

# OBITUARIES

## Chris Ervin Kuhlman

Aug. 8, 1968 - May 21, 2012

Chris Ervin Kuhlman was born Aug. 8, 1968 in Newton, the son of Ervin and Florence (Lohman) Kuhlman. He passed away Monday, May 21, 2012 at the Decatur County Hospital in Oberlin at the age of 43.

Chris was raised in Halstead until 1973 when his family moved to Lenora. He graduated from Lenora High School and Goodland Vo-Tech School, earning degrees in Auto Body and Electronics Technology.

In 1990, his family moved to Oberlin where they operated Kuhlman Retail Liquor. Chris worked with his parents for a time, running the liquor store, installing windshields and rebuilding wrecked vehicles. He later worked recycling scrap metal. He also drove a school bus for several years.

On Dec. 28, 2008, Chris was united in marriage to Windy Sue Farr at the United Methodist Church in Oberlin where they made their home. They are the parents of three sons.

Chris loved his wife and boys with all of his heart and enjoyed spending time with his family. Playing baseball with his boys was a favorite activity of his.

Chris always had an interest in cars and motorcycles. He drove the family's Pontiac Catalina in his first demolition derby the night before turning

18. Chris liked to attend car races, as long as it was not too hot or windy! He was fond of Harley Davidson motorcycles and told Windy he would get one someday that was pearl white since that was her favorite color.

He is survived by his wife, Windy, of Oberlin; father, Ervin Kuhlman, of Oberlin; three sons, Jack Lee Farr, Antonio "Tony" Kuhlman and Dillon Kuhlman, all of the home; three sisters, Marsha Kuhlman-Nixon, of Smith Center, Connie and Keven Strutt, of Hays, and Michelle Reichard, of Lansing; six nephews, Shawn and Bryan Strutt, Justin and Joshua Nixon, Mathew Reichard, and Daxton Farr; three nieces, Maggie, Jaymie and Jayden Purdy; other relatives and many friends.

Chris was preceded in death by his mother on April 4, 2012 and brother-in-law, Joseph Nixon on Dec. 13, 2011.

A funeral service celebrating the life of Chris "Coolly" Kuhlman will be held on Saturday, May 26 at 10:30 a.m. at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin with the Reverend Gene Gee officiating. Interment will be at Oberlin Cemetery.

Contributions can be made to the Chris Kuhlman Memorial Fund.

Arrangements made by Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin.

## Engagement announcement

Andrew Otto and Courtney Cox are engaged to be married on June 16, 2012 on the Ottawa University Campus in Ottawa.

Parents of the groom-to-be are Bernard and Lisa Otto of Drexel, Mo., and parents of the bride-to-be are Clark and Peggy Cox of Norton.

Grandparents of the groom-to-be are Mary Beth Otto of McCune and Marjorie Benedict of Frontenac.

Grandparents of the bride-to-be are Conrad and Roxanne Cox of Long Island and I.W. and Margaret Thomas of Norton.

Courtney graduated from Norton Community High School in 2008 and from Ottawa University in 2012 with a degree in biology. She plans on continuing her education at the University of Kansas School of Pharmacy in the fall.

Andrew graduated from Drexel High School in Drexel, Mo. in 2006 and from Ot-



tawa University in 2010 with a degree in English with an emphasis in education. He is currently working as an enrollment advisor for Ottawa

University's online program. He will be continuing his education at Ottawa University's School of Business in the M.B.A. program in the fall.

## BIRTH



Landon and Layton Werner announce the arrival of their baby sister, Brielle LeeAnn Werner.

Brielle was born to Shanea Wyatt and Tim Werner on April 30, 2012 at 11:50 a.m., weighing seven pounds and one-half ounce. She was 19 inches long.

She is the first grandchild of

Randy Werner of Phillipsburg and Lorraine Werner and fiancé Mickey Henderson of Salina. She is the third grandchild of Donovan and Debb Wallgren of Phillipsburg and the sixth grandchild of Shane and LeAnn Wyatt of Norton. Also welcoming Brielle are Uncle Kyle, Uncle Brett and Aunt Lauren.

## SENIOR CENTER

### Norton Senior Center Menu

Friday, June 1- Ham and beans, heavenly hash, cornbread and cook's choice complement.

Monday, June 4- Steak fingers, mashed potatoes/gravy, mixed vegetables, bread and mixed fruit.

Tuesday, June 5- Meat loaf, creamed potatoes, peas, bread and fruit crisp.

Wednesday, June 6- Turkey ala king, corn, orange and pineapple salad, biscuit and spice cake.

Thursday, June 7- Liver and onions in gravy, parslid potatoes, winter mix vegetables, bread and cook's choice fruit.

Friday, June 8- Pork cutlet, coleslaw w/carrots, tomatoes and cucumbers, bun and baked apple slices.

Monday, June 11- Polish sausage w/sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, glazed carrots, bread and pears.

Tuesday, June 12- Taco salad, tropical fruit, chips and fruit cobbler.

Wednesday, June 13- Oven baked chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, cook's choice vegetables, bread and apricots.

Thursday, June 14- Chopstick tuna casserole, peas, 5 cup salad, bread and pudding.

Friday, June 15- Ground beef stroganoff, Italian blend vegetables, plums, noodles and cookie.

Monday, June 18- Sloppy Joe's, O'Brien potatoes, corn, bun and applesauce.

Tuesday, June 19- Pork roast, mashed potatoes w/gravy, parsley buttered carrots, bread and gelatin w/ fruit.

Wednesday, June 20- Crispy chicken salad, strawberries and bananas, bread sticks and bar cookie.

