

Rexford News

By Vicki Allison

What was known as the Rexford Fitness Center, which eventually had to close its doors due to lack of interest, has been sold to Keith and Marcy Gilbert. They plan to use it for selling fireworks during the 4th of July holiday. It is undetermined at this time what will happen with the exercise equipment.

Bill Luna did an excellent job repairing and painting the Red Barn's window frames.

Vernon and Shirley Vance have a new address, 310 School Street. Janell Antholz and children have moved to 120 Main Street.

Pastor Lane and Patty Purcell have returned from a week's visit with her parents in Minnesota.

Janell and her children, Hannah and Jacob, spent a week in Springfield, Mo., vacationing.

On Saturday, Dennis Allison went to Nickerson to an alumni reunion. En route, he visited friends in Lyons.

The community is saddened over the loss of Lonnie Ketchum. Sincere sympathy, thoughts and prayers are extended to Sharon and family.

The Red Barn Gang performed Sunday during the Selden Annual Tractor Pull.

Cleda Moeder and her grandson, Taylor Moeder of Colby, traveled to Wichita on May 23 and stayed with Jack and Mary Minnick. The next day they flew to Houston, Texas, for the high school graduation of Cleda's grandson, Joshua Moeder. They stayed with Cleda's son, Greg, and granddaughter, Collette, and Joshua. Taylor and Cleda flew back to Wichita on May 29, again staying overnight with her brother and wife, and driving back to Rexford May 30.

Marjorie Leh's daughter, Yvonne and her husband, Pat, of Harrison, Ark., came to Rexford on May 31, and the three of them drove to Wann, Okla., for the sale of the personal belongings of Marjorie's late son, George, who died in February. Marjorie's son, Rodney, and two grandsons, from Santa Fe, brought Marjorie home on June 3.

A family reunion was held May 20 and 21 at the home of Doris Jean Oliver in Rexford. Those in attendance on Sunday were Rita White, Fort Myers, Fla.; Betty Wharton, Elkhart, Ind.; Darlene McCall, Hurst, Texas; Aremen Micek, Claremore, Okla.; Carol Bollig, Aliso Viejo, Calif.; Joyce Fortin,

Quartz Hill, Calif.; Donald and Maurine Fortin, Topeka; Daryl and Marjorie Hartzog, Jennings; Tex and Charlene Shaw, Selden; and Doris Jean Oliver, Rexford. All had a great time of sharing memories and are looking forward to another reunion in May 2009.

A happy birthday to Bill Dible and Bill Gilchrist who celebrated birthdays on June 2 and to Abbie Miller on June 3. Rex and Betty Carswell have an anniversary on June 6.

Vacation Bible School will be from July 10 to 12 at the Rexford Community Church. Shepherd's Staff Creative Arts Camp will be July 22 to 29.

At the Red Barn: Those attending Barnswallows and Come on Down to play pinochle were Jean Hawkins, Deb Stepper, Rex and Betty Carswell, Grace Cheney, Lawrence Horinek, Darlene Robben and Dick Sanford.

This week at Koffee Klatch were Margaret Arasmith, Delores Dible, Jean Hawkins, Eunice Sanford, Doris Jean Oliver, Sondra Barnett, Cleda Moeder and Deborah Gamboa. Until next time, make your week a memorable one.

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Just a short reminder of all the events here in Oberlin the month of June:

- Have your afternoon coffee break on Thursday, June 7 with Smokey Hills Public Television at

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the Business Enhancement Entrepreneurial Center, 104 S. Penn Ave., in Oberlin.

- The Tripple Creek Riders invite you to an Open Horse Show at 9 a.m.

- Saturday, June 9, at the fairground.
- On Monday, you can enjoy good ol' racing at the Oberlin Speedway.

- Remember to show your support at the Relay for Life from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. Friday, June 15, and Saturday, June 16, at the football field in Oberlin.

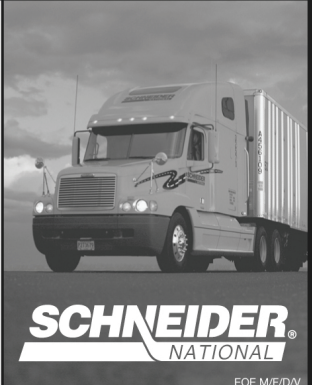
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Haydyn Best Andrew Luna Colten Wachendorfer	6th Grade Jesus Garcia Angela Ritter	None
Hannah Antholz Cole Christensen Emily Wachendorfer	7th Grade Viridiana Beltran Trey Schwarz Ethan Walter	None
Aaron Emigh Brandy Gilbert Melissa Ritter Rilee Spresser	8th Grade Adrian Garcia Jacy Moss Avery Spresser	Lucas Phillips Devin Ritter
Alyssa Babcock Erika Best Jacklyn Fringer Lani Jackson Jessica Luna Drake Moss Michael Roehl Jordan Spresser	9th Grade Michelle Becker Jenna Bruggeman Jeremy Hunter Melissa Lobato Karly Miller Dylan Moss Corey Shaw Aisha Walter	Isaac Broeckelman Jonathan Broeckelman Shaun Gilbert
Tate Bruggeman Randa Lewis Tanner Moss Ivonn Vargas	10th Grade Kelton Jones Angel Lobato Kendra Spresser	
Micah Gosha Brittany Ritter	11th Grade Tiffany Kyle Jordan Rogers	Andrew Broeckelman Caitlyn Moss
David Becker Ryan Brantley Lorraine Morton Clayton Phillips Kyle Spresser Drew Stevenson Jami Wark	12th Grade Cody Bieker Stephanie Juenemann Maranda Mosier Brett Spresser Elizabeth Staats Ryan Stevenson	Brandy Bussen Megan Juenemann Amanda Rall Katelyn Spresser

Mount Pleasant News

By Dianne Bremer

Quintin and Lindsay Cundiff, Seward, Neb., were honored with a wedding reception Saturday afternoon at St. John's Lutheran Church fellowship hall. Hostesses were Shirley Shields, Peggy Groneweg, and Dianne and Jessica Bremer. The newlyweds were married May 6 at Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Goehner, Neb.

