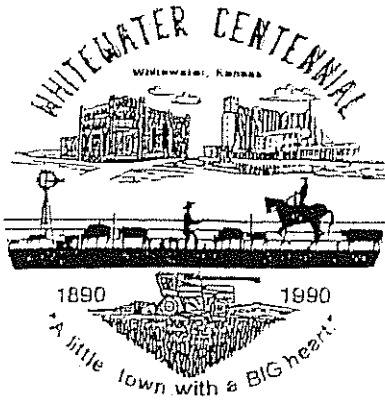




Whitewater Community Newsletter January, 2007

Council Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Building and are open to the public.

Mayor: Patrick Ryan, **Council Members:** Mike Brown, Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynold, and Larry Wiebe

November 27, 2006

Larry Wiebe (Annabell Hephner) moved to approve the consent calendar. The minutes were approved as written.

Replacement of some of the downtown sidewalk was discussed. The possibility of receiving grant money to use for the proposed work will be looked into.

Darryl Claassen asked about the lights on the fire station. This will be looked into and resolved.

Dr. Michael Claassen was present to invite the council to his open house on Dec. 7, 2006.

Dan Ravenscraft (Annabell Hephner) moved to continue to use the El Dorado Times as the official city newspaper. Motion carried.

Larry Wiebe (Annabell Hephner) moved to continue the Bank of Whitewater as the bank for the City of Whitewater. Motion carried.

Annabell Hephner (Bill Reynolds) moved to accept those presented to fill various board vacancies. Motion carried.

The recent thefts were discussed. Various options were presented. The possibility of having reserves help will be looked into. Grants to help with security will also be studied.

It was reported that maintenance on the water tower was completed.

The court docket for November was presented. Annabell Hephner (Bill Reynolds) moved to accept the expenditures presented. Motion carried.

The demolition business on North Main was discussed. A letter will be sent from the City Attorney advising them that the area around their business needs to be cleaned up.

A request for a back door in the city clerk's office was presented. The request was granted.

Annabell Hephner stated that she will be developing a plan for a possible use of the property at 109 South Main.

Employee reviews, raises, and insurance benefit were discussed next.

Bill Reynolds (Annabell Hephner) moved to adjourn at 8:20 p.m. Motion carried.

Recycling Trailer Schedule

(Scout House Parking Lot)

JANUARY 17TH &

FEBRUARY 7TH

AFTER 10 A.M.



WHITEWATER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

WWAC met Dec. 20th at the Whitewater Cafe. It was reported the security cameras are working. We discussed trying to get a local grocery store. We also discussed city and school board elections plus our annual business meeting Jan. 17th. Breakfast will be paid for by the Chamber for all those who attend. Election of officers will be held.

NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

North Butler 4-H had it's December meeting c Monday the 11th at 7:00 p.m. at the Federated Church in Whitewater.

For roll call we answered "For Christmas I Do Want...!"

Meghan Nipper started our program with the group singing "Joy to the World."

Project talks or demonstrations were given by Shane Wallace, Olivia Wallace and Emily Toevs

Recreation was our Christmas gift exchange. We also collected food for the local food bank. North Butler 4-H club's next meeting will be on January 8th, 2007.

Submitted by: Olivia Wallace
North BUTler News Reporter

Thank you to whoever hit my truck at the Berean/Remington game on Dec. 15, 2006.

It was really nice to come out and find the side of the truck dented in and no note as to who had done this.

I appreciate having to spend \$500.000 (deductible) to get it fixed and just wanted to let you know, you made the holiday special for us.

If you have any information about this you could contact me and let me know. Thank you again, Carol Price 799-2906.

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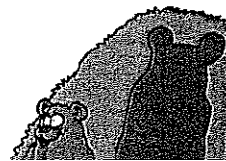
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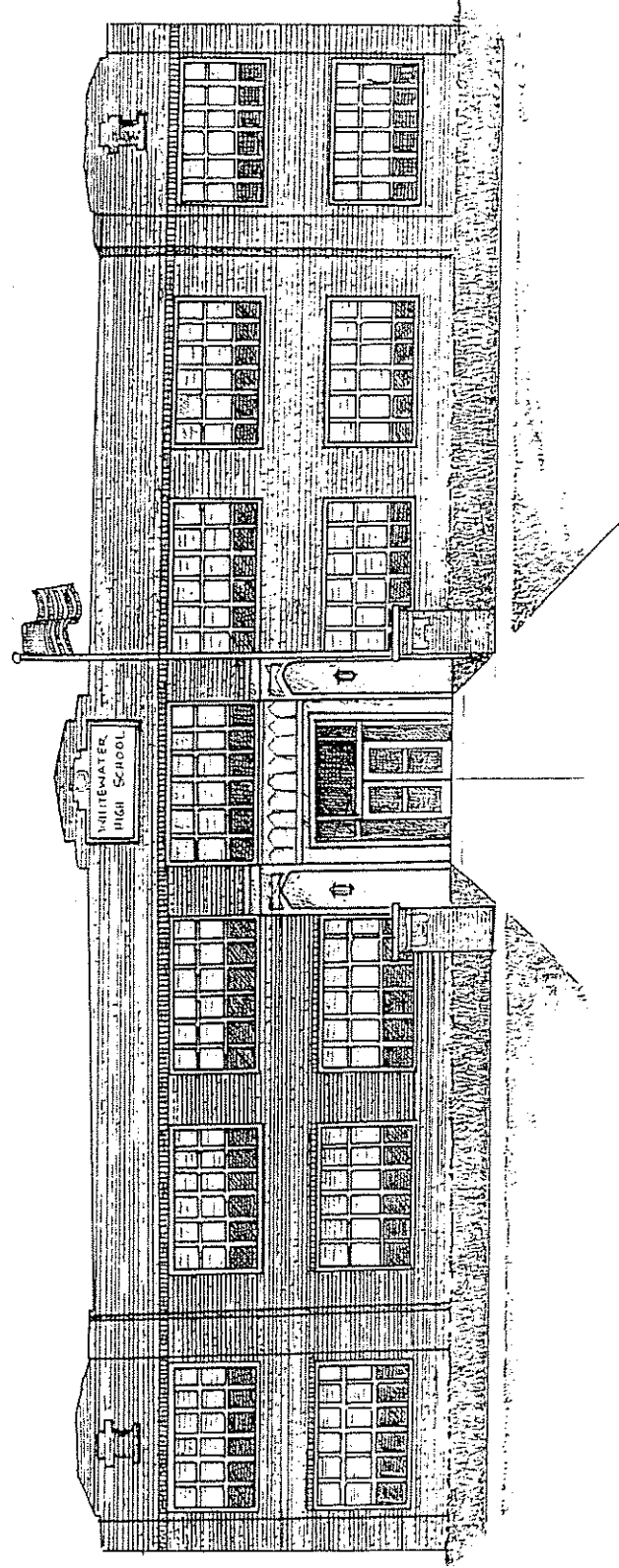
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Samantha Claassen
Jessica DeBaun
Ellen Mosiman
Melinda Regehr
Paul Schmitz

7TH GRADE:

Emily Berger
Josiah Carey
Kerri Glover
Mandy McNeill

6TH GRADE:

Katrina Carey
Cole Claassen
Grant Claassen
Rose Dollarhide
Caitlin McKaughan
Nicole Minder
Harley Reeves
Katrina Regehr

5TH GRADE:

Rachelle Claassen
Brendon Entz
Emma Hilgenfeld

**PRINCIPAL'S HONOR
ROLL - A'S AND NO
MORE THAN 2 B'S**

8TH GRADE:

Trent Bartlett
Hannah Erdman
Sarah Gardner
Leslie Langley
Becca Macy
Andrew Snider
Cisco Soto
Morgan Tribble

7TH GRADE:

Hannah Brown
Chelsea Coats
Jessi Green
Kevin Nash
Katie Thiessen
Tim Wedel

6TH GRADE:

Lindsay Bevan
Kolby Burns
Abby Holliday
Paul Janzen
Will Johnson
Addie Mosiman
Sara Mosiman
Emily Raines
Kyle Regier
Monte Ross
Stacia Thunberg

5TH GRADE:

Madison Janzen
Austin Miller
Audrey Orr

**RED AND WHITE
HONOR ROLL - A'S
AND B'S**

8TH GRADE:

Victoria Carr
Alex Freking
Jake Green
David Janzen
Josh Lago
Ben Longden
Victoria Martling
Nick Newfer
Briana Thiessen
Cori Thunberg

7TH GRADE:

Nick Black
Caleb Cherryholmes
Courtney Foudray
Isabel Guerrero
Eric Janzen
Elise Toevs
Olivia Wallace

6TH GRADE:

Holly Allmond
Ashley Bain
Desi Hays
Hunter Nolan
Elena Soto

5TH GRADE:

Britton Grinstead
Alyssa Hinz
Cody Jacks

PTO Carnival



Carnival Volunteers Needed!



Come join the fun! The PTO is currently looking for volunteers to help plan, coordinate and staff the Bi-Annual PTO Carnival on April 13, 2007.

In April 2005, the Carnival raised over \$11,000 to benefit the students of RMS and RES. Together we can make this carnival an even bigger success! For more information please contact, Chantale Entz, PTO President, at 799-2853.

H2O for PTO

Parched? Grab a bottle of Nestlé® Pure Life® Purified Water and quench your thirst while providing sports gear for RES & RMS.

Here is how it works.

- Drink Nestlé® Pure Life® Bottled Water products and save the labels from the bottles. You can choose from any Nestlé® Pure Life® Purified Water and Nestlé® Pure Life® Natural Fruit Flavored Water Beverages.
- Deposit the labels in the official Go Play! collection boxes at the registered school.

RES & RMS have been entered to win a \$75,000 playground from Nestlé® Pure Life.



SCHEDULE

January 20, 2007
February 17, 2007

March 3, 17, 2007
April 7, 21, 2007

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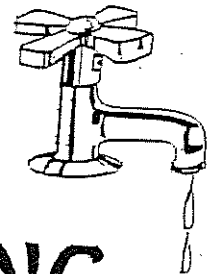
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Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30—noon

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Director: Jean Thiessen
Youth Services Coordinator: Julie Mosiman
Administrative Assistant: Gaytha Bolton

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Secretary: Wes Hansen
Treasurer: Cindy Roth
Member: Bill Reynolds

2006: A Snapshot

When I decided to do a *short* year-end report for 2006 in the newsletter I had no idea it would be so mind boggling. This is it in a nutshell.

Saturday hours were added in April and will continue because of steady attendance.

Record numbers of children participated in Story Time. More readers *completed* Summer Reading Club than *signed up* in 1999.

The library submitted three grants and was awarded two: a Smart Start grant for children's software and a computer cabinet and

a matching grant from the South Central Kansas Library System for a youth computer.

Two new computers and new shelving were added.

Circulation of adult and children's items increased 22%.

Number of patrons using the library increased 17%.

The Friends of the library hosted "An Evening of Poetry" in April. Library fundraisers included a Garden Tour in May, book sale at the Fall Festival and a Trivia Party in October.

Did you know . . .

that the Friends of the Library invite all poetry writers and/or readers to celebrate **National Poetry Month** at the library in April?

If you write or read poetry and are a middle school or older child or an adult that would like to participate in the second annual "**Evening of Poetry**" on Tuesday, April 17, at 7:00 pm, please call the library, 799-2471, or email whitelib@sbcglobal.net

The poetry reading is free, open to the public and lots of fun!

Kansas Traveler is Free!

If you are wondering where to go on your next day trip, look no further than the library.

The Kansas Traveler, a free publication, comes

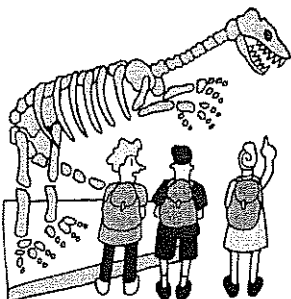
stories and photos of interesting sights and events in Kansas.

Each issue contains a statewide calendar of events, a children's sec-

The Winter 2007 issue includes stories about junior college basketball, old barns, hunting, Symphony on the Prairie and Eleanors, to name a few.

In case you missed Part 1 of this article last month, grab your calendar. On Monday, February 19, 2007, write "The World is Coming!" and get set to come to the library for a real treat.

Beginning that day, and for about a month thereafter, you have the unique opportunity to see real artifacts from the Museum of World Treasures without leaving your community.



The Museum of World Treasures in Wichita is one of the most interesting and exciting museums in America. It is home to a \$50 million collection of antiquities, including one of only four battling dinosaur exhibits in the world, an original draft of the Emancipation Proclamation signed by Lincoln, and an extensive collection of ancient art and artifacts.

New to the collection is a Nazi flag

captured after the Normandy invasion and related photos and artifacts.

Beginning March 3, 2007, the Women's Football Hall of Fame will display its Independent Women's Football League memorabilia at the museum.

A rare doll traveling exhibit is at the museum until March 2. It includes a Shirley Temple look-alike, two 19th century pieces and much more.

See www.worldtreasures.org for more information.

Rotating Collections Add Spice

Many of our readers look forward to the books that are brought to the library during the year by two different organizations.

Each month 50 large print books arrive from Bradford Memorial Library in El Dorado.



Six times a year the South Central Kansas Library System brings 170 or so books, tapes and CDs for all ages.

These collections give readers a fresh, non-static supply of reading material.

Check it out!

Story Time

At the library on Mondays
10:00 am

January 22

February 12 & 26

March 12 & 26

April 16 & 30

May 14

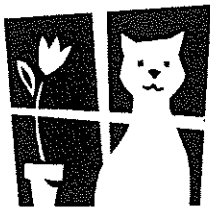
Bargain Buys For Us = Good Reads For You

By taking advantage of the reduced book prices during the Book Warehouse closing sale, we were able to add a plethora of new titles to the library's collection.

lar print, non-fiction and fiction. An abbreviated list follows.

