



‘CRUISE NIGHT’ in Bird City Diner parking lot, had over 20 new and antique cars line up on Saturday night.

Times staff photo by Linda Schneider

## Several cars show up for ‘Cruise Night’

The Bird City Diner, located on U.S. 36, was the place to be on Saturday night. It was the first of many nights that will be “Cruise Night” for a car show.

The event was coordinated by Dave Burns of Bird City. He has been active in many car events in the past including: the Tri-State

Antique Auto Club, the Great Plains Challenge, Kearney, Neb., and many drag races. It is clear that cars are his passion.

Over 20 new and antique cars and trucks showed up for opening of Cruise Night. Residents from around the area arrived to browse through the vehicles

in the Diner’s parking lot. The hoods were up, the doors open to everyone who wanted to look in, and each of the cars had its own story.

To top the evening off, the owners of Bird City Diner, Dennis and Linda Whitmore, picked the vehicle who would win a din-

ner from the Diner. They picked Rod and Beth Klepper’s 1947 green pickup.

Mr. Burns is hoping to make every second Saturday of the month a time where owners of antique and unique cars will be gathering for the sole purpose showing off their “babies.”

# Racers represent Cheyenne County

Mike Frewen, Kelly Frewen and Delbert Barnhart represented Cheyenne County at the County Challenge Race held in Atwood on July 4. The team collected a total of 1,272 points and placed third.

There were 15 women and 11 men from Sheridan, Rawlins and Cheyenne County involved in the race which began at 7:30 a.m. The event took place around

Lake Atwood. Madison Miller, representing Rawlins County, won the 4K women’s race with a time of 19:32.5. Luke Freiss of Sheridan County won the 8K men’s race with a time of 34:08.7.

M. Frewen had a time of 41:31.7; K. Frewen had a time of 48:49.0 and Barnhart ran the course in 54:27.0.

## Livestock program deadline is Friday

Angie Berens, county executive director of the Farm Service Agency announced that eligible livestock producers only have until July 18 to apply for benefits under the Livestock Compensation Program and Livestock Indemnity Program.

“We still have many producers who haven’t signed up for these programs yet,” stated Mrs. Berens.

The compensation program provides benefits to livestock producers for feed losses occurring between Jan. 1, 2005, and Dec. 31, 2007, due to a natural disaster, such as drought. Livestock producers must apply in the county where the livestock were physically located on Jan. 1, of the year of the disaster.

The indemnity program compensates livestock producers for livestock losses between January 1, 2005, and Dec. 31, 2007, which resulted from natural disaster, including losses due to blizzards that started in 2006 and continued into January 2007. Livestock producers must apply for this program in

their Farm Service Agency administrative county office where their farm records are maintained.

For these programs, producers incurring a loss in more than one of the 2005, 2006 or 2007 qualifying years will only earn benefits in one of those years.

“For additional information, contact our office at (785) 332-2183 before the July 18 deadline,” said Mrs. Berens. Interested producers can also access these and other program fact sheets on the web site, <http://www.fsa.usda.gov>; click on Fact Sheets.

### Bird City News

Wednesday dinner guests of Keith and Hulda Dorsch were Pastor Greg and Susan Moyer, Fred and LaVina Waters, Lynn and Rita Officer.



## McDonald News By Vera Kacirek

Reminder: Bring chairs or blankets for seating at the Ice Cream Social and Talent Show at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday, July 20, at the McDonald City Park.

Pastor Greg and Suzan Moyer appreciated all four of their boys coming home this past weekend to attend the Farewell Dinner and Reception for their parents.

Family members were Greg Moyer and friend, Tara Ashton, Durham, N.C., John Moyer of Overland Park, Nate Moyer and wife, Becca, of Wichita, and Josh Moyer of McDonald.

Joan Tongish and Betty Lewis spent Friday in Goodland.

Holly and Jade Yates of Springfield, Mo., and Hannah

Louderbaugh of Manhattan were weekend guests of their parents, George and Dixie Louderbaugh. They had come home to attend the farewell reception for Greg and Suzan Moyer.

Jerry and Betty Knapp were Friday supper guests of Lynn and Rita Officer. Jerry and Jackie Frisbie were Friday overnight guests of the Knapps.

Eleanor Swihart returned home this past week after spending two weeks visiting Steve and Julie Foster in Craig, Colo., and also Steve and Debbie Swihart and family of Westminster, Colo.

Kenny and Phyllis Wilkinson were Friday dinner guests of Rod, Lisa and Josh Johnson, and their house guest, Samantha Ofert.

On Monday evening, Bud and Helen Frisbie, Harold Courtright, Laddie and Vera Kacirek and Agnes Reeh enjoyed supper together at the Frosty Mug.

Grace and Tyler Sabatka were Tuesday lunch and afternoon visitors of Laddie and Vera Kacirek.

Around 90 members of the McDonald Federated Church enjoyed a farewell for Greg and Suzan Moyer and family on Sunday. They had a special service during the morning worship, which was filled with songs, many special memories, tears and laughter.

The church service was followed by a potluck dinner enjoyed by all. All of the Moyer family was back to take part in the day. Following the dinner, the church had an open house reception from 2 p.m. through 4 p.m. for the community. The Moyers will be greatly missed.

Submitted by, Shayla Hubbard, reporter

## South of McDonald

By Sandy Binning

Saturday overnight guests of Lynn and Rita Officer were Melissa and Randy Regier and family. Curtis, Kalynn, and Caleb Officer of Broken Arrow, Okla., also arrived with the Regiers.

Dennis and Debbie Dewey of Kansas City, Mo., were Thursday and Saturday overnight guests of Lynn and Rita Officer. They all attended the Moyer farewell in McDonald Sunday.

Kelly Dewey, Tayten and Tru, and Barb Morton were weekend guests of Kristina Springer and family in Manhattan.

On Thursday, Kelly Dewey and children and Barb Morton visited Billie Jones and family in Salina and Friday they visited grandma, Pat Polok in Hope.

George, Kathy, and Debbie Banister attended the Moyer open house Sunday afternoon in McDonald.

## Club Clip

### Beardsley Beavers 4-H Club

The Beardsley Beavers 4-H club met at the fair grounds Sunday evening for their tour and monthly meeting. They began the evening with a potluck dinner. After supper they had their monthly meeting.

President Lincoln Pochop called the meeting to order. The roll call was “What is Your Favorite Fair Project?” Fifteen members and one leader answered roll call.

The minutes were read and approved. A treasurer’s report was given. Two bills were approved to

pay. It was moved and seconded to give Terry Burns a gift certificate to the McDonald Grocery for the use of his trailer for selling fireworks.

There was no more business. The meeting was adjourned.

Following the meeting, the club watched videos of each member’s projects they were taking to the fair. When the videos were over, the club enjoyed a night of swimming at the pool.



SHARON HENDRICKS gives blood on a regular basis during the summer, when she is not teaching. The Blood Drive was held at the Bird City American Legion Hall.

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## Write-In Candidate Steven C. Orth

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Pol. adv paid for by Steven C. Orth for Judge, Barbara Ewing, Treasurer

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