Among those attending the Hillman family reunion in Cheney on Saturday were Walter and Betty (Hillman) May, Richard May and Nolan, Robert May and Cole, Rhonda May and Dan Nedland, Cameron, Hunter, and Elizabeth, Roland and Pam May, Zach and Hannah, and Roger and Susan May, Ryan and Erin. Also attending were Betty's sister, brother, and sister-in-law, Mildred Seifert, Pratt; Dean Hillman, Cheney; and Thelma Hillman, also of Cheney. Thelma's husband was the late Alvin Hillman.

Martin and Evelyn May were honored on their 60th wedding anniversary with a reception at St. John's Lutheran Church fellowship hall Sunday afternoon, hosted by their three children, Ernest May,

Marvin May, and Janice Cundiff. Out-of-town relatives attending were Ernest and Nancy May, Tonganoxie; Rebecca May, Lawrence; Victor Voelker, Nila Voelker, Dorothy Voelker, and Delmar and Gertrude Wilgers, Palmer; Elmer Voelker and Tim Voelker, Linn; Quintin and Lindsay Cundiff, Seward, Neb.; Perry and Lela Miller, Blue Springs, Neb.; Betty and Christopher Brandt, Sweet Springs, Mo.; Stean Olson, Hays; and Linda Bosler, Herndon. Other out-of-town guests included Mike and Bernita Gawith, Stockton; Martin and Lois Leibbrandt, Imperial, Neb.; Eldon and Faye Ann Barenberg, McCook; and Bruce Wendelin and Karl Wendelin, Herndon.

Ralph and Violet Shaw entertained with a Sunday noon luncheon at their home for Violet's cousins, Myra Canfield, Niles, Mich., and daughter, Jean Canfield, South Bend, Ind.; Jennie Canfield, Grinnell, Iowa; daughter-in-law Carol Canfield and granddaughter-in-law, Mona Tinyan, both of Garden Grove, Calif.; Ruby Weed, Colby; and Goldie Stapp, Erlene Schroer,

Rhonda Schroer, Evelyn Meitl, and Veanna Orr Carman, all of Oberlin.

Paul and Kelly Shields, Tyler, Cassidy, and Caitlin returned home Sunday evening after vacationing for a week in San Antonio, Texas. On their way home, they attended an awards ceremony at Lied Center in Lawrence where Tyler was recognized for receiving the Duke Talent Identification Program award.

Ernest and Nancy May, Tonganoxie, and daughter, Rebecca May, Lawrence, were Saturday overnight guests of his parents, Martin and Evelyn May.

Quintin and Lindsay Cundiff, Seward, Neb., returned home Sunday afternoon after spending the weekend with his parents.

John and Dianne Bremer took Sarah Miller, Atwood, Jessica Bremer, Becky Helm, Kayla Zoderow, and Heather Glodt to Lawrence early Sunday morning where the girls will be attending the American Legion Auxiliary Girls State on the Kansas University campus this week. John and Dianne returned home Sunday afternoon after the girls were checked in.

Jennings News

By Louise Cressler

For the Memorial Day weekend the William Carter family gathered. On Saturday they attended the Alumni Banquet together. On Sunday, dinner was enjoyed by many of the Carter families. Special guests were Nettie Carter Treat's daughters, Beth Pasek, Elgin, Ill., and Kathy Barton, Brighton, Colo.

Betty Votapka, Oceanside, Calif., spent 10 days at the Votapka farm visiting Mary Votapka and Tom.

Frank Votapka, Libby, Mont., visited a few days. He attended the reunion of the class he was in when they lived in Oberlin. Betty also visited friends in Oberlin. Others in and out at the Votapka farm over the weekend were Ann and Rex Rowh,

Grapevine, Texas. Michelle likes to work while home so she helped clean up the yard from the previous ice storms.

Adam Wahlmeier graduated from Kansas Law Enforcement Training Center at Hutchinson on Friday. His parents, Jeff and Mary Wahlmeier, and grandparents, Stan and Ramona Shaw, attended the commencement exercises. Adam is employed by the Norton Police Department.

Memorial weekend guests of Lawrence and Lila Jennings and Brett Jennings were David, Jodi,

Nathan, Chad, and Amber Mrstik, Oshkosh, Wis.; Brian and Westley Jennings, Solomon; and Ryan Musgrave, Ong, Neb.

They were joined for dinner on Sunday by Eugene and Dona Mrs. tik.

Norton Correctional men worked mowing and weed-eating at the sewer grounds May 24 and 25. We always appreciate the work done by these men.

The Sunflower Senior potluck supper will be held at 6 p.m. on June 12. Bring an antique, as Bob Jones will speak on antiques about 7 p.m.

Do You Remember????

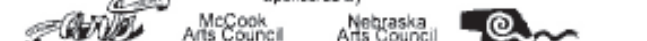
- S**liding down the MHS fire escape tube ON A BROOM?
- T**alking to servicemen & women stationed at the McCook Airbase?
- O**ffering help at the McCook Canteen?
- R**iding on the California Zephyr?
- Y**earning for what disappeared during the tornado that leveled parts of McCook?

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