- Frank Lloyd Wright Glass
- Like No Other Time

- The Mantle of the Prophet
- Never Change
- Sons of Fortune
- Decipher
- The Last White Knight
- The Queenmaker



ANIMAL CLINIC

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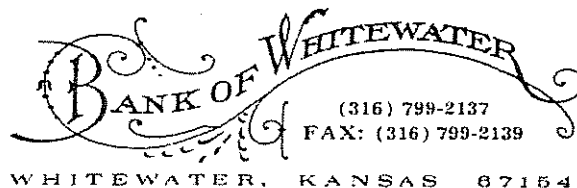
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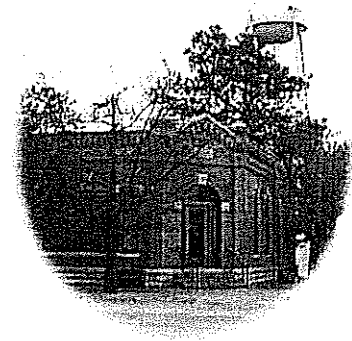
APRIL 10TH - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)



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Making the yellow brick road safer for seniors.

The Kansas Yellow Dot Program is sponsored by the Kansas Department on Aging.

Did you know?

Kansas Department of Transportation reports (2004) that there were 19,147 vehicle accidents involving senior citizens 55 and older. Of these accidents, 4,577 were injury accidents and 141 were fatalities.

What it is

The Kansas Yellow Dot in the back windshield of the recipient's vehicle signifies that there is medical information stored in the glove compartment. In the event of an accident, or the recipient is unable to speak emergency personnel/first responders will have a brief description of medical needs and emergency contacts. Law enforcement, Fire departments, EMS/Ambulance services and hospitals all over the State of Kansas have been alerted to watch for the Kansas Yellow Dot.

How it works

The Kansas Yellow Dot kit contains instructions, medical information form, a self adhesive sticker and a bright yellow envelope. The recipient fills out the medical information form and attaches a recent photograph to the outside of the envelope. The envelope/information is placed in the recipient's glove box. The sticker is placed on the outside of the windshield on the lower rear driver's side window.

Who can get one?

The Kansas Yellow Dot Program is for Kansas seniors aged 55+. The kits are FREE.

Kansas Yellow Dot Distribution Sites:

These kits are available at the City Building in Whitewater.

If you have any questions contact:

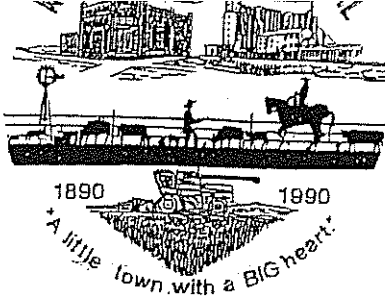
**Melody Gault, Director
Butler County RSVP
Butler County Dept. on Aging
510 East Augusta**

To All Padgett & Associates Inc. Clients

Padgett & Associates, Inc. one of the first mortgage brokers licensed in the state of Kansas merged business operations 12-21-05 with New Century Bank National Association. The company in name no longer exists effective January 1, 2006 and now is the mortgage department of the bank. Padgett & Associates, Inc. had the privilege of placing home loans for over 1800 families the past 14 years in Butler, Harvey, & Sedgwick counties as well as other counties across the state. We are still committed to servicing those clients. The innovative first time homebuyers programs with FHA, VA, and all conventional loans with Fannie Mae & Freddie Mac are still available. As part of a National chartered bank we can now offer services to families in all 50 states. Clifton Padgett is now located in Manhattan on a daily basis. We are still active in placing loans in Butler, Harvey, and Sedgwick counties as well as doing new construction loans state wide. Service has always been priority one and this move will enhance that even more. Clifton can still be reached at (316) 320-9119 or at our toll free line at the main bank (888) 235-7976. Our direct line to the Manhattan Loan Production Office is (785) 532-9066. We have enjoyed living in the Whitewater area since June of 1987. The opportunity to return to my home town and live in our second home in the Kansas flint hills at our Chapman ranch was a major reason for the move. Clifton and Pauline still have the Whitewater residence. Our son is attending Butler J.C. in El Dorado so part of each month is still spent in the area. Call if I can be of assistance in your next home purchase or refinance.

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December 11, 2006

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Officer Baker has contacted the Reserve Officers to see if they would be able to provide additional support when needed.

Bill Reynolds (Larry Wiebe) moved to install a second door in the city office. Motion carried.

The December Court docket was presented.

Larry Wiebe (Bill Reynolds) moved to accept the expenditures as presented. Motion carried.

The League of Kansas Municipalities has been contacted regarding the possibility of hiring a night watchman. Issues of liability as well as insurance will be looked into as well.

Various ideas regarding the reopening of the grocery store were discussed. Mr. Reynolds stated that he had someone that he could contact regarding the idea of having it opened with a coop idea.

Annabell Hephner (Bill Reynolds) moved to ac-



Recycling Trailer Schedule
(Scout House Parking Lot)

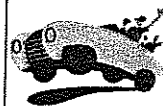
FEBRUARY 21ST &

MARCH 7TH

AFTER 10 A.M.

WHITEWATER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The WWACC met Jan. 17, 2007. Officers for 2007 are: president Mark Annen, vice president Vicki Meyersick, treasurer Don Patry and board of directors Dr. Mike Claassen, Perry Owen, and Debbie Regier. The security cameras have helped in solving some burglaries and signs have been posted at the entries to town. Other issues discussed were a grocery/convenience store, wellness plan/center, community forum, city and school board elections. Our next meeting will be Feb. 21st at 7 a.m. at the Whitewater Cafe.



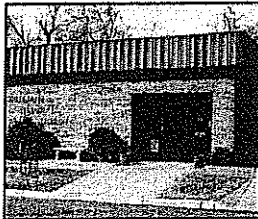
CAR WASH

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Whitewater Memorial Library News

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Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm
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Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30—noon

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Administrative Assistant: Gaytha Bolton

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Secretary: Wes Hansen
Treasurer: Cindy Roth

World Treasures Exhibit Here Friday, February 16 Historic Presentation Saturday, February 17

This article is the third and final piece in "The World is Coming" Series.

It is finally time for the Museum of World Treasures Exhibit to arrive at the library.

******Please note the date change!******

Friday, February 16, around noon a moving van will unload the display case and artifacts that will be at the library for approximately a month.

The exhibit will include a variety of artifacts from the Museum of World Treasures

in Wichita, including a Nazi flag captured after the Normandy invasion and the Colt revolver carried by Frank James of the infamous James gang.

Lon Smith, the museum's Director of Sales and Marketing, will describe the artifacts in a special presentation on **Saturday, February 17, at 10:30 am** at the library. His presentation "covers our founders as white collar criminals, a reenactment of the duel between

Aaron Burr and Alexander Hamilton utilizing actual flint lock pistols, a demonstration of the loading and use of an 1851 Colt revolver...and the telling of a wonderful story about a Nazi flag captured and signed by WWII American war heroes," according to La Wanda Smith, Director of Collections for the museum.

If seeing this exhibit whets your appetite to see more, the museum is located at 835 East 1st Street North in Wichita.

Pancake Feed "Leftovers" at the Library!

Several jackets were left hanging at the American Legion Groundhog/Pancake

- Red Plaid Pendleton
- Green Windbreaker
- Navy Windbreaker

We are happy to provide this service. However, any unclaimed jackets will

"An Evening of Poetry" Set for April

You don't have to sport a beard, wear a funny hat or write your own poetry to participate in the second annual National Poetry Month celebration at the library.

Even if you just read or listen to poetry, you will enjoy this event hosted by the Friends of the Library on Tuesday, February 17, at 7:00 pm.

In 2006, Darryl Claassen read some of his personal compositions at the first annual



Whitman

"Evening of Poetry". He was joined by Pat Regier and his affable sidekick, Friends president Gayle March and students from Berean and Remington.

If you are an adult or middle school or older student who would like to participate in this poetry reading, please

contact the library with your name, phone number and selected poem title.

You can wear a funny hat and beard if you want to!

Items For Sale

For the bargain basement price of \$10, you may own a color print cartridge that fits a number of Lexmark, Compaq and Samsung printers. See at the circulation desk.

A brand new hardback copy of "The Evangelist" by Lewis A. Drummond can be bought

for a mere \$5. This is the story of the worldwide impact of one of the best known and most respected people in the world, Billy Graham. It includes a Historic Collector's CD containing audio and video highlights from six decades of preaching. Ask a librarian.

What's New, Pussycat?

A very popular series of fiction books about cats is moving into its third series.

Three" series is coming very soon. Its pre-publication title is "The Sight."

The "Warriors" series and the "Warriors, the New Prophecy" series are available at the library.

Save the Date!

⇒ Monday, Feb. 12 - 10 am

Story Time

⇒ Friday, Feb. 16

World Treasures Exhibit Opens

⇒ Saturday, Feb. 17 - 10:30 am

World Treasures Historic Presentation

⇒ Monday, Feb. 26 - 10 am

Story Time

⇒ Monday, Mar. 12 - 10 am

Story Time

⇒ Monday, Mar. 26 - 10 am

Story Time

⇒ Saturday, Mar. 31

Poetry Entry Deadline

⇒ Monday, Apr. 16 - 10 am

Story Time

⇒ Tuesday, Apr. 17—7 pm

An Evening of Poetry

Don't forget your Sweetheart!

Valentines Day

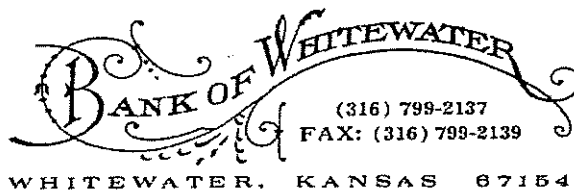
Wednesday, Feb 14th

Flowers, Candy, Gifts, Balloons

The Victorian Rose

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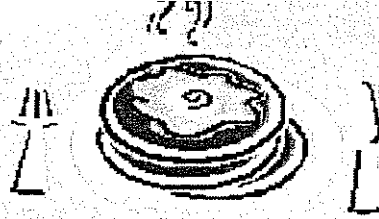


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The Elbing Pride Committee will host a community-wide Pancake Breakfast Saturday, March 10, 2007 from 7:30 - 10:30 a.m., at the Berean Academy cafeteria in Elbing, Kansas. Everyone is welcome.

Included on the menu are pankcakes, sausage, juice and coffee (all you can eat). Sugar-free syrup will be available. \$5.00 per adult, \$3.00 for children 7 - 12 years of age, and \$1.00 for children 6 and under. Proceeds will benefit the Elbing Pride program projects.

Whitewater Cafe



799-1904

Feb. 14th, 2007

Valentine Dinner

5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

8 oz. Bacon Wrapped Pork Chops Fillet

or

Pan Fried Chicken

with all the trimmings

Call For More Information



Save the Date

It's a Party!!

Freaky Friday Carnival

April 13, 2007

RHS GYM

Fun begins @ 5:30pm

Food--- Spaghetti, Italian Salad and Bread Dinner, Ice Cream Bar

Entertainment---Live Auction, ATV Raffle, Balloon Artist Dan Warren

Games--- Car Smash, Inflatable Slide, Moonwalk, Contests of Skill and Chance

FREAKY FRIDAY CARNIVAL

April 13th, 6-9pm, Remington High School Gym

A \$5.00 Donation Enters You in a Chance Drawing for this

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Bayou
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Winner responsible for sales tax
Winner announced at Carnival
Need not be present to win
Must be 16 to enter

Tickets available at:
Remington Elementary School
Remington Middle School

Don't Miss This Evening of FAMILY FUN

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NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

On Monday, January 8th 2007, North Butler 4-H Club started off a new year with 22 members being present and answering roll call with "my favorite breakfast food is..."

After the roll call Shane Wallace led us in a song called "On Top of Spaghetti."

Kyle Thiessen told us about the pig he will be taking to this year's fair and showed us a picture of the possible mother and told when her piglets should be born.

The good and bad kinds of goat fencing was a presentation shared by Eric Toevs.

How to make a belt in leatherscraft was shown to us by Arlen Newby.

After Arlen, Kaci Thiessen entertained us by playing "Salute and Armor" on her oboe.

Grant Claassen led recreation with a balloon war. All the participants helped clean up afterwards.

Refreshments were provided by the families of Russ and Gail Toevs and Chris and Amy Motter.

Submitted by: Olivia Wallace
North Butler News Reporter

WHITEWATER LIONS CLUB
7TH ANNUAL
CHILI AND SOUP SUPPER
SATURDAY MARCH 10
2:00 pm til 7:00 pm
WHITEWATER CAFE
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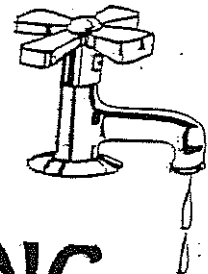
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Whitewater Café

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Learn how to WIN the fight against health challenges, strengthen and support all the systems of your body, and help others do the same. Join us in promoting dynamic health-centered lifestyles and in sharing that success with others.

Meeting is *free* to all attendees

SCHEDULE

February 17, 2007

March 3, 17, 2007

April 7, 21, 2007

DOORS OPEN AT 6 P.M.
AUXILIARY SNACK BAR OPENS AT 6 P.M.
BINGO GAMES START AT 7 P.M.

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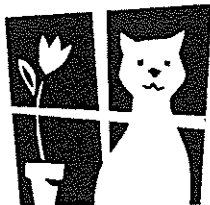
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11360 NW MEADOWLARK ROAD

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AND WILL BE GOOD THROUGH MAY 31, 2008.

