McCook; Sandra and Bill McConville, Culbertson, Neb.; David and Laurie Nachtigal, London and Brogan, Hiawatha, and Jack

and Sybil O'Toole, Wynn and Mary Horney, Ardith and Dean Louderback, Kerry and Alex, Holly Gallentine, Gage, Dallas and Aspen, Cricket Steinmetz and Don Walker, Oberlin.

Bernice Martin and Lee Martin were Easter dinner guests of Kris Erickson and Farah Wendelin at Lindsborg. Other guests were Wyatt and Lindsay Wendelin, and Pat and Elvera Wendelin, Lindsborg, and Roxie Erickson and Drew Martin, Manhattan.

Kimberly Davis traveled to Colorado on Friday, where she spent the night in Aurora with her grandparents, Col. Martin C. (Ret.) and Betty Brandt. The family had dinner and watched old home movies. She was a Saturday overnight guest of her grandmother, Virginia Bodemann, in Denver. Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Bodemann and Kimberly's aunt and uncle from Castle Rock attended church on Sunday morning, where her grandparents are founding members, as well as the brunch which followed.

Esther Ready and her husband, David Chomowicz, and Nick of New York City visited over the weekend with her parents, John and Muriel Ready.

Greg and Mary Lohofener spent Easter weekend with their daughter, Leigh Lohofener, in Bellaire. Other guests were Adam Lohofener and Jeni Stred of Lawrence.

Easter dinner guests on Sunday of Karen Metcalf were Bryan Richards, Lawrence; Jonathon Richards, Colby; Barry and Patti Richards, Curtis and Andrew, and Kristin McHugh, Jordan, Conner and Tyler.

Mabel McLaughlin of Sturgeon, Mo., is a houseguest of Laurene Van Otterloo while visiting in Oberlin.

Among area students who were listed on the fall honor roll at Garden City Community College were

John Allen, Rexford, dean's honor roll; and Jamie Elwood, Oberlin, honorable mention.

Winning highs in pinocle at Golden Age Center the past week were Dorothy Moore, Dewaine Stapp, Veanna Carman, Henry Edgett, Wilma May and R.D. Thornton. Lows went to Floyd Edgett, Aleen Van Vleet, R.D. Thornton, Max Carman and Wilma May. Pitch highs were won by Henry Edgett and Floyd Edgett with lows going to Dorothy Moore and Barb Solko. Winning highs at bridge were Phyllis Lohofener and Annette Miller. Senior potluck will be at 12:15 p.m. Sunday.

Nora Bearley and Jerry and Montine Alstrom enjoyed Easter weekend in Wichita with Mark and Jessica Luck and Corbin. They had Easter dinner at the home of Justin and Lori Bearley in Cheney. Joining them were Bob and Sharon Bearley, Kensington; Sandy Allen and Jennifer Jones, Littleton, Colo.; and Larry and Judy Bearley, Oakley.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the United Methodist Church in Atwood for Bob Creighton, 73, a retired partner of the Brown, Creighton and Peckham law firm, who died at his home in Atwood on Thursday. He was the founder of the Lake Atwood 10-K Race. Private burial was at Atwood Fairview Cemetery.

Graphic arts students from Fort Hays State University placed in six of 10 award categories at the American Institute of Graphic Arts Wichita Chapter's 19th annual Student Portfolio Forum on March 31. Among area students who competed against Wichita State University, Kansas State University, McPherson College and Friends University were Jennifer Higerd, Gem special student, who received the Judge's Choice Award and the award for Best Packaging. Randy Rogers, McCook, received the Best Multimedia award.

