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### Midway News

*By Mary Lou Olson*

The congregation of the Herndon Covenant Church will meet at 10 a.m. Sunday for worship services at the Atwood Good Samaritan Center. The Sunday School picnic will follow at Lake Atwood. Bring potluck, chairs and table service. Meat will be furnished with a barbecue.

On Sunday, June 16, morning worship will be held at the church at 10 a.m.

Sunday dinner guests of Mary Gutchewsky to honor her on her birthday were Joel and Sarah Uerling, Addyson and Hayden, McCook, and Tammy Neal, Katrina and Jimmy, Oberlin.

Annette Frenzl of Salina returned home Friday after visiting her father, Bob Olson, in Atwood for a few days. En route home she visited her aunt, Mary Lou Olson, and her cousin, Dave Bergling, at Oberlin.

Those from the Herndon Covenant Church who spent several days last week working on the Linda Leebrick Cabin at Covenant Heights Bible Camp near Estes Park, Colo., were Pastor Keith and Sandy Reuther, Kyle and Cindi Grafel and Sarah, Ben and Mariah Grafel and Clara, Chris and Sherri Schmidt and Gerald and Patty Benda.

### Norcatour News

*By the Norcatour News Committee*

The summer reading program at the Norcatour Public Library plans to kick off today at 10 a.m. with a movie to be shown immediately following. Everyone is invited to attend.

Former Norcatour school teacher, LaVerne Milner, celebrated her 97th birthday last week. She would enjoy hearing from her friends and former students. Cards and letters will reach her in care of The Andbe Home, 201 W. Crane St., Norton, Kan. 67654.

Norcatour Senior citizens will play pinochle at 1 p.m., Thursday, June 13, at the Norcatour Methodist Church Educational Building.

Justine and Jade Tuttle drove to Topeka on May 16 to visit her sister and family, Melissa and Curt DeDonder, Sophia and Emma. While in Topeka they watched Sophia play soccer at Going Bonkers, an indoor play area. They also attended a baby shower for Kali Adams, a former college friend of Mrs. Tuttle. On the return trip, Mrs. Tuttle and Jade stopped at Lake Webster to visit her husband's family.

Tara Nelson and Anita Volskay, Independence, Mo., were house guests of Bee Nelson over Memorial weekend. They attended the Norton All-School Class Reunion on May 25. Mrs. Nelson attended her class reunion on May 24 at the Norton American Legion.

The Nelsons decorated graves May 26 and met Bonnie Rapp, Manhattan, her son, Ben Rapp and wife, Yvonne, and their son, Evan Rapp and his girlfriend, Sara, Lawrence.

On Sunday evening, the Nelsons attended a family get-together at the farm home of Ken and Julie Carter near Jennings. Tara and Anita returned to their home May 27.

On Sunday, Jim and Carolyn Plotts presented pictures and a program at the Norcatour Methodist Educational Building about their recent mission trip to Guatemala.

Recent visitors at Dorothy Ward's home were Mark and Brandon Ward, Hugo, Colo. Deb Ward arrived later after visiting her father in Hillsboro. Others coming were grandson, K.J. and Bre Ward, Wichita. Granddaughter, Diana Ward was expected to arrive May 29.

Memorial weekend guests at the Stan Miller farm were Curt and Melissa DeDonder, Sophia and Emma, Topeka; Casey and Justine Tuttle and Jade, Norcatour; Gary and Anette Miller, Oberlin; Aimee Applebury,

Eli and Karyssa, Colby. The group celebrated Emma DeDonder's first birthday and the Tuttle's sixth wedding anniversary.

Carol Miller spent Memorial Day with her mother, Lila Rule, at Whispering Pines in Norton.

The former Norcatour School Building, Museum and Library were open Memorial weekend. Many toured the building and commented how nice everything was. The library had 33 adults and six children tour the facility over the weekend.

A special reminder is given to Norcatour residents to especially watch for children now that school is out for the summer. They sometimes forget to look both ways, so all motorists need to be extremely cautious.

Story Time is at 10 a.m. every Wednesday at the Norcatour Public Library. As an added treat, a free movie will be shown directly following Story Time. All children are welcome. They do not have to live in Norcatour.

Book Potpourri will meet at 1 p.m., Wednesday, June 19, in the library.

The Bargain Box in Oberlin made a donation to the library that will be used to purchase new books for the Children's Library.

Because of the high winds on May 26, Norcatour's Memorial Day Services were held in the former high school gymnasium. The Norton American Legion Riders and Color Guard were present. The events were hosted by Wayne McCallister. He introduced Andrea (Marshall) Spanier who sang "The Star Spangled Banner" and Pastor Ed Woods who gave an opening prayer. Major Dallas McMullen delivered the keynote address recognizing all veterans who have fought for this country's freedom. No volleys were fired by the grave of the Unknown Soldier who was still honored with a wreath placed by Troy Marshall. Nolan Hennington and Anthony Marshall played "Taps." All veterans who died during the past year were recognized.

Over 70 people had lunch in the lunch room. It was catered by Jerry's Bar and Grill.

Everyone is reminded to pick up any decorations or containers from the cemetery by Friday.

A baby shower was held Sunday at the Norcatour Educational Building for Vanessa Wentz.



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