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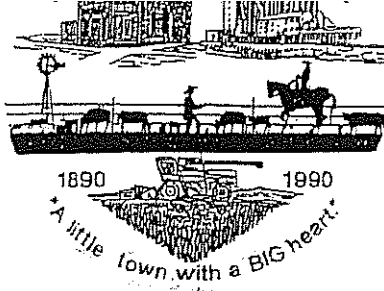
To All Padgett & Associates Inc. Clients

Padgett & Associates, Inc. one of the first mortgage brokers in the state of Kansas merged business operations 12-21-1997 with the new Century Bank National Association. The company is no longer exists effective January 1, 2006 and now is the commercial department of the bank. Padgett & Associates, Inc. had a large number of placing home loans for over 1800 families the past 20 years in Butler, Harvey, & Sedgwick counties as well as other counties across the state. We are still committed to servicing those families with our innovative first time homebuyers programs with FHA, VA, and all conventional loans with Fannie Mae & Freddie Mac are available. As part of a National chartered bank we can now offer home loans to families in all 50 states. Clifton Padgett is now located in Manhattan on a daily basis. We are still active in placing loans in Butler, Harvey, and Sedgwick counties as well as doing new conventional loans state wide. Service has always been priority one and we will enhance that even more. Clifton can still be reached at (888) 235-2091 or at our toll free line at the main bank (888) 235-2091 for a direct line to the Manhattan Loan Production Office is (888) 235-2096. We have enjoyed living in the Whitewater area since the fall of 1987. The opportunity to return to my home town and purchase a second home in the Kansas flint hills at our Chapman residence is a major reason for the move. Clifton and Pauline still live in the Whitewater residence. Our son is attending Butler J.C. in Manhattan so part of each month is still spent in the area. Call if I can assist you in your next home purchase or refinance.

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Whitewater Community Newsletter March, 2007

Council Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Building and are open to the public.

Mayor: Patrick Ryan, **Council Members:** Mike Brown, Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, and Larry Wiebe

January 22, 2007

Larry Wiebe (Annabell Hephner) moved to approve the consent calendar. The minutes were approved as written.

Officer Baker reported that he had talked to some of the sledders regarding safety issues.

A thank you from the council to Dave and Mike was given for their work with snow removal.

The court docket for January was presented.

Larry Wiebe (Bill Reynolds) moved to approve expenditures for 12-19-06, 01-08-07, and 01-17-07 motion carried.

A concealed carry ordinance was discussed. No action was taken at this time.

It was reported that the demolition business on North Main had been cleaned up.

Larry Wiebe (Bill Reynolds) moved to keep the insurance coverage the same for city properties when the policy is renewed. Motion carried.

Bill Reynolds (Annabell Hephner) moved to remain a member of the Chamber of Commerce. Motion carried.

Larry Wiebe was appointed to serve another three years of the Butler County Solid Waste

for lock replacement. Motion carried.

The possibility of grant money to help with security and downtown sidewalk improvement is still being looked into.

Water bills were discussed next.

Different options involving a grocery store were discussed also.

Annabell Hephner (Bill Reynolds) moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:10 p.m. Motion carried.



Recycling Trailer Schedule

(Scout House Parking Lot)

MARCH 21ST &

APRIL 4TH

AFTER 10 A.M.



CAR WASH

Is your car dirty
or covered with salt
from all the snow?

Clean it up at the
Whitewater car wash
at 220 North Main.

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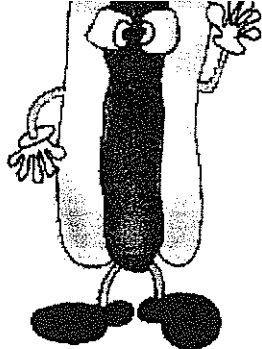
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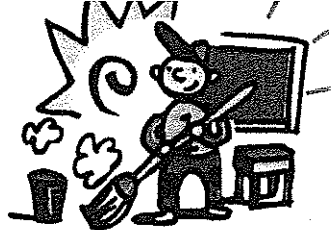




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this summer just stop
by the city office at
201 S. Elm or
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and let us know.**



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FOR BUYERS TO PICK UP.
IF YOU WISH TO PARTICIPATE, CALL KATHY AT THE
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BY FRIDAY, MAY 18, 2007.**



CJ'S SPRING CLEAN UP

APRIL 14, 2007

ALL ITEMS TO THE CURB BY 8:00 A.M.

PLEASE SEPARATE YOUR BURNABLE

FROM NON BURNABLE ITEMS.

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HOUSEHOLD CHEMICALS.

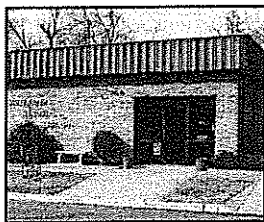
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Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm

Tuesday: 1:30—5:00 pm

Wednesday: 9:30—noon

Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm

Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm

Saturday: 9:30—noon

Staff

Director: Jean Thiessen

Youth Services Coordinator: Julie Mosiman

Administrative Assistant: Gaytha Bolton

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President: Bob Henderson

Vice President: Sue Johnson

Secretary: Wes Hansen

Treasurer: Cindy Roth

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Enjoy “An Evening of Poetry”

The Friends of the Library is sponsoring the second annual “Evening of Poetry” and it promises to be as entertaining and enjoyable as the first.

It will be held on Tuesday, April 17, at 7:00 pm at the library.

The evening will showcase poetry written and/or read by members of the Remington community.

A special feature will be area middle school and high school students performing poetry and forensics pieces.

There will be something for everyone in the historical, contemporary and humorous pieces presented.

Closet poets in the Remington area, we are calling you out! Don’t wait to be invited.

If you have a poem or short story you would like to share, please call Jean at the library, 316-799-2471, before March 31, 2007.

This program is free and open to the public.

Save the Date!

- * Friday, Mar. 16
World Treasures Exhibit Closes
- * Monday, Mar. 26
Story Time - 10 am
- * Saturday, Mar. 31
Poetry Entry Deadline
- * Monday, Apr. 16
Story Time - 10 am
- * Tuesday, Apr. 17
Evening of Poetry 7 pm

Did you know

. . . that you can still see the World Treasures Exhibit at the library ‘til March 16?

. . . that there are still

that can be claimed at the library until March 31? See February’s newsletter for a complete list.

and ready for checkout?

. . . that preparations are already underway for a fun and

Heartland Share has changed

Heartland Share has reorganized and is now part of the ColoradoShare program.

Some of the changes are: No volunteer hours are needed, larger variety of ordering choices, a special can be ordered without ordering a regular share, Share cost is \$25, you can pay by credit card.

March order

Pick up will be March 24th, 9:30-10:30 at the Scout House in Whitewater.

Options:

Classic Package \$25 for 1# ground beef-xtra lean, 1.5# Pork Roast, 1# Cooks low sodium ham steak, 1.7# Chicken drums, 40 oz. Birds Eye Mango Chicken, 10 oz frozen peas, 8 oz. Monterey Jack Cheese, recipe card plus a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables.

Produce package \$15 for 17-22# fresh produce

Easter special \$25 for 8-9# Spiral Ham, 42 oz. Banana Cre'me or coconut creme pie, 1 pkt gravy mix, 15 oz. green beans-can, 20 oz sliced or chunk pineapple, 3# potatoes plus additional fresh fruits and vegetables.

To order call: Stephanie McKinney at 620- 7523806

Glenda Reynolds 799-2707

Regular order turn in is March 12 and orders can be added on until March

Join us at the Scout House

Saturday March 17th at 10:30 to

learn more about the program,

sign up and see if there's a way to



Reminders from Park Board

The Whitewater Park Board would like to invite players and family to an awards assembly on Monday, March 26th at 7:00 p.m. in the Whitewater Middle School gymnasium. Players please plan on bringing your jersey back if you have not turned it in to your coach. Thank you and we look forward to seeing all of you there.

The Whitewater Park Board has an information line. The phone number is 316-833-6536. This is a general information and cancellation line. Cancellations due to weather for Whitewater summer ball games will normally be updated on game day by 4:00 p.m.

T-Ball / Machine Pitch

There have been a few changes to our summer league ball program this year. They are as follows:

Players between the ages of 7-8, there will no longer be a coach pitch program. This has been changed to machine pitch. We will continue to play the same teams in the past, traveling to Towanda, Benton, and having home games.

9 -15 year olds

Players between the ages 9-15, we have decided **not** to return to El Dorado to play in their baseball/ softball program. Kids between these ages will travel to Towanda, Benton, and have home games.

Teenagers or Adults looking for summer jobs

Due to that fact that we will be hosting home games this year, there will be positions for umpires, and chalkers for all age groups (t-ball to mens softball). If you are interested in a summer job, please contact Kim Green at 799-2087.

Men Softball

If you are interested in getting a team together for mens softball, please contact Jeff Klaassen at 799-2702

We are excited about our new changes in our summer ball program. If you have any questions regarding summer sports activities, please feel free to give any park board member a call and they will be happy to answer any questions.

Brad Glover 799-1005

Jeff Klaassen 799-2702

Christine Green 799-2240

Address: _____
Telephone Number: _____
Medical Insurance: _____ (Company)
School: _____ Birthdate _____ Age _____
Grade: _____ Boy/Girl (circle one)

T-Shirt Size (please circle one) Youth S M L Adult S M L XL

Circle the town your child will be playing for: Potwin Whitewater

The league will consist of the following age groups with August 1st as the cut off date.

<u>Teams</u>	<u>Ages</u>	<u>Fees</u>
Tee-Ball	5-6 co-ed	\$30.00 each for the first two children, \$15.00 for each additional child
Machine Pitch	7-8 co-ed	\$30.00 each for the first two children, \$15.00 for each additional child
Pee Wee Boys	9-10	\$35.00
Kitten Girls	9-10	\$35.00
Midget Boys	11-12	\$35.00
Cat Girls	11-12	\$35.00
Junior Boys	13-15	\$35.00
Lion Girls	13-15	\$ 35.00

Please complete and return this form (one for each child) and additional form if applicable, along with registration fees by **April 20, 2007**. Late forms may not be accepted if teams are already full and/or will be subject to a \$5.00 charge! Make checks payable to Potwin Recreation or Whitewater Park Board.

Return to: Mary Brown.....Potwin Elementary
Pat Kasper Potwin City Office
Carol Price..... Whitewater Middle School
Whitewater City Office..... Kathy Wiebe

We encourage parents to volunteer their time to coach or help coach teams. If you are interested in coaching or assisting, please fill in the following information:

Name _____ Phone Number: _____

Potwin or Whitewater Team you are willing to help with: _____

RELEASE

In signing this release form, I give _____ age _____, my consent to participate in the Potwin or Whitewater Summer Baseball/ Softball League Program. I understand the Walnut Valley League, Remington USD 206 schools, Potwin Recreation, Whitewater Park Board, the Cities of Potwin and Whitewater, participating cities and their school districts, team coaches and sponsors, and anyone else connected to the WVL, are not responsible or liable for any medical expenses due to injury or accident which may occur during the Summer Baseball/ Softball League Program.

2007 MEN'S SUMMER SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Team Name: _____
Coach Name: _____
Address: _____
Contact Number: _____

Players must be at least 16 years of age.

The fee per team is \$300.00. The fee also includes entry fees for the post season tournament.

To register or if you have any questions

Mail to:
Jeff Klaassen
114 pine court
Whitewater Ks 67154

Or

Call Jeff @ 799-2702

Upcoming Events at Emmaus Church

Sunday, March 25
Concert by Calvary Bible College Chorale
7:00 p.m.
Freewill offering for the chorale

Good Friday Service
Friday, April 6, 7:00 p.m.
The Emmaus Church music and drama departments
Invite you to experience the last supper

2007 KANSAS
SEVERE WEATHER AWARENESS WEEK
MARCH 12-16, 2007

TORNADO SAFETY DRILL TUESDAY, MARCH 13th
1:30 PM

National Weather Service





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REMINGTON
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APRIL 13

\$5 BUFFET MEAL 5PM

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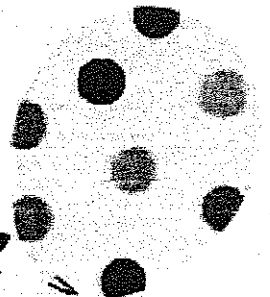
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Dear fellow citizens of Whitewater,

I am Harley Reeves a 6th grader from Remington Middle School I have been given the opportunity to go to Australia the summer of 2007 to earn highschool and college credits. I will be heading to Australia with student ambassadors/people to people. I am trying to raise \$6,000 by April 2007, I am seeking individuals and companies to help financially. I will have many amazing learning opportunities there, such as going to the Olympic Stadium and standing on the awards podium, visiting the Australian Zoo, swimming the Great Barrier Reef, and interacting with local Aboriginal Peoples. I will attend school there to see the similarities and differences in the classroom. My family and I are hoping that you will find it in your hearts to help us raise the money needed. Any amount would be greatly appreciated.

Please monetary donations to:

Harley Reeves

P.O. Box 285

Whitewater, KS. 67154

please include your name and address if you would like to have letters about her journey.

Checks can be made out to: People to People Student Ambassadors

Thank you,

Harley Reeves and Family

To learn more about people to people visit their website:

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Whitewater Senior Center aka Kids Club sents Newton Senior Choir om Newton Senior Center Tuesday, March 13

um follows noon meal. This is re-scheduled
February. Bring a side dish, enjoy dinner
conversation and a musical program.

water Senior Center meets every second
ay of month at the American Legion Bldg

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“Victims spend an average of \$1500 to restore their name* and an average of 175 hours are spent dealing with related problems.”**

* American Insurance Group (AIG)

** Federal Trade Commission

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- Federal Trade Commission: When Bad Things Happen to Your Good Name, September 2002

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Is this Whitewater?

