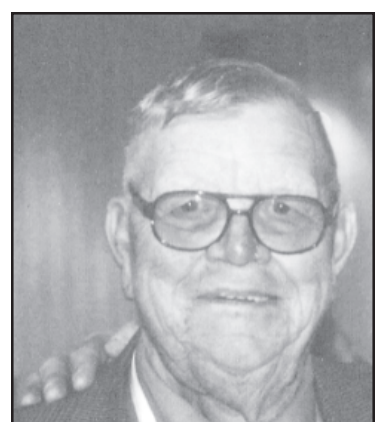




Dr. Dorsch



Norm Dorsch

Former Bird City resident honored

By Karen Krien

Former Bird City resident, John Dorsch, M.D., recently received the Silver Beaver Award, the highest honor a local council can present to a Scout leader. On April 18, he received a Humanitarian Award at the KU School of Medicine in Kansas City as a result of his volunteer service to youth and especially under-privileged youth.

The Silver Beaver Award is made for the noteworthy service of exceptional character to youth in the local council. A council is permitted to recognize one leader for 60 chartered Scout units.

Dr. Dorsch became a Scout as a youth and earned his Eagle Scout Award in 1969. Scouting was a "family" thing as his father, Norm Dorsch, was a Scout leader. Then when Dr. Dorsch's son, James, began to participate in Scouting, he became a unit leader for his unit.

He attended many campouts, high adventures and Jamborees. He con-

tinued to show his commitment to Scouting by becoming the Advancement Chairman for Southwinds District. He has provided training, counsel and awarded over 89 Eagle Scout awards.

Dr. Dorsch soon became the Southwinds District Chair where he led his District to the Quality District Award. He is a Vigil member of the Order of the Arrow, earned his Wood Badge beads in 2000 and has been involved with the Medical Clinic at Philmont.

Dr. Dorsch's parents, Norm and Mary Dorsch, attended the ceremony along with James Dorsch and Levi Traffas, both Eagle Scouts. Norm is now a retired Boy Scout leader but 30 years ago, he also received the Silver Beaver Award. Others attending were Dr. Dorsch's wife Diane and daughter, Amanda.

Dr. Dorsch is on the faculty of the Wichita Branch of the KU Medical School.

'Under the Sea' theme for the Cheylin Prom

Saturday, April 21 is the Cheylin High School Prom. This year's event will be held in the McDonald Gym with promenade at 6:30 pm. This year's theme is "Under the Sea". The Junior class has been hard at work on decorations and Junior class parents on preparations for the meal. Members of the Sophomore class will serve the meal.

As a new twist this year, the Freshman Class has been invited to

the dance portion of the evening.

Booster Club with the help of many sponsor's donations will host an after-prom party at the Cheyenne Bowl for those who attend the prom. Booster club has received a \$50 grant from Midwest Energy and a \$500 Recognition Grant from the Kansas Health Foundation with the help of Century II. These grants help alleviate small businesses in the area from being asked for donations.

Honor Roll

New and renewed Times subscriptions: Vada Burkhalter, Bird City; Doretta McCormick, Golden, Colo.; Dale Peters, Westminster, Colo.; Don Antholz, Atwood; R. Bilson, Smolan, Kan.; Betty Childers, Bird City; Amelia Banister, McDonald; Donald Kimmel, Bird City; Lyle Fisher, Tonganozie, Kan.; Harold Johnson, Bird City; Alice Faimon, McDonald; Terry Glasco, Bird City; Dorothy Rummel, Littleton, Colo.; Don Marshall, McDonald; Hal Sager, Bird City; Barbara Antholz, McDonald; Marvin Dowdy, Bird City; Chad Sager, Kansas City, Mo.; Stanley Lamb, St. Francis; Norma Garretson, Smith Center; Emma Brunswig, Haigler, Neb.; Sherry

Beeson, Bird City; SS Enterprise, Imperial, Neb.; Becky Metcalf, Escondido, Calif.; Mary Walden, Bird City; Dave Hickert, Bird City; Donita Claussen, South Haven; Duane DaPron, Broken Arrow, Neb.; Linda Ketzner, Sun City, Ariz.; Judy Castle, Aurora, Colo.; Sally Hudson, Benkelman, Neb.; Gary Bankes, Arvada, Colo.; Merle Hitchcock, Bird City;



Death Notice

Helen Chumley, Bird City, died Tuesday, April 17, 2007, at her home. Arrangements are pending. Condolence can be sent to P.O. Box 384, Bird City, KS 67731.

Cards Welcome

Casey McCormick is in Sky Ridge Hospital in Lone Tree, Colo. Cards would be welcome at this address: Sky Ridge Hospital, 10101 Ridge Gate Parkway, Lone Tree, CO, 80124

Bird City alumni

The Bird City Alumni Banquet is scheduled for Saturday, May 26, in the Bird City Legion Hall. The theme is "Thru the Years in 'Record Time' and the evening will include the High Country Chorus from Denver. Check ad for ticket information.

Tour Planned

A tour of Bird City is being planned by the Class of 1957. A people mover from the Steam Engine Show grounds will be used to provide transportation around the town. Anyone wanting to go along should meet at the Bird City High school at 2:00 p.m.

Bird City Library

"Books Are Fun" selections will be available April 2nd through April 21st, at the Bird City Public Library. New books, CDs and other gift items 30%-60% less than retail prices and the opportunity to help the library earn books and DVDs in the process.

