

Norcaturo News

By the Norcaturo News Committee

Bee Nelson, accompanied by Dorothy Ward and Margaret "Toots" Magers, attended the Katrina Wentz and David Edgerton wedding at the Wentz country residence Saturday, June 5. It was a beautiful late afternoon service and the weather cooperated with the festivities. The reception and dance followed at the Norcaturo School building.

On May 20, Bob and Anita Montgomery and Renee Harman, Oberlin, went to Bartley, Neb., to help their great-grandson and great-nephew, Karsen Shuler, celebrate his second birthday.

Scott Harman has been doing some rodeos, some fair and some not so good. He has opened a boot and shoe repair shop in Norton.

Bob and Anita Montgomery and Ron and Gina Montgomery attended several graduation parties in Oberlin after graduation May 22.

Ron and Gina Montgomery attended their nephew's graduation in Atwood May 23.

Donna and Dean Knutson, Council Bluffs, Iowa, and David Knutson, Omaha, were guests of Bob and Anita Montgomery, Oberlin, over the Memorial weekend. They all attended the Alumni Banquet and the cemetery services. They

were all guests of Bill and Dorothy Woods, Oberlin, Sunday night for a barbecue. Barbara Brooks and Renee Harman were also there.

Ron and Gina Montgomery, Jennings, attended Gina's 30th Alumni reunion in Atwood May 29.

Rusty Montgomery attended all of his 30th Alumni reunion activities in Oberlin, May 28 and 29. He was in Wichita for races on Memorial Day.

Bob and Anita Montgomery, Oberlin, had a brunch Saturday morning, May 29, for their classmates of '51 and '52. Those attending were Rodney and Margaret New, McPherson; Gary and Annette Miller, Oberlin; Phillene and Jim Weets, Rapid City, S.D.; and Dixie and Pete Peters, Wheatridge, Colo.

Wava Reames spent Tuesday of last week at the park in McCook, feeding the baby geese. They ate her old bread right from her hand. Frank Ward visited her on Sunday.

Senior Citizens met June 4 with 13 players. Winners were Margaret "Toots" Magers, Jackie Porter and Paul Welch. The next meeting will be Friday.

Results of the pool tournament at the Cardinal Bar and Grill on

Wednesday, were Stan Miller, first, and Von Johnson, second.

Minh and Wanda Nguyen, Lone Tree, Colo., visited Betty Reid in Norton from May 27 to May 31. They also visited Lula Hix, Larry Hix, Linda Young, Ed and Lynn Wedow, and Arlene Hix. Saturday evening Minh and Wanda attended the Norcaturo High School Alumni Banquet. On Sunday Betty, Minh and Wanda had lunch at the Norcaturo Cafe, attended the Memorial services at the Norcaturo Cemetery and stopped at the Educational Building to visit. Thanks to all the volunteers and everyone who helped make the weekend special.

Memorial week was busy and enjoyable for Virgil and Joyce Price. On Tuesday, Bob and Lea Price, Mission, Texas, came in their RV and stayed until June 2. On Thursday, Keith and Linda Jurey, Albuquerque, N.M., and Richard Jurey, Edmond, Okla., arrived. They all came especially for the Norcaturo Alumni and Memorial services. On Sunday Joyce's brother, Max Thielbar, Lincoln, Neb., was here for lunch and a short visit. On June 5, they went to McCook, to visit Doris Klingensmith. On June 6, they met Bob and Lea at Oakley, for lunch.

Jeff Magers, Cedar Bluffs, took his folks, Rea and Dee, to their Aunt Lorraine Long's family reunion at Webster Reservoir, east of Hill City, on Saturday. There were about 65 Long family members there. Father Joe Scheetz had Mass services in the family tent at 4 p.m.

Museum Tid-Bits
Thanks to Keith Anthony for the 90th anniversary Lyle Methodist Church book.

Thanks to Linda Bolliger Broyles for all the items that she donated. Some of the items were old school books, Norcaturo High School letters, Norcaturo High school yearbooks, The Cardinal newsletter, Norcaturo News from 1990-2009, school term papers and much more.

Thanks to Iva Lee Wilson for the windmill string art picture.

Lyle News

By Veda Wood

Delphia Blee Whale called Margaret "Toots" Magers to ask about many people with whom she was acquainted when she lived west of Lyle. There are not many left.

Earnest Huff was unable to have the surgery that was planned for last week, but remains in the hospital in McCook.