"The best small-town governments cultivate passion and conviction among town residents. They bring people from the various sectors together and encourage them to share their views on present paths and future direction. When passion and conviction fuse with knowledge, experience and vision, the future of a town is bright. A wise local government orchestrates this fusion and acknowledges that passion and conviction know no boundaries in terms of race, age, gender or socioeconomic standing. Likewise, a wise government knows that knowledge and experience alone are lifeless without passion and conviction.

One sign of an unhealthy town is when concerns are left unspoken or fall on deaf ears because the local government remains set in its way and has a history of unwillingness to heed its citizens. In certain respects the relationship between a government and its citizens resembles that of a marriage: when communication breaks down, or when one side feels the other is not listening, the relationship is damaged. Consequences for a town include missed opportunities; lack of growth; a negative, antagonistic outlook; and a low morale that hangs heavy on the town and impedes positive momentum.

An unhealthy relationship doesn't necessarily begin and end with the local government's lack of ability to listen or care. Perhaps the government has steeled itself to feedback from its citizens because, in effect, "a few bad apples have spoiled the bunch." That is, a few cranks or chronic complainers have caused a reflexive action to take place among government officials. They begin to view all residents as cranks and complainers and thus erect an invisible but real wall between government and its citizens.

Strong leaders recognize that new ideas can be difficult for many in a community to accept. New ideas might be met with counter arguments such as "We've always done it that way," "That will never work here," "What if it fails?" and "Someone (other than me) might benefit from this." And while it is usually easier to rally support against something, towns will continue in the same pattern they are presently in if the new ideas aren't tried. Visionary leaders take to heart the saying, "The biggest risk is not taking one." copied from Boomtown USA, The 7 ½ Keys to Big Success in Small Towns by Jack Schultz

Come Join Us to Discuss our Community

March 21, 2007 at 7 am

Whitewater Café

Sponsored by Whitewater Area Chamber

We will be joined by David Alfaro, Butler Co Economic Development; Will Carpenter, County Commissioner, and Kori Gregg, Ph.D Butler Community

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On Tuesday March 27, 2007 at 7 pm

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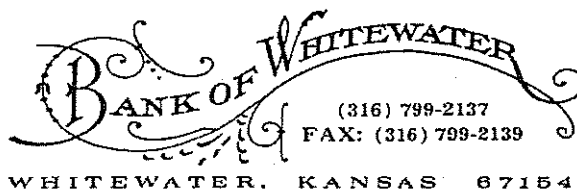
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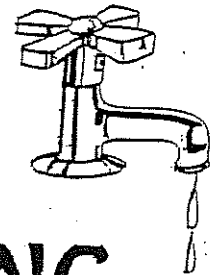
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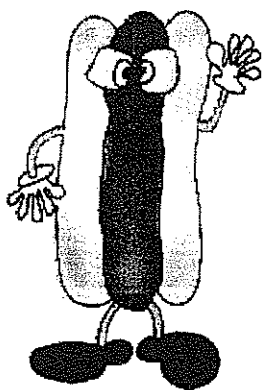
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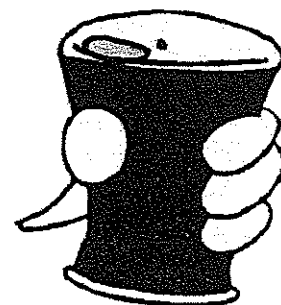
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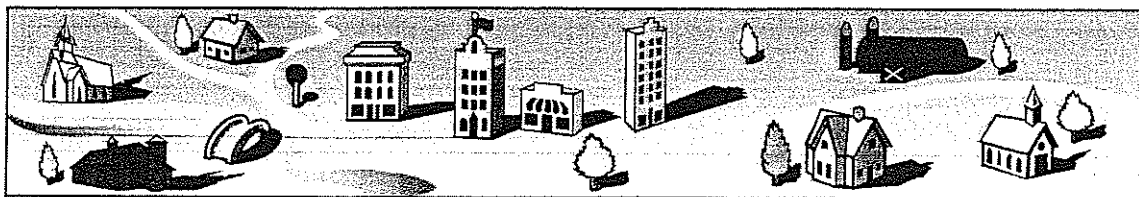
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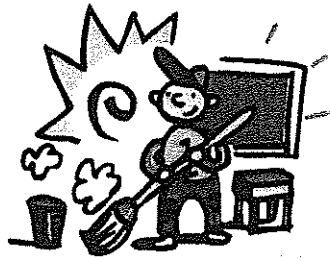


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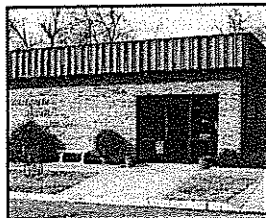
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TAD GREEN 799-2004

MIKE HILL 799-2614

Whitewater Memorial Library News

118 East Topeka, Whitewater, KS 67154 ~ Phone: 316-799-2471 ~ Fax: 316-799-1099 ~ Email: whitelib@sbcglobal.net



Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30—noon

Staff

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Member: Kim Marciano
Member: Carrie Whalen

Enjoy "An Evening of Poetry"

The Friends of the Library is sponsoring the second annual "Evening of Poetry" and it promises to be as entertaining and enjoyable as the first.

It will be held on Tuesday, April 17, at 7:00 pm at the library.

The evening will showcase poetry written and/or read by members of the Remington community.

A special feature will be area middle school and high school students performing poetry and forensics pieces.

There will be something for everyone in the historical, contemporary and humorous pieces presented.

Closet poets in the Remington area, we are calling you out! Don't wait to be invited.

If you have a poem or short story you would like to share, please call Jean at the library, 316-799-2471, before March 31, 2007.

This program is free and open to the public.

Save the Date!

- * Friday, Mar. 16
World Treasures Exhibit Closes
- * Monday, Mar. 26
Story Time - 10 am
- * Saturday, Mar. 31
Poetry Entry Deadline
- * Monday, Apr. 16
Story Time - 10 am
- * Tuesday, Apr. 17
Evening of Poetry 7 pm

Did you know

... that you can still see the World Treasures Exhibit at the library 'til March 16?

... that there are still jackets and sweaters left from past events at the Legion building

that can be claimed at the library until March 31? See February's newsletter for a complete list.

... That #5 in the Firstborn Series, "Forever," is here

and ready for checkout?

... that preparations are already underway for a fun and exciting Summer Reading Club?

HeartlandShare has changed

Heartland Share has reorganized and is now part of the ColoradoShare program.

Some of the changes are: No volunteer hours are needed, larger variety of ordering choices, a special can be ordered without ordering a regular share, Share cost is \$25, you can pay by credit card.

March order

Pick up will be March 24th, 9:30-10:30 at the Scout House in Whitewater.

Options:

Classic Package \$25 for 1# ground beef-xtra lean, 1.5# Pork Roast, 1# Cooks low sodium ham steak, 1.7# Chicken drums, 40 oz. Birds Eye Mango Chicken, 10 oz frozen peas, 8 oz. Monterey Jack Cheese, recipe card plus a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables.

Produce package \$15 for 17-22# fresh produce

Easter special \$25 for 8-9# Spiral Ham, 42 oz. Banana Cre'me or coconut creme pie, 1 pkt gravy mix, 15 oz. green beans-can, 20 oz sliced or chunk pineapple, 3# potatoes plus additional fresh fruits and vegetables.

To order call: Stephanie McKinney at 620- 7523806

Glenda Reynolds 799-2707

Regular order turn in is March 12 and orders can be added on until March

Join us at the Scout House

Saturday March 17th at 10:30 to learn more about the program, sign up and see if there's a way to help us. We will need more volunteers with this program.



Reminders from Park Board

The Whitewater Park Board would like to invite players and family to an awards assembly on Monday, March 26th at 7:00 p.m. in the Whitewater Middle School gymnasium. Players please plan on bringing your jersey back if you have not turned it in to your coach. Thank you and we look forward to seeing all of you there.

The Whitewater Park Board has an information line. The phone number is 316-833-6536. This is a general information and cancellation line. Cancellations due to weather for Whitewater summer ball games will normally be updated on game day by 4:00 p.m.

T-Ball / Machine Pitch

There have been a few changes to our summer league ball program this year. They are as follows:

Players between the ages of 7-8, there will no longer be a coach pitch program. This has been changed to machine pitch. We will continue to play the same teams in the past, traveling to Towanda, Benton, and having home games.

9 -15 year olds

Players between the ages 9-15, we have decided **not** to return to El Dorado to play in their baseball/ softball program. Kids between these ages will travel to Towanda, Benton, and have home games.

Teenagers or Adults looking for summer jobs

Due to that fact that we will be hosting home games this year, there will be positions for umpires, and chalkers for all age groups (t-ball to mens softball). If you are interested in a summer job, please contact Kim Green at 799-2087.

Men Softball

If you are interested in getting a team together for mens softball, please contact Jeff Klaassen at 799-2702

We are excited about our new changes in our summer ball program. If you have any questions regarding summer sports activities, please feel free to give any park board member a call and they will be happy to answer any questions.

Brad Glover 799-1005

Jeff Klaassen 799-2702

Christine Crisp 799-2340

Kim Green 799-2087

2007 SUMMER BASEBALL/ SOFTBALL LEAGUE REGISTRATION

Player's Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Telephone Number: _____
 Medical Insurance: _____ (Company)
 School: _____ Birthdate _____ Age _____
 Grade: _____ Boy/Girl (circle one)

T-Shirt Size (please circle one) Youth S M L Adult S M L XL
 Circle the town your child will be playing for: Potwin Whitewater
 The league will consist of the following age groups with August 1st as the cut off date.

<u>Teams</u>	<u>Ages</u>	<u>Fees</u>
Tee-Ball	5-6 co-ed	\$30.00 each for the first two children, \$15.00 for each additional child
Machine Pitch	7-8 co-ed	\$30.00 each for the first two children, \$15.00 for each additional child
Pee Wee Boys	9-10	\$35.00
Kitten Girls	9-10	\$35.00
Midget Boys	11-12	\$35.00
Cat Girls	11-12	\$35.00
Junior Boys	13-15	\$35.00
Lion Girls	13-15	\$ 35.00

Please complete and return this form (one for each child) and additional form if applicable, along with registration fees by **April 20, 2007**. Late forms may not be accepted if teams are already full and/or will be subject to a \$5.00 charge! Make checks payable to Potwin Recreation or Whitewater Park Board.

Return to: Mary Brown.....Potwin Elementary
 Pat Kasper Potwin City Office
 Carol Price..... Whitewater Middle School
 Whitewater City Office..... Kathy Wiebe

We encourage parents to volunteer their time to coach or help coach teams. If you are interested in coaching or assisting, please fill in the following information:

Name _____ Phone Number: _____

Potwin or Whitewater Team you are willing to help with: _____

RELEASE

In signing this release form, I give _____ age _____, my consent to participate in the Potwin or Whitewater Summer Baseball/ Softball League Program. I understand the Walnut Valley League, Remington USD 206 schools, Potwin Recreation, Whitewater Park Board, the Cities of Potwin and Whitewater, participating cities and their school districts, team coaches and sponsors, and anyone else connected to the WVL, are not responsible or liable for any medical expenses due to injury or accident which may occur during the Summer Baseball/ Softball League season.

Parent/guardian _____ Date _____

Address: _____

2007 MEN'S SUMMER SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Team Name: _____
Coach Name: _____
Address: _____
Contact Number: _____

Players must be at least 16 years of age.

The fee per team is \$300.00. The fee also includes entry fees for the post season tournament.

To register or if you have any questions

Mail to:
Jeff Klaassen
114 pine court
Whitewater Ks 67154

Or

Call Jeff @ 799-2702

Upcoming Events at Emmaus Church

Sunday, March 25
Concert by Calvary Bible College Chorale
7:00 p.m.
Freewill offering for the chorale

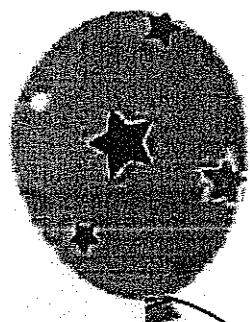
Good Friday Service
Friday, April 6, 7:00 p.m.
The Emmaus Church music and drama departments
Invite you to experience the last supper
Through the eyes of the twelve disciples
As they present "The Living Last Supper"

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National Weather Service





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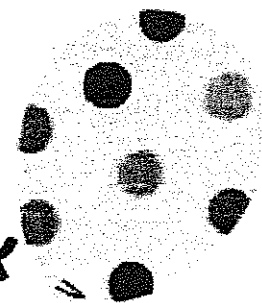
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Please monetary donations to:

Harley Reeves

P.O. Box 285

Whitewater, KS. 67154

please include your name and address if you would like to have letters about her journey.

Checks can be made out to: People to People Student Ambassadors

Thank you,

Harley Reeves and Family

To learn more about people to people visit their website:

www.studentambassadors.org

Butler County Democrats Meet

Members and guests of the Butler Co. Democrat Central Committee held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 27 at the Edge-O-Town restaurant in El Dorado. Some of the officers planned to attend Washington Days convention in Topeka on March 3-4. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 27, at the same location. All interested citizens are invited to attend.

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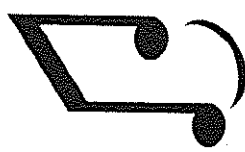
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Whitewater Senior Center aka Kids Club

presents Newton Senior Choir from Newton Senior Center Tuesday, March 13

Program follows noon meal. This is re-scheduled from February. Bring a side dish, enjoy dinner and conversation and a musical program.