## Decatur County 4-H members take honors at Regional 4-H Day

All Decatur County 4-H members who participated at Regional 4-H Day in Brewster on March 30 brought home blue ribbons:

Cheyenne Soderlund, intermediate demonstration and illustrated talk; Christian Rittmann, senior demonstration and illustrated talk; Matthew Helm and Zach May, in-

termediate project talks; Rebecca Helm and Aaron Helm, senior public speaking; Star Valley 4-H Club, dance; Caitlin Shields, junior piano; Zach May, intermediate piano;

Zach May and Samantha Anderson, intermediate piano duet; Britta Noren, senior piano; Cassidy Shields, intermediate vocal; Cass-

idy Shields and Miki Dorshorst, intermediate vocal duet; Miki Dorshorst, intermediate instrumental; Cassidy Shields and Miki Dorshorst, intermediate instrumental duet; Miki Dorshorst, intermediate reading; Britta Noren and Sarah Langness, novelty.

## Ten free shade trees are available

Ten free shade trees will be given to each person who joins the National Arbor Day Foundation during April 2007 as part of the nonprofit Foundation's Trees for America campaign. National Arbor Day is April 27.

The 10 shade trees are red oak, sugar maple, weeping willow, green ash, thornless honeylocust, pin oak, river birch, tuliptree, silver maple and red maple.

"These trees were selected to provide shade and beauty, and a variety of forms, leaf shapes and beautiful fall colors," John Rosenow, present of the foundation said.

The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting with

planting instructions. The six-to-12-inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge.

"Planting a tree is a unique experience," Mr. Rosenow said, "because you can watch it grow over the years. It truly makes you feel a part of the planet and the future, and con-

nects us directly to nature."

To become a member and receive the free trees, send a \$10 contribution to Ten Free Shade Trees, National Arbor Day Foundation, 1000 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, Neb., 68410, by April 30 or go online to www.arborday.org.

## FFA banquet planned

FFA members, friends, family and alumni are invited to attend the Oberlin FFA Banquet at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, May 4, in the high school cafeteria.

Supper will be served after opening ceremonies. Awards, a slide

show and installation of new officers will follow.

Those planning to attend are asked to call the school between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. at (785) 475-2231 for reservations. After hours, call sponsor Jason Ketterl, 475-2586.

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## Honor Roll

Welcome and thanks to these recent subscribers to *The Oberlin Herald*:

Glen Strevey, Boulder, Colo.; LaVerne Rippe, Lebanon, Neb.; Mary Palmgren, San Antonio, Texas; Mary Bradley, Hollister, Calif.; Bula Kelley, Lamar, Colo.; Pat Shaughnessy, Las Vegas, Nev.; Anna Laws, Wilsonville, Neb.; Duane Berry, Grand Junction, Colo.; Maxine Hatch, Riverside, Calif.; Romajeane Hahn, Aurora, Colo.;

Kansas: John Gutchewsky, Herndon; Lois Scott, Newton; Chris Bailey, Norcat; Catherine Sapp, Clement Mumm, Colby; Judy Easton, Quinter; Ron Erickson, Rexford; Betty Hickert, Kenneth Mumm, Dennis Rogers, Gary Hunziker, Selden; Mr. and Mrs. John Rule, Clayton; David Hutfles, Beth Chartier, Herndon; Leona Kaspar, Hays; Bill Sater, Holcomb; Jeanette Bosch, Wichita; Craig Reaves, Chanute; Oberlin: Howard Votapka, Gary Walter, Dorothy Moore, Oberlin City Library, Spencer Ketterl.

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Email: [personnel@kabredlos.com](mailto:personnel@kabredlos.com) or [aliciar@kabredlos.com](mailto:aliciar@kabredlos.com)

**Now is the time to sign Kids up for the 2007 Decatur County SUMMER BALL PROGRAM**

Hey! Kids!! Did you pick up your summer recreation application in the school office so you can play ball this summer?  
Or you may pick up the application in the County Clerk's Office!

Parents need to turn the completed form in to the Clerk's Office at the Courthouse by Friday, May 11th. The cost is \$10 per child.



**3rd Annual High Plains Artfest**

**Saturday, April 21 • 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.**  
**Sunday, April 22 • 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.**

Professional and High School art show and sale. Many categories. No admission charge.

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Information also available at [www.oberlinarts.org](http://www.oberlinarts.org)

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