On Wednesday, Larry Vernon and his sister, Connie Boyer, visited me and we compared family tree information. They brought their computer and scanner; showed me pictures I had never seen and put in pictures and information about our family that they didn't have. The next day Sheryl Patterson joined the group and we went to Margie Applegate's in Norton for

more pictures, etc. Next we went to Dairy Queen for "Blizzards," and then to the Andbe Home, where we visited Aunt Alta and Bob Shick. We peeked into Oran Milner's room, but since he was sleeping, we didn't go in. Alta was absorbed in reading the Lyle News in the Norcaturo paper, and was surprised when they made themselves known. On Friday morning, the "kids" went back to Denver. They are the son and daughter of Leland and Twila Vernon. Twila is doing much better but not quite well enough to come back at this time.

June Jolly had an unusual experience at the Norcaturo memorial service on Sunday. Her son, Carol, noticed that the high wind had

blown a flag loose from its anchor, so he and June went to fix it. When the job was done, she looked to see whose flag it was, and it was her late husband, Carl Jolly's. that gives a person a start.

Gary Anthony had an appointment with his doctor in Hays on Monday.

Toots Magers attended the beautiful wedding and reception for Katrina Wentz at the Wentz home on Saturday evening.

"Toots" Magers phone was out for a while on Monday morning. She would really like to stop having phone troubles as her lifeline doesn't work without it, and who knows when a person might need it.

Selden News

By Jacque Boultinghouse

On Thursday at Senior Citizens, Lola Cook won high, Anna Albers took second, Ralph Weis got low and Janice Kruse had the most Aces. Other members present included Shirley Emigh, Betty Schieferecke, Bob Wessel, Jeanie Spesser, Royce Cook, Edna Schiltz, Alfred Albers, Matt Finnesy, Paulie Neff, Betty James, Pat Wessel, Carl Mumm, Gail Mumm, Helen Karls and Ann Hazlitt.

Kids softball began on Wednesday at the ball park. Age groups are 4 to 6 at 6:30 p.m., 7 to 10 at 7:30 p.m. and older than 10 play at 8:30 p.m. If you are interested in playing bring a glove and a good sports attitude. Every Wednesday evening.

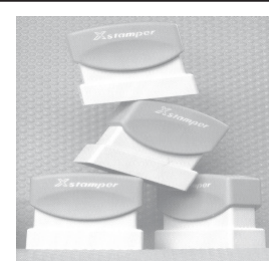
Birthdays and Anniversaries: June 6 - Gerald and Arvilla Juenemann, Tammie Robinson. June 7 - Gary and Shirley Emigh, Teegan Turnbull. June 8 - Jalyn Shaw, Melissa Lobato, Randy Sulzman. June 9 - Barbara Nelson, Helen Juenemann, Marci Shaw. June 10 - Don Spesser, Nick and Stephanie Anderson. June 11 - Tom Juenemann.

June 12 - Jody Ryburn, Katie Aumiller. June 13 - Rose Bainter. June 14 - Bev Delano, Russ and Marcia Aumiller, Darrel Dipman, Kevin Carman. June 15 - Michael Schiltz, Derrick Juenemann, Dan and Annette Spesser. June 16 - Chris Wessel, Bernie and Bobbi Koerperich. June 18 - Dennis Rogers, Cameron Spesser. June 19 - Dawne Stevenson, Bailey Koerperich. June 20 - Dan and Nikki Campbell, Royce and Lola Cook. June 21 - Janella Benoit, Joe Broeckelman. June 22 - Dan Bainter, Renee Ochsner. June 24 - Marlee McKenna.

New Books shelved at the Selden Public Library include "Storm Prey," by John Sandford; "A Cousin's Challenge," by Wanda E. Brunstetter; "The Rule of Nine," by Steve Martini; "Honeysuckle Summer," by Sheryl Woods; "Dangerous," by Diana Palmer; and "McKetricks of Texas," by Linda Lael Miller.

The Library is open on Mondays and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and on Wednesday evenings from

6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. as volunteers are available. Anyone wanting to volunteer should contact a Library Board member.



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Chamber News

By Carolyn Hackney

I did survive the Herndon Ox Roast!! I was beginning to wonder why I volunteered to drive for the Oberlin Convention and Visitors Bureau in the parade, but it turned out to be a fun experience. The main drag in Herndon was pretty packed while watching the more than 85 entries in the parade. It was good to visit with a lot of old acquaintances, but by about 6 p.m. I was ready to head home for supper and a comfortable chair.

The Farmer's Market will be starting Wednesday, June 23. Last year some enjoyed setting up at the Gazebo and others preferred to be in front of the Chamber Office, so either place will be alright again this year. We will start with the same hours as last year, (8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.) but if our vendors decide that different hours work better, we may rearrange. Garden produce, home-baked goods, crafts, plants; all are welcome at the Farmer's Market. Hope to see you there.