Whitewater Senior Center meets every second Tuesday of month at the American Legion Bldg

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** Federal Trade Commission

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- Federal Trade Commission: When Bad Things Happen to Your Good Name, September 2002

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Linda Ravenscraft
1-620-752-3872

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Is this Whitewater?

"The best small-town governments cultivate passion and conviction among town residents. They bring people from the various sectors together and encourage them to share their views on present paths and future direction. When passion and conviction fuse with knowledge, experience and vision, the future of a town is bright. A wise local government orchestrates this fusion and acknowledges that passion and conviction know no boundaries in terms of race, age, gender or socioeconomic standing. Likewise, a wise government knows that knowledge and experience alone are lifeless without passion and conviction.

One sign of an unhealthy town is when concerns are left unspoken or fall on deaf ears because the local government remains set in its way and has a history of unwillingness to heed its citizens. In certain respects the relationship between a government and its citizens resembles that of a marriage: when communication breaks down, or when one side feels the other is not listening, the relationship is damaged. Consequences for a town include missed opportunities; lack of growth; a negative, antagonistic outlook; and a low morale that hangs heavy on the town and impedes positive momentum.

An unhealthy relationship doesn't necessarily begin and end with the local government's lack of ability to listen or care. Perhaps the government has steeled itself to feedback from its citizens because, in effect, "a few bad apples have spoiled the bunch." That is, a few cranks or chronic complainers have caused a reflexive action to take place among government officials. They begin to view all residents as cranks and complainers and thus erect an invisible but real wall between government and its citizens.

Strong leaders recognize that new ideas can be difficult for many in a community to accept. New ideas might be met with counter arguments such as "We've always done it that way," "That will never work here," "What if it fails?" and "Someone (other than me) might benefit from this." And while it is usually easier to rally support against something, towns will continue in the same pattern they are presently in if the new ideas aren't tried. Visionary leaders take to heart the saying, "The biggest risk is not taking one." copied from Boomtown USA, The 7 ½ Keys to Big Success in Small Towns by Jack Schultz

Come Join Us to Discuss our Community

March 21, 2007 at 7 am

Whitewater Café

Sponsored by Whitewater Area Chamber

We will be joined by David Alfaro, Butler Co Economic Development; Will Carpenter, County Commissioner, and Kori Gregg, Ph.D Butler Community College & involved in empowering local communities.

If you are unable to attend but have some issues, questions or information to share please contact Debbie Regier at 799-2263 or patdeb.will.tom@juno.com

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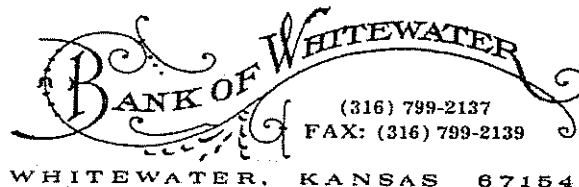
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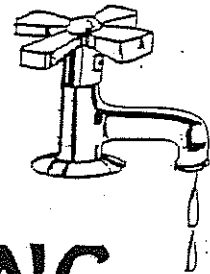
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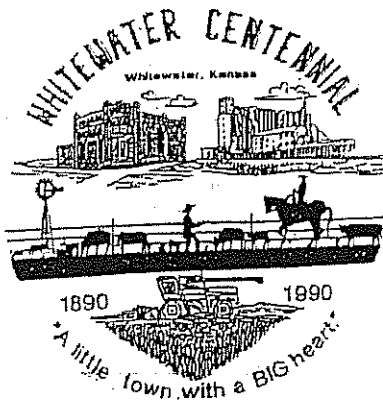
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Whitewater Community Newsletter

April, 2007

The front page will be used to highlight a local business

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Council Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Building and are open to the public.

Mayor: Patrick Ryan, **Council Members:**

Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth and Kara Zonnefeld

February 26, 2007

Larry Wiebe (Annabell Hephner) moved to approve the consent calendar. The minutes were approved with one correction.

Harley Reeves was present to tell about the opportunity through People to People this summer. Annabell Hephner (Larry Wiebe) moved to give a donation toward Harley's expenses. Motion carried.

Lou Clennan with Tour Butler was present to tell about opportunities they have had to present Butler County to the legislature. Larry Wiebe (Annabell Hephner) moved to give a donation to help with the printing of a new brochure. Motion carried.

Officer Baker reported that the Reserves had reported back to him that they would be able to help with some additional patrols.

Mike Hill asked the council for use of the city's equipment to help with CJ clean-up which has been scheduled for April 14. Annabell Hephner (Larry Wiebe) moved to help with dumpsters and equipment as usual. Motion carried.

Annabell Hephner (Larry Wiebe) moved to allow the Relay for Life teams the use of the scout house for their planning meetings. Motion carried.

Mike will look into different options regarding the street sweeper.

The court docket for February was presented.

Larry Wiebe (Annabell Hephner) moved to accept the expenditures as presented.

Additional information regarding the grocery store was presented.

The sidewalk on South Main was discussed.

Annabell Hephner (Dan Ravenscraft) moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 p.m. Motion carried.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like placed on our calendar please submit the information to the city office by the 10th of each month.

April 13th - Freaky Friday Carnival - RHS - 6 pm
(Buffet Meal Starting at 5 pm)

April 14th - CJ's Annual Clean-Up

April 15th - Wellness Meeting - Cafe - 2:30 pm

April 16th - Story Time - Library - 10 am

April 17th - Evening of Poetry - Library - 7 pm

April 18th - WWACC - Whitewater Cafe - 7 am

April 18th - Recycling after 10 am

April 19th - Spring Fling - 9 am - 3 pm
(El Dorado - See ad)

April 19th - Fall Fest Meeting - Scout House - 7pm

April 20th, 21st, and 22nd - Fundraiser
(Harley Reeves - See ad)

April 20th - Deadline to sign up for summer ball

April 21st - BINGO - Legion - 7:00 pm
(Snack Bar - 6:00 pm)

April 30th - Story Time - Library - 10 am

May 2nd - Recycling after 10 am

May 8th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

May 14th - Story Time - Library - 10 am

May 14th - Summer Reading Club Sign Up Begins

May 15th - Whitewater Middle School - 5 - 7 pm
(“Viewing” night - See ad)

May 16th - Recycling after 10 am

May 18th - Deadline to sign up for Garage Sales

June 8th & 9th - City Wide Garage Sales

June 12th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

July 10th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

TRADING POST

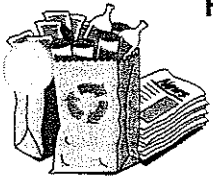
Free of charge. Limit the ad to 25 words. Due by 10TH of each month. Call 799-2445 or drop message in payment box at the city building.

New & used baler belting and repairs. Call for appointments! 316 799-2477.

For Sale - 1989 Ford pickup 7.3 diesel dually with flatbed. 316 799-2477.

WHITEWATER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The WWACC met March 21st at 7 am. Our special guests were David Alfaro, Butler Co. Economic Development, Kori Gregg PhD from Butler Community College and Will Carpenter Butler Co. Commissioner. Our area and the challenges we face were discussed. Dr. Gregg presented Hometown Competitiveness which is a program used by other areas to improve their towns and surrounding areas. On March 28th the executive board met and appointed Brandon Patry to organize a group to explore the Hometown Competitiveness program. If you or someone you know would be willing to serve please contact Brandon at the Bank of Whitewater 799-2137. Our next meeting will be April 18 at 7 am at the Whitewater Cafe.



Recycling Trailer Schedule
(Scout House Parking Lot)
**APRIL 18th &
MAY 2nd
AFTER 10 A.M.**

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WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

The Fire Department responded to seven alarms during the month of March. We assisted on three grass fires, two medicals, one auto accident, and one industrial accident. Two calls were to assist neighboring departments.

During the months of February and March, we were privileged to utilize a donated house for training. We set up a confidence course with various obstacles and entanglements. The drill was for a team of two firefighters to assist each other in accomplishing the course. In another drill, the house was filled with artificial smoke and teams were required to locate the "downed firefighter" and return him to safety. We were also able to set small fires to practice making entry and extinguishing actual fire. This type of training is invaluable. It was estimated that the house contributed to over 130 man-hours of training. Two of the drills also included the Potwin Fire Department. The training with them is critical because of the number of fire calls we respond to as a mutual aid effort.

The Fire Department is always open to donations of structures and vehicles for specific training. Contact one of the firefighters to answer any questions you might have about making such a donation.

Darryl Claasen, Fire Chief



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still available at the ball
diamond. They are free for
the taking. Load and haul
away as much as you need.
This would make great mulch.**

NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

"Pizza" was one of the many answers given to the role call of "My favorite food is..." by the parents at the North Butler 4-H club monthly meeting. It was held at the Federated Church in Whitewater on March 12. Over 40 members were present.

This was Parents' Night, which means the parents of the members preceded over the meeting. Parents, Terri Thiessen and Kim Claassen led the business meeting. The entertainment was "Are You Smarter Than a 4-Her?" It was organized by Carl & Kris Goossen and Jeff & Kris Claassen. Parents participating as contestants were Russ Toevs and Katherine Claassen. 4-Hers on the panel were Samantha Claassen, Renata Goossen, Shane Wallace, and Justin Claassen. The adults proved to be smarter than the 4-Hers.

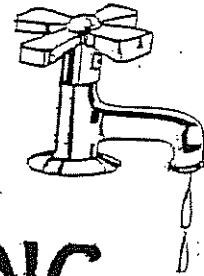
Refreshments were provided by the Dean & Millie Claassen and the Leland & Halicia Motter families.

The next meeting will be on Monday, April 9 at the 4-H building in El Dorado at 7:00 p.m. This is the Exchange meeting.

Submitted by: Olivia Wallace
North Butler News Reporter



VERY AFFORDABLE PLUMBING



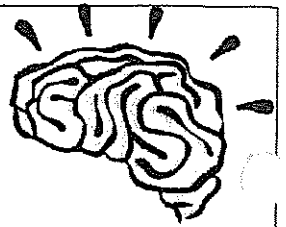
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Fall Fest Brainstorming Meeting



Whitewater Area Residents

April 19, 2007 7:00 p.m.

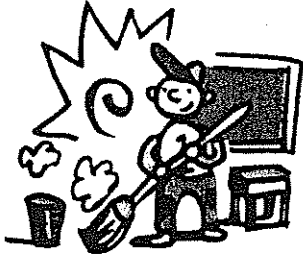
Scout House

There will be a meeting reviewing past, and
brainstorming for future Whitewater
Fall Festivals

Mark your calendars. Share your ideas.
Representatives from area organizations
have expertise to share.

PLEASE COME!

Meetings will be monthly - second Tuesday



CJ'S SPRING CLEAN UP APRIL 14, 2007

**ALL ITEMS TO THE CURB BY 8:00 A.M.
PLEASE SEPARATE YOUR BURNABLE
FROM NON BURNABLE ITEMS.**

**NO TIRES, BATTERIES, OR
HOUSEHOLD CHEMICALS.**

DONATIONS ACCEPTED.

CONTACT PERSONS:

TAD GREEN 799-2004

MIKE HILL 799-2614



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HONOR ROLL

THIRD NINE WEEKS – 2006-2007

SUPERINTENDENT'S ALL A'S HONOR ROLL

8TH GRADE:

Samantha Claassen
Jessica DeBaun
Sarah Gardner
Leslie Langley
Ellen Mosiman
Kaitlin O'Hara
Paul Schmitz
Andrew Snider
Morgan Tribble

7TH GRADE:

Josiah Carey
Kerri Glover
Mandy McNeill

6TH GRADE:

Lindsay Bevan
Katrina Carey
Grant Claassen
Rose Dollarhide
Nicole Minder
Harley Reeves
Katrina Regehr
Elena Soto
Stacia Thunberg

5TH GRADE:

Rachelle Claassen
Emma Hilgenfeld
Deanna Ingalsbe
Kylee Schunn

PRINCIPAL'S HONOR ROLL - A'S AND NO MORE THAN 2 B'S

8TH GRADE:

Trent Bartlett
Cici Campbell
Victoria Carr
Jake Green
David Janzen
Becca Macy
Victoria Martling
Melinda Regehr
Cisco Soto
Cori Thunberg

7TH GRADE:

Emily Berger
Chelsea Coats
Kathryn Fee
Eric Janzen
Kevin Nash
Katie Thiessen
Elise Toevs
Tim Wedel

6TH GRADE:

Holly Allmond
Kolby Burns
Cole Claassen
Paul Janzen
Caitlin McKaughan
Megan McNeill
Addie Mosiman
Sara Mosiman
Emily Raines
Kyle Regier
Monte Ross

5TH GRADE:

Alexander Carr
Brendon Entz
Britton Grinstead
Hunter Hill
Alyssa Hinz
Madison Janzen
Audrey Orr
Julianna Soto
Rachelle Thiessen
Zachary Thornburg

RED AND WHITE HONOR ROLL - A'S AND B'S

8TH GRADE:

Alex Freking
Rachelle Hanna
Matt Jacobs
Ben Longden
Nick Newfer
Lowell Thompson
Eric Toevs
Jared Ulmer
Julian Watkins

7TH GRADE:

Tyler Atwood
Nick Black
Juston Buster
Caleb Cherryholmes
Jessie Cookson
Courtney Foudray
Jessi Green
Isabel Guerrero
Kendra Regier
Felicia Voth
Olivia Wallace

6TH GRADE:

Ashley Bain
Maria Entz
Braedyn Grommesh
Desi Hays
Abby Holliday

5TH GRADE:

Dyllan Buster
Cody Jacks
Bradley Johnson
Austin Miller
Kaitlyn Nash
Trent Nelson
Katie Race-Boschman
Devin Reeves
Poncho Teichroeb
Mason Tribble

Remington Middle School Sale Items

"Viewing" Night
Tuesday, May 15, 2007
5-7PM.

