

# Club News

## Widows and Friends meet

The Widows and Friends group enjoyed an 8:30 a.m. breakfast at the Frontier Restaurant on Sept. 12 with 15 present. Doris Sloan read some humorous excerpts from the book, "I Learned Everything I Need to Know in Kindergarten." A dessert meeting will be held on Oct. 10 at the LandMark.

Those present were Eula Juenemann, Mildred Holmdahl, Eileen Grose, Doris Fringer, Martha Fringer, Nadean Stoney, Alice Shirley, Louise Pollnow, Mary Ann Amack, Dorothy Jackson, Beth Sebaugh, Laurene Van Otterloo, Phyllis Screen, Doris Sloan and Luetta Pollnow.

## Auxiliary to hear girls

The Oberlin American Legion Auxiliary met at the post home on Sept. 12 with six officers present. Angela Corcoran was hostess. President Corcoran opened the meeting and Chaplain Lois Lamb led in prayer, followed by the flag salute and preamble. Membership chairman Carol Allen reported that dues will be sent out Oct. 1. The delegates who attended Girls State will give a report at the Oct. 10 meeting at 7 p.m. A box of *Avenue of Flag* magazines were taken to the museum to be sold and the auxiliary

will receive a small donation. Correspondence was read from Katrina Wentz for her scholarship and the June Harold family for memorials. The group voted to decorate a Christmas tree in the military section at the museum. New program books were distributed by the president. Members were reminded of the meeting on Sept. 17 at the Legion; the coffee tour from 3:30 to 4 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 2; and the membership drive supper set for Saturday, Oct. 13.

## Salad supper opens year

Monday Evening Club members opened the 2007-2008 club year with a salad supper on the deck of the rural home of Arian Arnold with 15 members and one guest, Nannette Zander, present. Co-hostess was Mary Ann Erickson. President Peggy Pratt conducted the business meeting and dues were collected by the treasurer, Sharon Pollnow. Vice President Diane Frickey reviewed the programs for the new club year, of which she was assisted in

the planning by Barbara Dehlinger, Kay Gaskill and Marcia Lohofener. It was voted to decorate a Christmas tree at the museum in December and to entertain at the Good Samaritan Center in November. The Oct. 8 meeting will be at 7 p.m. at the LandMark with Judy Ladehoff and Laurie Wasson as co-hostesses. A program entitled, "What's Happening in Decatur County?" will be presented by Connie Grafel.

## Women hear book review

Oberlin United Methodist Women met at the church on Sept. 5 with Mary Waldo and Judy Davis as hostesses. Devotions were given by Helen Derby on the value each woman is to God and the importance of remaining faithful. Plans were made to attend the Hays District meeting at Norton on Oct. 20. It was voted to serve a meal for one of the bloodmobile visits in Oberlin and send an ad-

ditional gift to World Vision. Betty Jones presented a review of the humorous, as well as thought-provoking book, "Can't Wait to get to Heaven" by Flannery O'Connor, then donated the book to the church library. Fern Moore will be lesson leader at the Oct. 3 meeting with the theme, "'Who is My Neighbor?'" Roll call will be a scripture verse about loving others. Hostess will be Mary Ann Amack.

## Club opens new year

The Pi Alpha Club opened the club year on Sept. 10 with a salad supper, held annually on the beautiful patio of their hostess, Eris Young. It was held indoors this year due to the cool weather. Co-hostesses were Joy Russell and Gerry Neff. President Marty Olson reviewed the new books, after

which 14 members shared their summer family activities and vacations. Cecil Hess won the hostess gift and a get well card was signed for Nora Bearley, who is in Colorado with her daughter, Sandy Allen. The next meeting will be Sept. 24 at the home of Pat Wright with Janette Votapka as co-hostess.

## Two-night chef class offered

Decatur Tomorrow will sponsor a cooking class, "Chefing for Special Occasions," from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 25 and 26, in the kitchen at Faith Lutheran Church with Chef "Doc" Franklin. Cost for the two nights, which in-

cludes lessons and meals, is \$20. The class is sponsored by the utilizing existing buildings and facilities group. For details, call Kem Bryan at (785) 475-3395 or Sally Henningson at (785) 475-2420.

## College conference Thursday

A college planning conference is scheduled from 9 to 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, Oct. 4, in the multipurpose room at the Colby Community College Student Union. High school seniors and transfer students are invited to attend. The event, sponsored by the Kansas Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, will allow students to gather information about public and private colleges, universities and technical schools in Kansas and the region. Representatives from 42 institutions will be available to answer questions about academic programs, financial assistance, student life and athletics. For details, call the Colby College

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## Planning a Wedding?