Community benefit

A community benefit hamburger feed and bake sale will be held from 11:30 to 2 p.m. on Sunday, April 29, at the St. Francis Community High School. Money raised will go to assist tornado victims in Cheyenne County. Check ad in this issue.

Salvation Army volunteers needed

The Salvation Army is looking for volunteers to help Cheyenne County. Brian Carroll, Salvation Army Division director, will be in St. Francis at 6 pm on Tuesday, April 24 at the St. Francis Equity meeting room.

1st anniversary celebration

The Hilltop General Store is celebrating their first anniversary on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Check page 12 of the Herald for details.

25th anniversary celebration

Yost Ford Mercury is celebrating their 25th anniversary on Wednesday, April 25. Check ad on this page of the Herald for details.

Spring Salad Luncheon

The Chamber of Commerce Ladies Spring Salad Luncheon is

planned for 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesday, April 25, at the First Christian Church fellowship hall. Check ad for ticket details.

Library Art Gallery

Kindergarten through four grade 2-and-3 dimensional art work projects are on display at the St. Francis Public Library. These items were featured at the Northwest Kansas League Art Display earlier this spring.

Western Plains Arts Association

Western Plains Arts Association will be presenting the piano duo of Stephen Varney and Naomi Sanchez at 3 p.m. on Sunday, April 29, at the Cultural Arts Center in Colby.

Concert Choir at Peace Lutheran

A Concert Choir from the Association Free Lutheran Bible School plans an evening of sacred music at 7:30 p.m. tonight (Thursday) at the Peace Lutheran Church in St. Francis. The 48-member mixed choir, under the direction of Jerry D. Nelson, the school's music director, is from Minneapolis, Minn. The entire family is welcome.

Relay for Life Kicks off

The Relay For Life Committee is making plans to kick off the August Cancer Relay For Life program. All survivors, all team captains, and everyone who would like to start a team may join the committee from 5:30 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, April 19, at the Equity meeting room. Bring ideas to help plan the "best-ever" event. Members of the committee are hoping for another record-breaking year of donations to the American Cancer Society's fight to cure the disease.

Hansen Museum display

The Dane G. Hansen Memorial Museum is proud to present "Married to Adventure: Photographs from the Travels of Martin and Osa Johnson," organized by The Martin and Osa Johnson Safari Museum in Chanute. The display opens April 27 and runs through July 8.

Music Club

The St. Francis Music Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday at the farm home of Louanne Isernhagen. There will be an election of officers and a salad supper. Each member is asked to bring a salad to share. Drinks, dessert and table service will be provided. Guests are welcome. Call President Raedell Winston 332-8919, for more information. Carpooling will be available from Ruth Milliken's home at 6:15 p.m.

Cheyenne County Hospital

Bulletin Board

Board

The Cheyenne County Hospital Board will meet at 3 p.m. on Thursday, April 26, in the basement of the clinic in St. Francis.

Veterans Affairs

Jody Tubbs, of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs, will be in St. Francis at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, April 19, at the county clerk's office. You may also contact the Veteran's Affairs office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday, or Friday at 785-462-3572.

Recovery Today/Narcotics Anonymous

Recovery Today group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. on Sunday nights at the United Methodist Educational Building. Call (785) 332-6542 or 8607 for more information.

Sainty Serenity Seekers/Alcoholics Anonymous

Sainty Serenity Seekers open meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous is held at 7:30 p.m. each Thursday evening at the United Methodist Education Building at 104 W. Webster, St. Francis. Call (785) 332-6542 for more information

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter

Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides 24-hour-7 day-a-week services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available for women and children within the northwest Kansas area. For information or if you are in need of assistance, please call the toll-free number 1-800-794-4624

Benefit April 29 for tornado victims

A community benefit hamburger feed and bake sale will be held from 11:30 to 2 p.m. on Sunday, April 29, at the St. Francis Community High School. Money raised will go to assist tornado victims in Cheyenne County.

Lynn and Candy Glasco, Nick and Heidi Ketzner, John and Maria Kamla and Ed and Phyllis Carson were among those hit the hardest during the tornado. The funds raised will be split between the four families.

On the menu will be hamburgers or hot dogs with macaroni salad, chips, baked beans, chips,

cookie and drink. There will also be a bake sale at the high school during the hamburger feed. People are urged to either donate a baked item or purchase something.

The benefit is sponsored by St. Francis Thrivent for Lutherans, along with the St. Francis Booster Club and area churches. Those who are unable to attend but would like to donate can send checks to Paula Keller; P.O. Box 846, St. Francis, Kan., 67756. Please make the checks payable to Thrivent Lutheran. Thrivent will match funds raised up to \$1,000.

South of McDonald

By Sandy Binning

Mark and Katina Montgomery, Jadon and Lindi are here visiting with Lindon and Diane Montgomery from Richmond. They are moving to Denver.

Kathy Banister attended the Anne

Hickert - Clint Grossman wedding in Bird City Saturday.

George, Kathy, and Debbie Banister helped with the CYO Fish Fry at church in Bird City.

Amy Torrey is back this week visiting her dad, Jim Banister.

SHOWTIME: 7:30 p.m.

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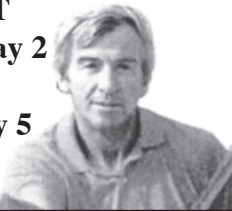
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