Due to the fact that the two-story part of Remington Middle School will be demolished, the items listed below will be for sale. You may examine items on the "Viewing" Night. If interested in purchasing any items, submit the request form to the RMS office on May 16-18, 2007. Please make checks to USD 206. Items must be removed from the premises on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 from 7AM to 7PM.

- Bricks- Take as you want – Limited Quantity (PICKED UP AFTER DEMO)
- Window Air Conditioners- \$10
- Trim/Base Boards- \$.10 per foot
- Red Lockers – Set of 6 Lockers - \$25
- Inside Windows - \$5
- Inside Doors- \$5
- Spiral Stair Case- \$100
- Fluorescent Light Fixtures- \$5
- Ceiling Fans- \$5
- Old light fixtures- \$3
- Radiators- \$3
- 2 BB goals - \$20 a piece
- Kitchen equipment- \$ -To be Determined

Request Form for RMS Sale Items

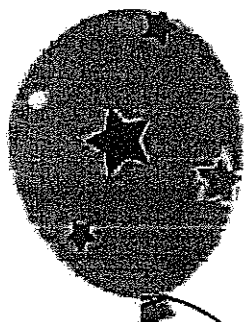
Return to RMS office on May 16-18.

Name _____

	Item	Cost of Item	Total Cost
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____	_____

Total Cost _____

If you have any questions, call the Remington Middle School Office at 316-799-2131 and ask for Bruce Krase or Carol Price.



IT'S A PARTY!!
REMINGTON
FREAKY FRIDAY CARNIVAL

APRIL 13

\$5 BUFFET MEAL 5PM

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT -- STEVE BOWMAN

SCOOPED ICE CREAM --\$ 1

SENIORS ENJOY 2 FREE GAMES OF BINGO!

GAMES START 6PM

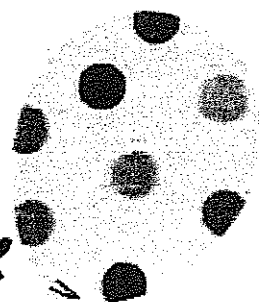
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Remington

FREAKY FRIDAY CARNIVAL

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Bayou
250 2x4**



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Winner responsible for sales tax
Winner announced at Carnival
Need not be present to win
Must be 16 to enter

Tickets available at:
Remington Elementary School
Remington Middle School

Don't Miss This Evening of FAMILY FUN

FOOD ---- Spaghetti, Italian Salad and Bread Dinner, Ice Cream Bar

ENTERTAINMENT-----Balloon Artist, Live Auction, Stroll Around Actors

GAMES --- Inflatables, Car Smash, Contests of Skill and Chance

Reminders from Park Board

The Whitewater Park Board has an information line. The phone number is 316-833-6536. This is a general information and cancellation line. Cancellations due to weather for Whitewater summer ball games will normally be updated on game day by 4:00 p.m.

T-Ball / Machine Pitch

There have been a few changes to our summer league ball program this year. They are as follows:

Players between the ages of 7-8, there will no longer be a coach pitch program. This has been changed to machine pitch. We will continue to play the same teams in the past, traveling to Towanda, Benton, and having home games.

9 -15 year olds

Players between the ages 9-15, we have decided **not** to return to El Dorado to play in their baseball/ softball program. Kids between these ages will travel to Towanda, Benton, and have home games.

Teenagers or Adults looking for summer jobs

Due to that fact that we will be hosting home games this year, there will be positions for umpires, and chalkers for all age groups (t-ball to mens softball). If you are interested in a summer job, please contact Kim Green at 799-2087.

Men Softball

If you are interested in getting a team together for mens softball, please contact Jeff Klaassen at 799-2702

We are excited about our new changes in our summer ball program. If you have any questions regarding summer sports activities, please feel free to give any park board member a call and they will be happy to answer any questions.

Brad Glover 799-1005

Jeff Klaassen 799-2702

Christine Crisp 799-2340

Kim Green 799-2087

2007 MEN'S SUMMER SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Team Name: _____
Coach Name: _____
Address: _____
Contact Number: _____

Players must be at least 16 years of age.

The fee per team is \$300.00. The fee also includes entry fees for the post season tournament.

To register or if you have any questions

Mail to:

Jeff Klaassen

114 pine court

Whitewater Ks 67154

Or

Call Jeff @ 799-2702

2007 SUMMER BASEBALL/ SOFTBALL LEAGUE REGISTRATION

Player's Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Telephone Number: _____
 Medical Insurance: _____ (Company)
 School: _____ Birthdate _____ Age _____
 Grade: _____ Boy/Girl (circle one)

T-Shirt Size (please circle one) Youth S M L Adult S M L XL
 Circle the town your child will be playing for: Potwin Whitewater
 The league will consist of the following age groups with August 1st as the cut off date.

<u>Teams</u>	<u>Ages</u>	<u>Fees</u>
Tee-Ball	5-6 co-ed	\$30.00 each for the first two children, \$15.00 for each additional child
Machine Pitch	7-8 co-ed	\$30.00 each for the first two children, \$15.00 for each additional child
Pee Wee Boys	9-10	\$35.00
Kitten Girls	9-10	\$35.00
Midget Boys	11-12	\$35.00
Cat Girls	11-12	\$35.00
Junior Boys	13-15	\$35.00
Lion Girls	13-15	\$ 35.00

Please complete and return this form (one for each child) and additional form if applicable, along with registration fees by **April 20, 2007**. Late forms may not be accepted if teams are already full and/or will be subject to a \$5.00 charge! Make checks payable to Potwin Recreation or Whitewater Park Board.

Return to: Mary Brown.....Potwin Elementary
 Pat Kasper Potwin City Office
 Carol Price..... Whitewater Middle School
 Whitewater City Office..... Kathy Wiebe

We encourage parents to volunteer their time to coach or help coach teams. If you are interested in coaching or assisting, please fill in the following information:

Name _____ Phone Number: _____

Potwin or Whitewater Team you are willing to help with: _____

RELEASE

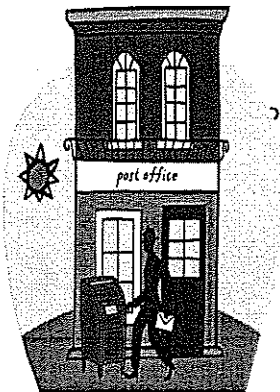
In signing this release form, I give _____ age _____, my consent to participate in the Potwin or Whitewater Summer Baseball/ Softball League Program. I understand the Walnut Valley League, Remington USD 206 schools, Potwin Recreation, Whitewater Park Board, the Cities of Potwin and Whitewater, participating cities and their school districts, team coaches and sponsors, and anyone else connected to the WVL, are not responsible or liable for any medical expenses due to injury or accident which may occur during the Summer Baseball/ Softball League season.

Parent/guardian _____ Date _____

Address: _____

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Whitewater KS 67154

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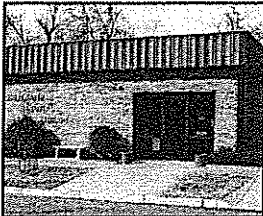
3 miles N of 196 on Meadowlark Rd.



All kids, PreK-6th Grade, are invited to join us! If you have questions or need a
ride for your child, call Staci at 316-744-0495.

Whitewater Memorial Library News

118 East Topeka, Whitewater, KS 67154 ~ Phone: 316-799-2471 ~ Fax: 316-799-1099 ~ Email: whitelib@sbcglobal.net



Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30—noon

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A Raft, an Egg and Cowboys, Oh My!

What could cowboys, an egg and a raft possibly have in common?

At first glance, it would seem there is little that would connect them. However, on **Tuesday, April 17**, they will all come together at the second annual **Evening of Poetry at 7:00 pm.**

The evening will open with a lively introduction by Friends of the Library President, Gayle March.

Mel Epp, Elbing resident, will share selections from Marie Harder Epp's "Reminiscences on the Past" and there will be encore performances by Darryl Claassen and Pat Regier.

Remington High School student Kari Thiessen will perform her forensics piece entitled "Horton Hatches the Egg" by Dr. Seuss

and RHS students Lainie Harber and Andy Slater will end the evening with their forensics piece, "The Raft."

Six Remington Middle School students will read their own compositions written during a poetry unit in Carla Ryan's sixth grade class: Megan McNeill, Lindsay Bevan, Katrina Carey, Robert DeBaun, Holly Almond and Abby Holliday.

An Evening of Poetry will be held at the library and is free and open to the public. Delicious homemade refreshments will be served.

The event is sponsored by the Friends of Whitewater Memorial Library.

A Visual Feast Awaits You at the Library

No, the headline is not referring to the librarians but to a new selection of DVDs! Here are just a few:

The Nativity Story
Akeelah & the Bee

Chariots of Fire

Curious George

The Da Vinci Code

Dick Francis Mysteries

Facing the Giants

Flicka (3 part series)

Fiddler on the Roof
Mary Poppins
The Music Man

Flags of Our Fathers

The Hardy Boys

Sisterhood of the
Traveling Pants

Become a Library Detective

Do you like a good mystery?
Do you like to figure out
codes, solve riddles and dis-
cover new things?

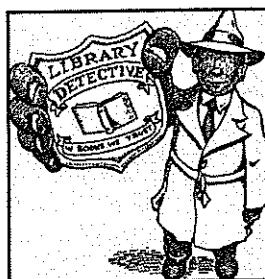
Become a Library Detective
in Summer Reading Club
this summer at Whitewater
Memorial Library!

The 2007 theme is
"Get a Clue @ Your
Library," but mys-
tery books aren't the
only things you will
discover.

All kinds of books,
activities, movies

and puzzles will keep you
busy all summer long.

The summer will feature
three special events - the
annual Fun Fair, an interac-
tive mystery party and the
"Get a Clue" show.



Get a Clue
@ Your Library

Keep watching for
"clues" about how
you can get in-
volved, and see
what you can dis-
cover this summer
at the library.

Get a clue!

Save the Date!

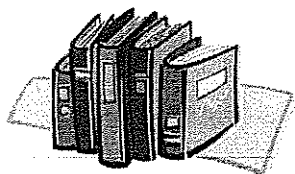
- * Monday, April 16 - 10 am
Story Time
- * Tuesday, April 17 - 7 pm
An Evening of Poetry
- * Monday, April 30 - 10 am
Story Time
- * Monday, May 14 - 10 am
Story Time
- * Monday, May 14
**Summer Reading Club
Signup Begins**

Recent Arrivals - Non-Fiction

- * The Mantle of the Prophet: Religion & Politics in Iran
- * Josephus: the Complete Works
- * Wild Harmonies: A Life of Music & Wolves
- * Hypothyroidism Type 2
- * My Greatest Day in Golf (Legends of golf recount their greatest moments)
- * The MR. & MRS. HAPPY Handbook: Everything I Know About Love & Marriage
- * Dr. Peter Scardino's Prostate Book
- * I Feel Bad About My Neck And Other Thoughts On Being a Woman
- * Taste of Home's Contest Winning Annual Recipes 2006
- * The Treasure Principle: Unlocking the Secret of Joyful Giving

Recent Arrivals - Fiction

- * Headlong (Booker Prize Finalist)
- * Emma Brown: a novel from the unfinished manuscript by Charlotte Bronte
- * Windchill Summer
- * Full Speed (Large Print)
- * Saving Graces: Finding Solace & Strength from Friends and Strangers
- * Double Shot
- * Claire and Present Danger (Amanda Pepper Mystery)
- * A Woman's Place
- * A Man to Call My Own
- * Delectable Mountains (Benni Harper Mystery)



Join us this summer and
GET A CLUE

AT
Whitewater Memorial Library's
2007 Summer Reading Club



Summer Reading Club runs from June 1 - July 31. Children of all ages (non-readers too!) can register at the library beginning May 14th.

Complete the required number of BINGO sheets and receive a "Get A Clue" t-shirt!

Enjoy fun programs at the library June - July. Check the Activity Schedule for more details.

For more information, call the library at 316/799-2471.



Wellness Meeting

At the

WHITEWATER CAFÉ

Sunday, April 15, 2:30 P.M.

Informative teaching about Top Quality

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Learn how to WIN the fight against health challenges, strengthen and support all the systems of your body, and help others do the same. Join us in promoting dynamic health-centered lifestyles and in sharing that success with others.

Meeting is free to all attendees

PROCLAMATION

Fair Housing Month

(City/County) of Whitewater

WHEREAS, the Congress of the United States passed the Civil Rights Act of 1968, of which Title VIII declared that the law of the land would now guarantee the rights of equal housing opportunity; and

WHEREAS, the (City/County) of Whitewater is committed to the mission and intent of Congress to provide fair and equal housing opportunities for all, and today, many realty companies and associations support fair housing laws; and

WHEREAS, the Fair Housing groups and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development have, over the years, received thousands of complaints of alleged illegal housing discrimination and found too many that have proved upon investigation to be violations of the fair housing laws; and

WHEREAS, equal housing opportunity is a condition of life in our (City/County) that can and should be achieved,

I, (Mayor or County Commissioner) of Whitewater, on behalf of its citizens, do hereby proclaim the month of April as

FAIR HOUSING MONTH

And express the hope that this year's observance will promote fair housing practices throughout the (City/County)

Dated this 26th day of March, 2007

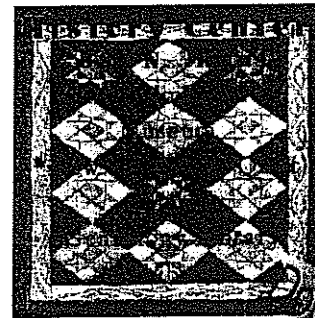
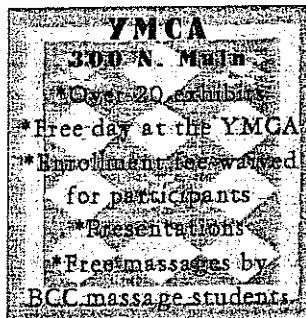
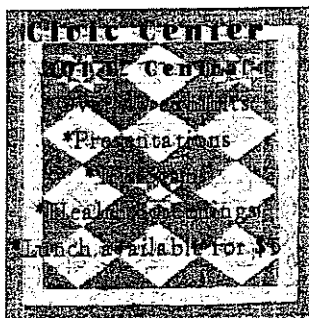
Patricia A. Miller
(Mayor or County Commissioner)

Butler County Department on Aging presents **Spring Fling 2007**

A Senior Resource Fair

Thurs., April 19 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Visit All 3 locations in El Dorado:



Learn more about current and future trends and services for the elderly.