Thursday, June 21- Waikiki meat balls, broccoli, peaches, rice and birthday cake.

Friday, June 22- Baked spaghetti, green beans, cantaloupe, garlic bread, cook's choice complement.

Monday, June 25- Hamburger, potato salad, baked beans, bun and watermelon.

Tuesday, June 26- Ham, saucy sweet potatoes, cottage cheese salad, bread and mixed fruit.

Wednesday, June 27- Country fried beef steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, California blend vegetables, bread and gelatin w/ fruit.

Thursday, June 28- Cook's choice entree, Potatoes Romanoff, peas, bread and Ambrosia fruit salad.

Friday, June 29- Baked fish, macaroni and cheese, tomato and cucumbers, bread and pears.

Requested contribution: \$3 per meal. Guest under 60 must pay full cost of the meal, which is \$5.50 at the site and \$5.75 for home delivery.

## Agriculture department hosting a photo contest through June 30

The Kansas Department of Agriculture is hosting a photo contest through June 30. The department is asking Kansans to submit photographs that display all aspects of Kansas agriculture, from the scenic landscapes and livestock to the machinery and small to large-scale agriculture facilities.

The department is not only looking for scenic photos but also pictures of Kansas agriculture at work. Examples include crops and machinery in the field, feed yards, people working livestock, feed mills, processing plants, crop harvesting and other agriculture businesses and activities.

The categories for the competition are youth, adult, professional and department employees. The youth category is open to individuals who were 18 years old or younger on Jan. 1, 2012. Individuals aged 19 and older as of Jan. 1, 2012 fill the adult category unless they are a professional photographer. A professional is someone who makes a substantial amount of their living taking photographs.

The photographer of the winning photo in each category will receive \$100 gift cards. Photographers of the runner-up photos in each category will receive \$50 gift cards. Individuals may submit more than one photo if they desire to do so.

Contest entries will be used on international trips to give people around the world an idea of what Kansas agriculture looks like. The photos will also be used on the www.ksda.gov website, in publications, on social media and shared with other Kansas agriculture groups.

Photo entries should be sent in .jpg format to PhotoContest@kda.ks.gov. Entries should include:

- A title and brief description of each photo
- When and where the photo was taken
- Photographer's full name
- Photographer category (youth/

adult/professional or department employee)

Hometown

Email address

Alternatively, discs containing photo files and accompanied by all of the required information may be mailed or hand-delivered to

Kansas Department of Agriculture  
Attn.: Communications  
109 SW 9th St., 4th Floor  
Topeka, KS 66612

Photos must be submitted no later than midnight on Saturday, June 30. Winners will be announced by July 31.

In submitting photos, the photographer gives the Kansas Department of Agriculture permission to use them in any publications, social media, websites, displays and other places without payment or other consideration. Additionally, by submitting a photo that includes human subjects, the photographer is indicating they have obtained full permission from those subjects for the photograph to be used in these manners as well.

For more information about the competition, contact Communications Director Chelsea Good at chelsea.good@kda.ks.gov or 785-296-2653.

**WATER AEROBICS CLASSES**  
to be offered by Norton County Hospital's  
**Physical Therapy Department**  
Norton Municipal Swimming Pool  
Tuesdays and Thursdays, Weather Permitting,  
**JUNE 12 THROUGH AUGUST 2**  
Low Impact Classes: 5:00-5:30 p.m.  
High Impact Classes: 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
\$25.00 Paid First Night of Class at the Pool  
• NO EARLY REGISTRATION REQUIRED •



May 25-  
May 30

Showing at the  
**NORTON THEATRE**  
**Men in Black 3**  
(PG-13) 1 Hour, 54 Minutes - Presented in Digital Sound  
Friday and Saturday: 7:00 and 9:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 2:00 and 5:00 p.m.  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.  
**The Lucky One**  
1 Hour, 49 Minutes (PG-13)

Let's Go to the Movie

Men in Black 3 is premiere passes only; The Lucky One all passes accepted

Men in Black 3 is Premiere Admission Price of \$7.00 and \$6.00 - No Sunday Discount  
The Lucky One is General Admission Price of \$6.00 and \$5.00 - \$3.00 on Sunday

**COMING SOON**  
**THE THREE STOOGES (PG)**  
Visit our Website: nortontheatre.com

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### Duplicate Bridge

There were three tables for Duplicate Bridge played Wednesday night at Norton Manor. First place went to David Graham and Janice Persinger and second place went to Myron Veh and Norman Nelson.



## Different Eras, Different Duties, One Mission The Preservation of Freedom

From the American Civil War to Operation Iraqi Freedom, so many have made the ultimate sacrifice. On May 28, 2012, we honor those men and women who have served our country for the preservation of freedom.

Their courage and sacrifice leave a legacy of freedom and hope.

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## Sign-up for cost share programs ends on May 31

Sign-up for cost sharing of conservation practices will be through May 31.

Practices eligible for cost share in the Water Resources Program will include terraces, waterways, diversions, range seeding, critical area seeding, livestock wells, livestock pipelines, dry pit ponds, solar pumps, field windbreaks and feedlot windbreaks.

The district will also cost share on such items as the plugging of abandoned wells and replacing

failing septic systems.

Operations of existing confined feedlots may apply for cost share for practices that control feedlot runoff. Cost share may be used for waste pits, fencing around the pit, diversions and piping. Eligibility also applies where conditions require a facility to be moved.

To apply or for more information, contact the Norton County Conservation District at 11506 Pineview Dr. or call 785-877-2623, ext. 40.