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Josh and Kari Williby

## Couple recites vows in Oberlin church

Kari Stanley and Josh Williby of Hays were married at 3 p.m. on Saturday, July 28, 2007, at the Oberlin Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Father Henry Saw Lone officiated. Parents of the couple are Bob and Alice Stanley, and Doug and Shayla Williby, Oberlin. Their grandparents are Rex Schroeder, Juanita Williby and Shirley Ward, all of Oberlin. Erica Stanley was matron of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Stephanie Frankforter, Haley

Vollertsen, Jennifer Thomas and Tara Harding. Jacie and Jenna Fortin were flower girls. Issac Stanley and Treger Dickinson served as ringbearers. Justin Williby served his brother as best man. Groomsman were Tanner Lincoln, Dustin Mariman, Brett Dickinson and Carl Larson. After a honeymoon cruise to Cozumel, Mexico, they are living in Hays.

## Christian singer to perform

Singer/songwriter Karyn Brinkmeyer from Iowa will minister in song at 6:30 p.m. Friday at the McCook Christian Church, 507 West B St. She has traveled with Christian Theater, taught music in public schools, recorded in Nashville, sung in Branson, opened for B.J. Thomas, and currently travels sharing her love for Jesus through music and

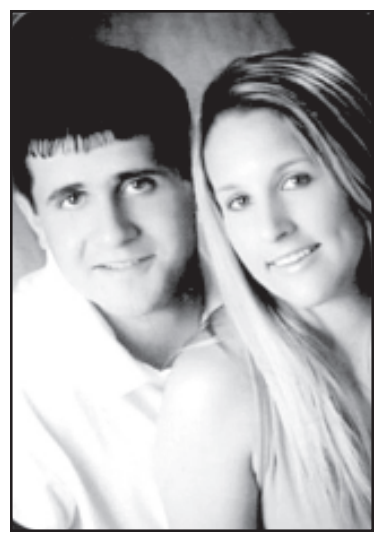
teaching at conferences, in churches, and for retreats. She has a unique ability to relate to all ages. There will be an offering only for the concert, and refreshments will be served afterward. The concert is sponsored by the McCook Christian Women's group, which has been a part of the McCook community for over 30 years.

## Teens plan 30th reunion

Teens for Christ is turning 30 and plans a "family reunion" for current and former members on Saturday, Sept. 29, at the Huck Boyd Center, 860 Park Street, in Phillipsburg. The day will include a time to chat, laugh and tell old stories, play games, relax and hang out, and reconnect with old friends. There will be a picnic lunch at noon and a supper at 5:30 p.m., followed by an evening of worship, praise and celebration. Those planning to attend should call (785) 543-5294 or e-mail janice@tfconnection.org.

## October vows set by couple

Elizabeth RaDawn Boyd and George Eric Groneweg plan to be married on Saturday, Oct. 13. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Cody Richards, Kearney, Neb., and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Groneweg, rural Selden. The bride-to-be is a 2005 graduate of Decatur Community High School and is a junior at the University of Nebraska at Kearney, majoring in elementary education. She is also employed at the University of Nebraska at Kearney Childhood Development Center. Her fiancé is a 2002 graduate of



George Eric Groneweg and Elizabeth RaDawn Boyd

Decatur Community High School and a 2003 graduate of the Wyoming Technical Institute. He works at Fairbanks International.

## Couple plans fall wedding

Heidi Van Vleet and Daniel Sidwell of Marshall, Mo., plan to be married on Saturday, Oct. 6, at the Waverly, Mo., Baptist Church. Parents of the couple are Merald and Pam Van Vleet, Waverly, but formerly of Herndon, and Brian and Charlotte Sidwell and Cathy Rector. The bride, a 1998 graduate of Herndon High School, is enrolled at State Fair Community College in Sedalia, in medical office administration with an emphasis in procedural and diagnosis coding and

plans to graduate in May. She is the granddaughter of Eileen Grose of Oberlin and the late Wayne Grose, and Bernice Van Vleet of McCook and the late Denzel Van Vleet. Her fiancé, a 2000 graduate of Marshall High School, is a corrections officer for the State of Missouri in Boonville. He also is an assistant manager at Auto Zone in Sedalia. After the wedding, the couple plans to live on the Sidwell family farm at Marshall Junction, Mo.

## New Arrival

### Carter Kay Kisner



C. Kisner

Chris and Mollie Kisner of Norcatour are the parents of their first child, a son, Carter Kay Kisner. He was born Sept. 7, 2007, at the Norton County Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, 7 ounces and was 21 inches long. Grandparents are Kim Kisner, Wichita; Ron Kisner, Atwood; and Dave and Connie Parsons, McCook. Great-grandparents are Dick and Vonda Corder, Atwood; Jack and Ursula Parsons, McCook; and Rose Kisner, Great Bend.

The family of Cleo Bastin would like to help him celebrate his 90th birthday on Sept. 24 with a card shower. Mail may be sent to: 1838 12th Road, Clay Center, KS 67432



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