TITLES RUNNING ALL DAY LONG. Park in one location--catch a shuttle to the next.

For more information call the Butler County Dept. on Aging at 316-775-0500 or 1-800-279-3655

Are you or someone you know suffering from headaches? We can help!

Approximately 27 million Americans suffer from headaches. Among them 57% of men and 76% of women report at least one significant headache per month. However, not all headaches are the same.

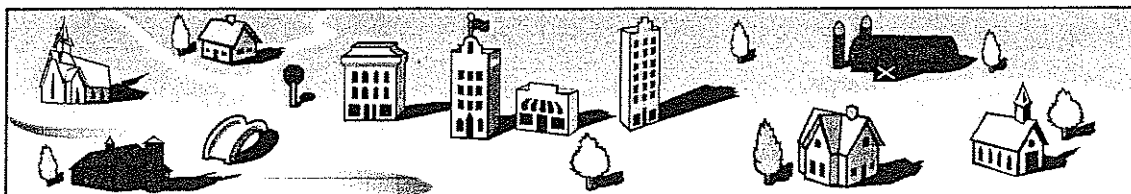
Headaches can be classified into different types. **Classic migraine** usually has a visual disturbance associated with the onset. **Common migraines** have no disturbance and are often not as severe. **Tension** headaches are frequent and usually worse in the afternoon or evening. **Cluster** headaches are a group of very painful, short headaches that happen over a few days and then are gone for weeks or months. All of these can be caused by or affected by problems in the upper neck. Chiropractic manipulation has been shown effective in virtually all types of headaches compared to medication. Using the Activator method of spinal adjusting, Claassen Chiropractic can get you feeling better without OTC or prescription pain killers.

Claassen Chiropractic now contracts with Blue Cross Blue Shield insurance and Medicare!

208 S. Elm St in Whitewater

316-799-2779

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IF YOU WISH TO PARTICIPATE, CALL KATHY AT THE
CITY OFFICE AT 799-2445
BY FRIDAY, MAY 18, 2007.**



Indoor Fund-raising sale

benefit sale for Harley Reeves
Harley is raising money for a student ambassador
trip to Australia this summer.

Where: Whitewater Scout House
behind the small ball diamond in Whitewater

When: April 20th, 21st, and 22rd
Time: the 20th, 21st 9:00 am til 5:00pm
the 22rd 1:00pm til 6:00pm

Lots of items, new and used, yard sale items
clothes, furniture, decorations and misc.

Also serving food and bake sale items.
So come looking for trinkets and treasures, and
help Harley represent Kansas in Australia.

BINGO

WHITEWATER LEGION BUILDING

April 21, 2007

DOORS OPEN AT 6 P.M.

AUXILIARY SNACK BAR OPENS AT 6 P.M.

BINGO GAMES START AT 7 P.M.

SPONSORED BY:

WHITEWATER AMERICAL LEGION

WHITEWATER AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIAR

85% PAYBACK - 4 FACE SHEETS \$1.00

PAYOUT

1-\$25.00

2-\$15.00

3-\$15.00

4-\$20.00

5-\$15.00

6-\$15.00

7-85%

8-\$50.00

9-\$15.00

10-\$15.00

11-\$20.00

12-\$15.00

13-\$15.00

14-SPECIAL

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER

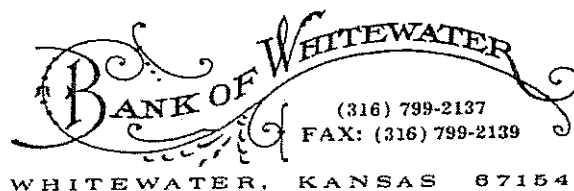
WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER (55 OR OLDER)
AMERICAN LEGION BUILDING
MEETS EVERY 2ND TUESDAY
DOORS OPEN FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.

LUNCH AT 12:00 NOON

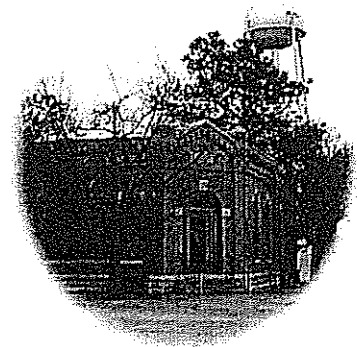
MAY 8TH - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)

JUNE 12TH - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)

JULY 10TH - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)



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Future Home of Osage Garden LLC Selling

Bedding plants &
Garden Produce

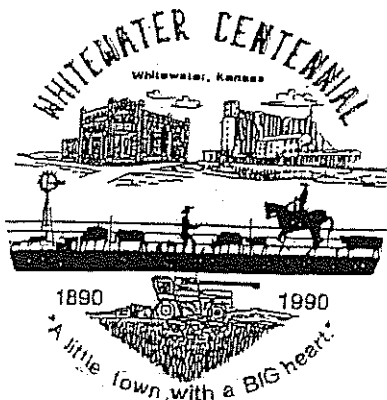
To All Padgett & Associates Inc. Clients

Padgett & Associates, Inc. one of the first mortgage brokers licensed in the state of Kansas merged business operations 12-21-05 with New Century Bank National Association. The company in name no longer exists effective January 1, 2006 and now is the mortgage department of the bank. Padgett & Associates, Inc. had the privilege of placing home loans for over 1800 families the past 14 years in Butler, Harvey, & Sedgwick counties as well as other counties across the state. We are still committed to servicing those clients. The innovative first time homebuyers programs with FHA, VA, and all conventional loans with Fannie Mae & Freddie Mac are still available. As part of a National chartered bank we can now offer services to families in all 50 states. Clifton Padgett is now located in Manhattan on a daily basis. We are still active in placing loans in Butler, Harvey, and Sedgwick counties as well as doing new construction loans state wide. Service has always been priority one and this move will enhance that even more. Clifton can still be reached at (316) 320-9119 or at our toll free line at the main bank (888) 235-7976. Our direct line to the Manhattan Loan Production Office is (785) 532-9066. We have enjoyed living in the Whitewater area since June of 1987. The opportunity to return to my home town and live in our second home in the Kansas flint hills at our Chapman ranch was a major reason for the move. Clifton and Pauline still have the Whitewater residence. Our son is attending Butler J.C. in El Dorado so part of each month is still spent in the area. Call if I can be of assistance in your next home purchase or refinance.

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Whitewater, KS 67154



Whitewater Community Newsletter May, 2007

The front page will be used to highlight a local business

B & B TraveLand, Inc.
16139 E. Kellogg
Andover, KS 67002

B & B TraveLand, Inc. is a family owned business that began in Indiana, 39 years ago by Bill and Bev Lutes. The business moved to Whitewater in 1980 and operated out of the property where Bell's Automotive is now located, until 1987 when B & B moved to the present location East of Andover Road on Highway 54. The Lutes still have strong ties in the Whitewater area, as Bill and Mark's families still reside in Whitewater, as do two of their employees.

B & B TraveLand carries a wide variety of 5th Wheels, Travel Trailers, Toy Haulers, and Tent Campers. Cardinal, Crossroads, and Starcraft are a few of the name brands. B & B TraveLand also carries Damon Daybreak Motor homes. We pride ourselves in many repeat customers. Several of those customers are our many neighbors in the Whitewater area.

Our service department is staffed with more than a total of 65 years experience in the RV field. We not only service warranty repairs, but insurance repairs, as well. Our service writer is available Monday through Friday 7:30 - 5 and Saturday 9 - 12. The parts department carries a wide variety of necessary and fun items for the RV.

Come by and take a look at our many RV's on the lot. You will be surprised at the new look in "camping." Special consideration will be given to our neighbors in Whitewater on RV purchase or on RV service.

We look forward to seeing you!!!

Council Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Building and are open to the public.

Mayor: Patrick Ryan, Council Members:

Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth and Kara Zonnefeld

March 26, 2007

Larry Wiebe (Dan Ravenscraft) moved to approve the consent calendar. Motion carried.

Officer Baker discussed the demolition cars in Whitewater. Larry Wiebe (Dan Ravenscraft) moved to set a limit of 9 am to 9 pm for excessive noise in running vehicles without exhaust systems.. Motion carried.

Late charges on water bills were discussed.

The council was informed that a zoning hearing would need to be set for a conditional use request.

Dan Ravenscraft (Bill Reynolds) moved to accept the bid from Ferguson Paving for street sealing this summer. Motion carried.

The court docket for March was presented.

Larry Wiebe (Annabell Hephner) moved to accept the expenditures as presented. Motion carried.

A thank you from Tour Butler from the donation they had received was read to the council.

Bill Reynolds (Annabell Hephner) moved to accept the letter of engagement for the 2006 Audit and 2008 Budget from George, Bowerman, and Noel Motion carried.

Mayor Ryan proclaimed April Fair Housing Month.

Bill Reynolds (Dan Ravenscraft) allowed the purchasing for Microsoft Office for the city computer.

Larry Wiebe reported on the progress of the Butler County Recycling Committee. Various options are still being looked at. More details will be available in the future.

Dan Ravenscraft (Bill Reynolds) moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:12 p.m. Motion carried.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like placed on our calendar please submit the information to the city office by the 10th of each month.

May 14th - Story Time - Library - 10 am

May 14th - Summer Reading Club Sign Up Begins

May 15th - Whitewater Middle School - 5 - 7 pm
("Viewing" night - See ad)

May 16th - WWACC - Cafe - 7 am

May 16th - Recycling after 10 am

May 18th - Deadline to sign up for Garage Sales

May 20th - Wellness Meeting - Cafe - 2:30 pm

May 21st - 26th - Countryside Vet Open House

May 31st - 2006 Animal Tags Expire

June 1st - Refuse Pickup Change

June 1st - July 31st - Summer Reading Club

June 3rd - 7th - Palmyra Bible School - 6 pm

June 4th - 8th - Emmaus Bible School - 8:30 am

June 6th - Recycling after 10 am

June 8th & 9th - City Wide Garage Sales

June 9th - Library Fun Fair 9:00-12:00 am

June 10th - Newsletter Deadline

June 12th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

June 12th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

June 20th - Recycling after 10 am

July 10th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

July 10th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

Aug. 14th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

Aug. 14th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

Sept. 11th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

Sept. 11th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

CRUSADE by Darryl

Some residents of Elbing dug a deep hole in their yard
And at a depth of seven feet the spade hit something hard.
It was a copper wire that they thought a cent'ry old
And deduced it was for telephones their city had controlled.
One hundred years ago their town communicated well
By using an extinct device from Alexander Bell.

When Potwin tenants heard of this, they also dug a hole.
To excavate an older wire was their hope and goal.
And, sure enough, while digging at ten feet below the grade,
Two hundred-year-old copper was found lying in the shade.
They concluded that the telephones in Potwin had prevailed
A hundred years before the ones in Elbing were unveiled.

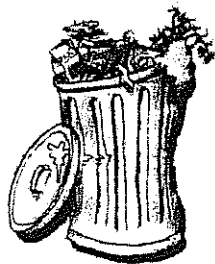
But, Whitewater was not to be outdone by neighbor town
So the Mayor got his shovel and he started digging down.
And though his trench encircled the entire town around,
At a depth of twenty feet, there was nothing to be found.
So he called the City Council for some research to assign
And they learned that our ancestors weren't restricted by a line.
'Twas discovered that three cent'ries back, town fathers used a cell
'Cause they found complaints on record that the phones did not work well.
It seems, back then, there was an arbitrary boundary set
Which to change is not important to our politicians yet.
So why should we be searching for new service to adopt
When we should be getting used to all our phone calls being dropped.

BUTLER COUNTY DEMOCRATS MEET

Members & guests of the Butler County Democrat Central Committee held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 27 at the Edge-O-Town restaurant in El Dorado. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 24 at the same location. All interested parties are welcome. Dinner at 6 pm on your own; meeting at 7 pm

Submitted by: Glenn Hobson, Sec.

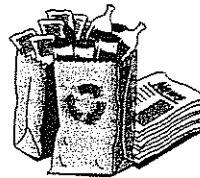
**Residential
refuse pick
up will be
Friday,
June 1, 2007
due to the Memorial
Day holiday.**



WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

The Whitewater River Consolidated Fire Department responded to seven alarms in April. The variety of calls included a chimney fire, motor vehicle accident, medical call, grass fire, farm accident, vehicle fire, and automatic residential fire alarm. We did not have any calls within the limits of Whitewater or Elbing but responded to all four townships in our district.

Darryl Claasen, Fire Chief



Recycling Trailer Schedule (Scout House Parking Lot)

MAY 16th &

JUNE 6th

AFTER 10 A.M.

WHITEWATER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

At our April meeting we discussed the addition of a list of activities in the Whitewater Newsletter, Whitewater Fall Festival planning meeting, CJ's Clean Up (THANK YOU), grocery/convenience store, RHS Community Service Day, Hometown Competitiveness program and our plans for our June meeting. Our next meeting will be held May 16th at 7am at the Whitewater Cafe.



