

Family



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Zimmerman

Couple marries in Park

Jayme Lynn Evans and Thomas Leroy Zimmerman were united in marriage on Jan. 5, 2008, at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Park, with Father Mitchel Zimmerman officiating.

Parents of the couple are Bryan and Terri Evans, Gove and Elmer and the late Yvonne Zimmerman, Hoxie.

Grandparents of the couple are Rex and Verda Albin and Leo and Eulalia Ochs all of Quinter and Larry and Bonnie Evans, Gove, and Jake and Helen Zimmerman from Grainfield.

The bride was escorted by her father.

Honor attendants were Lacey Evans and Ashley Evans, sisters of the bride. Denise Voth cousin of the bride and Danna Hockman friend of the couple were bridesmaids. Jenna Rose cousin of the bride was the junior attendant.

Best men were Norman Zimmerman and Rod Zimmerman brothers of the groom. Grooms-men were Chad Zimmerman brother of the groom and James Elling brother in law of the groom. Alex Zimmerman nephew of the groom was the junior attendant.

Flower girls were Kassy Middleton cousin of the bride and

Meghann Elling neice of the groom.

Ushers were Dylan Middleton Logan Middleton and Josh Middleton cousins of the bride and Tyler Geotz and Doug Cure friends of the couple.

Candlelighters were Brooke Evans and Katelyn Rose cousins of the bride.

Lectors were Kelsey Rose and Bailey Evans cousins of the bride. Servers were Luke and Jesse Ochs cousins of the groom.

Madison Zimmerman and Lynnsey Elling nieces of the groom were the gift bearers.

Sally Cameron was the organist and Karl Pratt was the vocalist both friends of the couple. Rod Zimmerman brother of the groom was also a vocalists.

The bride is a graduate of Quinter High School and a graduate of NCKTC as an LPN. She is employed by Hays Medical Center and works in the Operating Room.

The groom is a graduate of Hoxie High School and is employed as a Tech Lead at Nex-Tech in Hays.

After a honeymoon cruise to Jamaica, Cozmel and the Grand Cayman Islands the newlywed are at home in Hays.

Center to honor dads

The Colby Senior Progress Center will have a tribute to fathers at 11 a.m. June 13.

Monday, June 9 — director's surprise day

Tuesday, June 10 — 10 a.m. exercise; 11a.m. bingo.

Wednesday, June 11 — cookie day

Thursday, June 12 — 10 a.m., exercise, 10:30 a.m., dominos

Friday, June 13 — 10 a.m., exercise.

In addition to the regular activities, featured events include Ice-cream sodas, June 18; June birthday parties, June 25; and horseshoes, June 27.

The Thomas County Nutrition Center in Colby wants to invite those 60 and older, along with their guests, to attend daily luncheons in Colby, Monday through Friday. Reservations may be made by calling (785) 460-2901 the day before by noon.

Home delivery is also available for those unable to attend due to social or physical disabilities. We

also invite those working who would like to pick up a meal to order by noon the day before. Those meals are available at noon. For people over 60, the cost is \$2.50 and for those under 60, the cost is \$4.75 per meal.

The public transportation van is available and calls should be made after noon to (785) 443-9208.

The menu for June 9-13 is as follows:

- Monday — Spanish rice with hamburger, cook's choice vegetables, mandarin oranges, bread, pudding.
- Tuesday — Salisbury steak with gravy, au gratin potatoes, peas, bread, pears.
- Wednesday — Salmon patties with sauce, broccoli salad, apple-sauce, roll, cherry cobbler.
- Thursday — Liver and onions with gravy, parslied potatoes, green beans, bread, ambrosia fruit salad.
- Friday — Chicken fajita pasta salad, cantaloupe, tortilla chips, brownie.

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Area businesses honored

Thirty-seven northwest Kansas businesses were recognized today for contributions to their communities and the economy at the Kansas Department of Commerce's annual Kansas Business Appreciation Month (BAM) Northwest Regional Awards ceremony in Russell.

The event was the first of six regional BAM events to be held throughout June. At each ceremony, one company in each of three categories (Manufacturing/Distribution, Service and Retail) is awarded a Business Excellence Award, with remaining companies given a Business Achievement Award or a Merit Award.

The month concludes with the Kansas Cavalry Encampment in Emporia on June 17, where one Kansas company will receive the Governor's Award of Excellence, the top award given to a business by the State.

"We are thrilled to visit Russell and recognize the northwest Kansas businesses that make this state strong," said Commerce Secretary David Kerr. "By designating June as Business Appreciation Month, we foster a year-long appreciation for the crucial role our Kansas businesses play in the state's prosperity and quality of life."

This year's northwest awards are as follows:

Manufacturing/Distribution

Category Business Excellence Award Winner

Dessin Fournir Companies (Plainville)

Business Achievement Award

Winners

Mingo Custom Woods (Colby)

Royal Drilling (Russell)

Merit Award Winners

Big Oil (Ellis)

Heartland Hay (Lucas)

Service Category

Business Excellence Award

Winner

Rural Telephone Service Co., Inc. (Lenora) [Governor's Award of Excellence Finalist]

Business Achievement Award

Winner

Eagle Communications (Hays)

Hays Medical Center (Hays)

Merit Award Winners

Allied Cementing Company (Russell)

Angel Accounting, LLC (Norton)

Fotogirl Photography, Inc. (Colby)

Golden Living Center of Lucas (Lucas)

JoAnn's Accounting and Consulting Services (Phillipsburg)

Leach & Naegele, Inc. (Lucas)

Little Rooster DayCare, Inc. (Palco)

Pohlman-Varner-Peeler Mortuary and Monuments (Russell)

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United Ag Service (Lucas)

Retail Category

Business Excellence Award

Winner

Family Health Mart (Smith Center)

Business Achievement Award

Winner

Webster's Supermarket (Stockton)

Merit Award Winners

Bakery Shop and Catering (Hays)

Bob's, Inc. (Downs)

Brant's Meat Market (Lucas)

Briar Ridge Floral and Gifts (Smith Center)

Cheyenne Bowl/Dairy King (St. Francis)

Hometown Food Center (Ellis)

Linda's Café (Lucas)

Logan Hardware (Logan)

Pure Prairie Natural Foods (Norton)

Sportsman's Corner, Inc. (Russell)

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