



SAM MILLER, Vietnam veteran, raised the colors on Friday during the Flay Day ceremony. Assisting him was Sheri Jacobs.

Herald staff photo by Tim Burr



BONNIE CRAM'S grandchildren were into the music played during the Art Walk on Friday. Children, left to right, are Paige, Cora and Dawson DeGood; playing were Mike Slattery, Mrs. Cram (singing) and Ione Slattery.

Herald staff photo by Doug Sloper

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The cakes were served that night with the barbecue.

For the first time of having a decorated cake contest, I think it turned out well, said Brenda Hays, coordinator. We had enough to serve at the barbecue that evening. The kids also had a good time decorating cupcakes which were also served.

The Art Walk, sponsored by the Cheyenne Center for Creativity, was a success again as art was displayed and musicians played. It showed that there was a great deal of creativity and talent in the county.

The barbecue started at 6 p.m. There was also a beer garden which was closely watched to make sure all laws were followed. The com-

mittee had planned for 1,500 people and roughly 800 enjoyed barbecued beef, beans and corn on the cob. The leftover beef was auctioned off later that evening.

There was a dance scheduled Friday and Saturday evenings. There were brief rain storms both evenings. The strong wind blew over the disk jockey's tent on Friday evening and the dance was cut short. However, on Saturday evening, the music was able to continue and there was a large crowd enjoying the dance.

Saturday dawned early with the runners and walkers lining up for the color run-walk. Headed up by Jana LaBarge and Jeff Rhoden, 125 people registered.

It had been a cool spring so there were not many items at the Farmer's Market but the junior class was busy selling breakfast burritos. There was also a benefit bake sale at the Thrift Store. People were encouraged to visit the greenhouse recently purchased by the Community Garden organization.

The hospital staff hosted a bike rodeo which taught children the safety rules for biking. A grant had been received which purchased helmets, gloves and knee and elbow pads.

At the school, there was a car wash and the Touch-a-Truck display for children and adults. There were fire trucks, ambulances, road graders, earth movers and police vehicles present and kids had a great time climbing over and in as well as sounding the sirens.

The 125th activities ceased after 10 a.m. in respect to Lance and Melissa Owens who were getting married in the band shell.

The Historical Society hosted a brat feed at the museum and they served until they ran out. People

had the opportunity to view the museum and old church, which was also the location for the Sunday service.

At 11 a.m., the sand volleyball tournament began. Over 100 people participated and that didn't include the spectators.

That afternoon, the Poker Rumble ended and those winning gift cards at Pizza Hut were Gail Walz, Stephanie Meyer and William Wilburn. All had royal flushes.

Other winners included Allison Grice who won the \$100 in Animal Bingo and Aly Marin, who won the 50-50 drawing of \$250.

The annual alumni festivities began at 6 p.m. The gym was filled with former graduates, their spouses, teachers and others who had come to visit. Everyone appeared to still remember the words to the "Fight" song and stood when the Once Again Sound Band played.

Following the banquet, the beer garden opened and the music began. The street dance was well attended and everyone appeared to be having a great time.

I want to thank everyone who participated and supported the event, said Kary Meyer, one of the main coordinators of the 125 celebration. When I had the first planning meeting in November, I never envisioned such a celebration.

Everyone pitched in and helped where needed, she said, so the whole event went off smoothly.

Mrs. Meyer said that there are still a number of memorabilia items for sale.

I've already had people ask me if they can still make purchases, she said.

To buy a hat, T-shirt, cozies, cups, glasses, money clips and coins, call Kary at 785-332-5371 or Tammy Grice, 785-332-2910.

CONTEST

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second, and Shawna Blanka, third.

Rules of the contest

Rules are:
• Guess the day, hour and minute of the arrival of the first load that has a moisture content of 14 percent or less.

The contest allows anyone over 18 years who is not employed at the newspaper or related to someone who is to try to guess when the first load of wheat will be brought in to one of the elevators in Cheyenne County.

• The winners of last year's contest are not eligible to win this year.

• The scrip money won will need to be spent in participating businesses.

The Herald is sponsoring the contest but it would not be possible if it were not for the participating businesses: Pizza Hut, Majestic Service and Truck Stop, St. Francis Equity, Captain Hook's, and Western State Bank in St. Francis and The Bank in Bird City. Boxes and entry blanks along with the contest rules are located in these businesses.

Look for the sign in the window and register your guess at the counters. Be sure to check their merchandise and services while in the business and check their ads in this week's issues of The Herald and Times. The contest tentatively ends on June 28.



FIXING LUNCH at the Ronald McDonald House were Kattie Wurm, Penny Archibald, Taylor Archibald and Valerie Wurm.

Club members take toys to Denver

The Lawn Ridge 4-H Club members traveled to Denver on June 9 where they served the noon meal to 20 people staying in the Ronald McDonald House. The menu included shepard's pie, squash, watermelon and honeydew and homemade bread. For desert, they served banana cake and key-lime cake.

They also delivered four boxes of toys to the Ronald McDonald House as they were in need of toys. The 4-H'ers have been collecting

the toys for a year. Along with the toys, they also had pop tabs.

The 4-H'ers going to Denver were Taylor Archibald, Valerie

Wurm, Kattie Wurm and Bryce Raby. Parents accompanying them were Penny Archibald, Lynn Laten and Christy Wurm.

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