My business of the week is Metcalf Real Estate and Randal Appraisal, which is located at 101 S Penn Ave. in Oberlin, KS. Jack Metcalf who was the broker and a lifelong resident of Oberlin originally started the business. In 2000, Carolyn Burtis joined the firm as a saleswoman, and then later received

her brokers' license in 2002. She later purchased the business from Jack in 2003, but the name of the business remains as Metcalf Real Estate to this day.

Kris Randal and Herb Shirley joined the business in 2005, each as a licensed salesperson. Then in 2009, Kris earned her brokers' license and purchased the business from Carolyn Burtis. Kris is also an appraiser for Metcalf Real Estate.

Byron Hale, who is the Twin Creeks Extension District #9 Director, and Sarah Smith who graduated from Decatur Community High School, and received her BA in Economics and Business are the two newest salespeople that have been invited to join Kris in her business. Duane McEwen is also an agent for the business in Norton.

Kris and her staff offer many homes in all price ranges, and holds an Open House once a month to show one or two homes at that time for any interested buyers. You may also check the Metcalf Real Estate website at www.metcalf-realestate.com to see all of the listings they have to offer. If you are in the need of a home, please come see Kris and her staff or just drop in and say hello.

Have a great week !!!

Herndon News

By Julie Hafner

Visitors at the Don and Joan Grafel home over the weekend for the Herndon Alumni Banquet and Ox Roast celebration were Randy and Leah Atchley, Miriam and Moses, Emily Zack and Joshua Williams, Knoxville, Tenn.; Chrissy Howard, Brenna and Charles, Virginia Beach, Va.; Keith and Roma Grafel, Sydney, Teryn and Saeger, Council Grove; Egan Grafel, Dallas, Texas; Rusty Grafel, Colby; Kurt and Kristin Grafel, Kayla and Kourtney, Utica; Kurston and Danielle Grafel and Carter, Oberlin; Kent Grafel, Kris and Kristyn Clapp and Kamryn, Culbertson, Neb.; Kathryn Sousek, Omaha; Steve and Carolyn Martin, Windsor, Colo.; Kyle and Cindi Grafel, Ben, Sarah and Rachel, Herndon; Dick Franke, Ashland, Ore.; Roger and Joann Franke, Hutchinson, and Tom and Kay Franke, Council Grove.

Happenings in Herndon this past weekend: The Herndon High School class of 1980 got together at the home of Kyle and Cindi Grafel. Class members and guests included

George and Cheryl Cox, Jim and Amy Tongish, Gerard Green and Mathew, Mary Leitner Carlson and Dalton, Beverly Unger Zipfel and Mathew and friend, Ryan, and Kyle and Cindi Grafel. Other classmates who transferred during high school were Kara Brown Kuntz, Brenna Crandle and friend Steve.

Others joining the group for the class outhouse race on Saturday at the Herndon Ox Roast were Brad Thompson, Patti Sattler Park and Robert Cole. Unable to attend was Candy Magers McLerrands. A great time was enjoyed by all at the Alumni Banquet and the Ox Roast. Thirty years after graduation, we are all going strong!

Guests during the past week of the Kyle Grafel family were his sister's family, Leah and Randy Atchley, Miriam and Moses, and Emily (Atchley) and Zack Williams and Joshua, Knoxville, Tenn.; Chrissy Atchley Williams, Brenna and Charles, Virginia Beach, Va., and Archie Aman, Loveland, Colo.

Don't Forget Father's Day

By Pastor Judith Stricker, United Church of Oberlin

Sunday is Father's Day. In the hymn book that we use at The United Church, there is a section dedicated to the family, and a short selection was written by Leonard Wagner. I don't know this author, but thought the piece very appropriate to fathers everywhere.

"The world needs men who cannot be bought; whose word is their bond; who put character above wealth; who are larger than their vocations; who do not hesitate to take chances; who will not lose their identity in a crowd; who will be as honest in small things as in great things; who will make no compromise with wrong; whose ambitions are not confined to their own selfish desires; who will not say they do it 'because everybody else does it'; who are true to their friends through good report and evil report, in adversity as well as in prosperity; who do not believe

that shrewdness and cunning are the best qualities for winning success; who are not ashamed to stand for the truth when it is unpopular; who can say 'no' with emphasis, although the rest of the world says 'yes'!"

Wouldn't it be wonderful if we all, both men and women, accepted those thoughts as a pledge of sorts - could it be that if that happened, there could be people in all walks of life, for instance; Congress, large banking institutions and corporate CEO's who would be admired and respected? What do you think? I know this sounds a bit simplistic but perhaps it would be a start, a place to begin again building character, morality and ethics.

Anyway, Happy Father's Day to all of you dads out there! May it be a special one!

Pastor Judi



Schedule of Oberlin and area church services:

OBERLIN SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH
785-475-3103
Fr. Mark Berland,
MASS: 5:30 p.m., Saturday

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC, LEOVILLE
Fr. Mark Berland,
MASS: 8 a.m., Sunday.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC, SELDEN
Fr. Mark Berland,
MASS: 10 a.m., Sunday

JENNINGS-DRESDEN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Pastor: Barbara Patterson
SUNDAY: Church School, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.

DRESDEN
SUNDAY: Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST
The Rev. Doug Hasty
SUNDAY: Church Services, 9 a.m.;
Sunday School, 8:30 a.m.

HERNDON IMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Pastor: Dennis Brown
SUNDAY: Morning Worship, 9 a.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF OBERLIN
Pastor: Judi Stricker
109 North Griffith-American Baptist, Disciples of Christ, Presbyterian USA
SUNDAY: Adult Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Coffee: 10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m. Worship Service, 11 a.m. Choir practice every Sun. at 9:45 a.m. Holy Communion, 1st & 3rd Sundays. United Church Women, 2nd Wed at 2 p.m. Parish Council, 2nd Sun. following Worship

OBERLIN COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP (Southern Baptist)
Pastor: Gene Gee
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.,
WEDNESDAY: Service, 7 p.m.,

OBERLIN UNITED METHODIST
102 North Cass — 785-475-3067
The Rev. Doug Hasty
SUNDAY: Church School, 9:30 a.m.;
Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m. (Nursery provided.) WEDNESDAY: Choir practice,
7:30 p.m.

CLAYTON UNITED METHODIST
Pastor: Larry Danforth
Almena
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m.;
Worship Service, 11 a.m.

OBERLIN ASSEMBLY OF GOD
The Rev. Royce Leitner
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m.;
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening
Worship, 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Adult
Bible study, 7 p.m.

OBERLIN CHURCH OF CHRIST
South Beaver Street - Oberlin
Bill Duncan — Phone 785-475-3259
SUNDAY: Fellowship and coffee time;
10:00 a.m. The "no sermon" worship hour
with the Lord's Supper and Adventures
With God open Bible Study; TUESDAY:
Ladies Bible Study, 9 a.m.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC, HERNDON
Fr. Stephen Folorunso
Phone 785-322-5560
MASS: SUNDAY and THURSDAY
8:30 a.m.

HERNDON COVENANT CHURCH
Pastor: Keith Reuther
Phone 785-322-5316
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Youth
Group, 4 p.m.

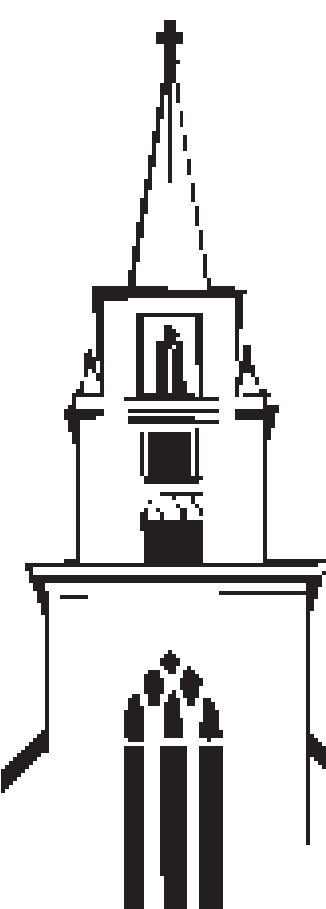
NORCATURO UNITED METHODIST
Pastor: Larry Danforth
Almena
SUNDAY: Worship Service, 10 a.m.;
Church School, 10:30 a.m.

LYLE UNITED METHODIST
Guest Speakers
every Sunday
SUNDAY: Morning Worship 9 a.m.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH OF OBERLIN
Pastors: Chris and Sharon Nelson
810 West Cedar, Oberlin
Office Phone 785-475-2769
SUNDAY: Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.;
Fellowship Time, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday
School, 11 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible
Study, 7 p.m.

LUND COVENANT CHURCH
Pastor: Doug Mason
10 miles south, 4 miles west of Oberlin
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m.;
Worship, 11 a.m.; WEDNESDAY: Bible
Study and prayer, 7:30 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
510 North Wilson
Interim Pastor:
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SUNDAY: Sunday School and Bible
class, 9:15 a.m.; Divine Worship Service,
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