**Wood chips are
still available at the ball
diamond. They are free for
the taking. Load and haul
away as much as you need.
This would make great mulch.**

BUTLER COUNTY RECYCLING GUIDELINES

BRING YOUR RECYCLABLES TO THE
SCOUT HOUSE

OPEN 10:00 AM UNTIL 7:00 PM ON THE
1ST AND 3RD WEDNESDAY
OF EACH MONTH



NEWSPAPERS, OFFICE
PAPER, AND JUNK MAIL
-CLEAN AND DRY

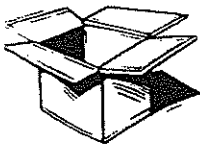
MAGAZINES
-CLEAN AND DRY



ALUMINUM
-RINSE AND
CRUSH CANS



GLASS CONTAINERS
-CLEAR, BROWN OR
GREEN
-REMOVE LIDS AND RINSE



CARDBOARD BOXES
-MIXED
CARDBOARD

TIN FOOD CONTAINERS
-RINSE



PLASTIC MILK JUGS (HDPE1), JUICE, POP BOTTLES
(PEET1), AND LAUNDRY BOTTLES (HDPE2)
-REMOVE LIDS AND RINSE
-NO MIXED PLASTIC

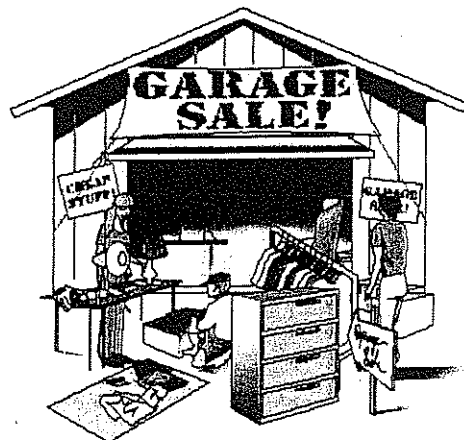
PLEASE KEEP RECYCLABLES SEPARATED

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 320-1453

CITY WIDE GARAGE SALES

SIGN UP TODAY

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BY FRIDAY, MAY 18, 2007.**



Whitewater Memorial Library News

118 East Topeka, Whitewater, KS 67154 ~ Phone: 316-799-2471 ~ Fax: 316-799-1099 ~ Email: whitelib@sbcglobal.net



Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30—noon

Staff

Director: Jean Thiessen

Youth Services Coordinator: Julie Mosiman

Administrative Assistant: Gaytha Bolton

Board of Trustees

President: Bob Henderson

Vice President: Sue Johnson

Secretary: Wes Hansen

Treasurer: Cindy Roth

Member: Bill Reynolds

Member: Kim Marciano

Member: Carrie Whalen

Get a Clue @Your Library! Signup Begins May 14

Just think, young readers, no Book It program for three whole months AND you can read *just for fun* at Whitewater Memorial Library!

This summer, it's all about fun and discovery and the possibilities are endless! Discover a new book or author. Try *listening* to a book instead of reading it. How about discovering a new hobby or new movie?

In addition, the three public use computers provide an unending source of informa-

tion and activities with Microsoft Office and DSL Internet access.

Summer reading Club runs from June 1 - July 31 and readers of all ages may participate, even little ones that are read to by others.

Signup starts on Monday, May 14, at the library.

So, super sleuths and daring detectives, come for the fun! Come for the prizes! Or just come to the library this summer to see your friends.

Did you know . . .

- ▶ The last spring Story Time takes place Monday, May 14, at 10 am?
- ▶ The annual Fun Fair is Saturday, June 9, from 9:00 am until noon?
- ▶ No library transactions will occur on Saturday, June 9, due to the annual Fun Fair?
- ▶ The Board of Trustees has initiated a Strategic Planning Process in which you will have a chance to participate?

Fun Fair Day = Drop and Shop Day for Parents

Parents, have we got a deal for you. The Whitewater/Potwin City-wide Garage Sales are set for Saturday, June 9.

Starting at 9:00 am you can **drop** your

children off at the library's annual Fun Fair and **shop** the garage sales "unassisted!" Of course, parents are also welcome to stay and play along with

their children.

There will be lots of fun activities, prizes and things to make. All we ask is that you retrieve your child no later than noon.

Horseless Carriage Club Visits Whitewater

Sixteen horseless carriages, also known as antique cars and trucks, visited Whitewater on the Saturday morning of April 25.

Members of the Horseless Carriage Club were out for a morning cruise to Peabody and paraded their vehicles into the Swiss Church parking lot.

After taking a break and enjoying strawberry shortcake and cold bottles of water at the library, they headed to the Victorian Rose and re-

ceived a warm welcome and complimentary votive.

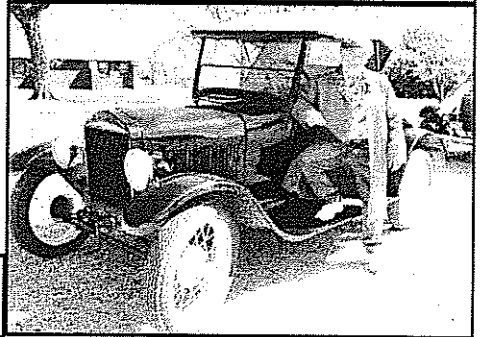
Club members were eager to talk about their vehicles and some Whitewater residents stopped to view them and take photographs.

The club is made up of members from Wichita and the surrounding areas. They like to travel somewhere twice a month but sometimes go as often as twice a week.

Right: Alfred Rieschick, Rose Hill, poses by his Model T.



Above: Members of the Horseless Carriage Club enjoy strawberry shortcake at the library.



Kiowa County Library in Greensburg: Total Loss

At last report, the Kiowa County Library in Greensburg was essentially sheared off three feet above the ground by the tornado that devastated that area recently. Everything below that level is setting in water.

The Kansas Library Asso-

ciation Educational Foundation has set up a fund to rebuild the Kiowa County Library in Greensburg.

The Kansas Library Association Educational Fund has 501c3 status, so all donations to that fund are tax deductible.

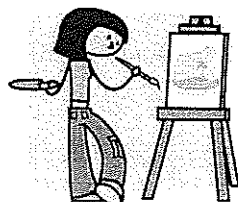
Contributions can be made with a credit or debit card through PayPal or you can print the form and mail a check, all from the following website: <http://skyways.lib.ks.us/KLA/greensburg.html>

Please DO NOT SEND BOOKS. There is no place for them.

Talent, Creativity and Beauty: They Have It All

A talented group of young ladies from RHS arrived on Wednesday, April 25, to spend Community Service Day at the library.

Accompanied by fearless leader Liz Vogel,



the ladies painted 60 sets of binoculars, generated itemized forms on the computer, created a bulletin board and copied activity sheets, all for Summer Reading Club. "Computer

Girl" downloaded computer records and partially processed a lot of new books.

Thank you, Melanie Bishop, Ashley Bottiger, Kelsie Koehn, Melisha Regier, Ashley Ulmer and Liz Vogel! You were delightful to work with.



Join us this summer and
GET A CLUE

AT
Whitewater Memorial Library's
2007 Summer Reading Club



Summer Reading Club runs from June 1 - July 31. Children of all ages (non-readers too!) can register at the library beginning May 14th.

Complete the required number of BINGO sheets and receive a "Get A Clue" t-shirt!

Enjoy fun programs at the library June - July. Check the Activity Schedule for more details.

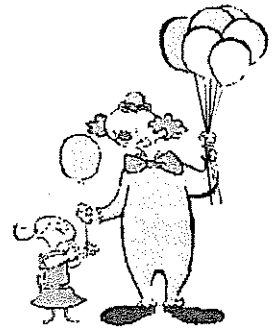
For more information, call the library at 316/799-2471.



Here is a BIG



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For making the PTO Carnival a **HUGE** Success!

Over

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Special thanks go to . . .

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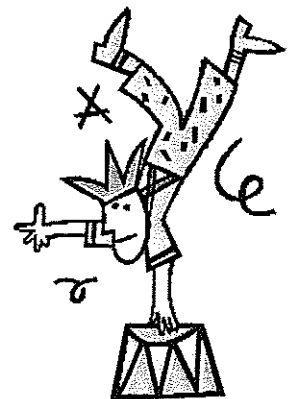
Teachers

K-8 Students

Parents



And YOU!

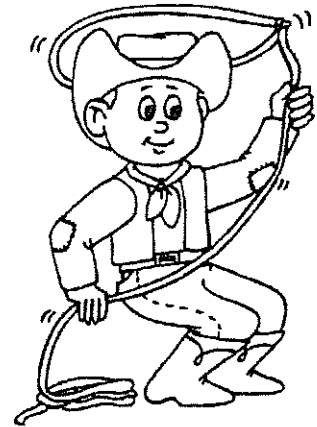


Howdy, Friends!

Come to Avalanche Ranch, a wild ride through God's Word!

Get ready for an exciting celebration of God's love filled with stampeding cattle, yapping cattle dogs, soaring eagles, and a whole herd of friends.

You'll enjoy Bible Point Crafts and exciting games, experience thrilling Bible stories, sample tasty snacks, and hear unforgettable music.



Location: Palmyra Baptist Church

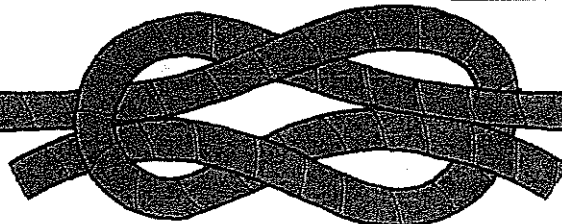
Avalanche Ranch will last: 6/3/2007 -6/7/2007

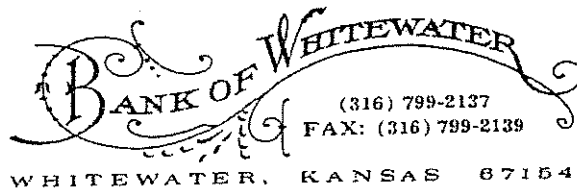
Avalanche Ranch fun begins at: 6:00 pm

Avalanche Ranch fun ends at: 9:00 pm

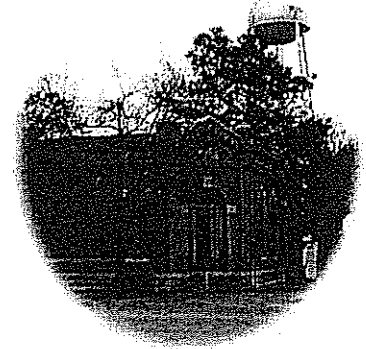
Avalanche Crews for: Pre-K through 5th grade

For more information, call: 778-1816





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Saturday

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Come and dive in
to a great time of
learning, growing,
and having fun!

Join us for VBS 2007 !

Monday through Friday, June 4-8

8:30-11:30 a.m.

Emmaus Church, Whitewater

3 miles N of 196 on Meadowlark Rd.



All kids, PreK-6th Grade, are invited to join us! If you have questions or need a ride for your child, call Staci at 316-744-0495.

A NEW HIGH SCHOOL

1923

The old Whitewater red, brick school building that has stood on the school block for many decades will be no more after this summer. The two story structure will be replaced by a more up-to-date one-level building which is totally handicapped accessible. The light colored brick addition, which was built in the 1950's before unification was put in place, will remain in use by the district.

The old high school was built in 1923. The school board with members - A. S. Finch, Director; Paul Ross, Clerk; J. B. Hazlett, Treasurer, had been discussing the matter of a new school for young people to encourage them to further their opportunities in the work world. It was during these many discussions that it was decided that the board should allow community involvement in the planning process. A school meeting was held Friday, April 13, 1923 for the purpose of discussion on a proposal for a new brick building for high school age students. After the meeting the board circulated a petition which would allocate a bond election to raise \$65,000 for a new building, fully furnished and equipped. After the successful petition drive, the board called for the bond election to be held on May 9, 1923. The Whitewater Independent newspaper encouraged the citizenry to vote for the "interest of the children still in school and yet to come".

"Grades put on a most picturesque and entertaining demonstration and parade in favor of an enlarged and more modern school building. The calico pony rode by Versal Waterfall carrying the U. S. flag headed the procession, the band followed, faculty and part of the pupils in decorated automobiles and noisy horns and after them a long procession of pupils on foot and Joe Lambert as clown. The end of the humorous procession was a tractor pulling a wagon with a hay rack, and basketball players illustrating the "out-of-door court" and auditorium. It was a long march for all the youngsters, but they enjoyed it, as well as the many spectators. Such an ingenious demonstration well deserves a new, handsome, commodious high school we must have." (May 10, 1923, Independent)

The bond election was held May 9, 1923 with the result of 224 in favor, and 149 against the bond. The school board then proceeded with the issuing of the bonds. The next day, May 10, 1923 the board met at 4 P.M. at the Whitewater Flour Mill office to accept sealed bids to finance the construction of the new school building. Five bonding companies from Wichita, one company from Kansas City, and the local People's State Bank were bidders at the sale. The People's Bank of Whitewater was the successful bidder and the community was proud that such a small town bank could finance such a big project.

The August 30th, 1923 Independent stated that the construction of the new \$65,000 high school building was going right up and would be ready for occupancy by the second semester. The paper also mentioned that the purpose of the board and the teachers was to keep the standards high and the morals clean so it would be a safe place for the children.

The new high school was declared completed and ready for use as of December 6, 1923. Dedication exercises were held on Tuesday, December 11, 1923 at noon. A basket noon meal was brought by everyone with a menu of roast chicken, sandwiches, baked beans was served. The board provided the desserts and drinks. Following the bountiful lunch the patrons examined the new building and equipment. At 2:30 P.M. Dr. W. Kurtz, President of McPherson College gave the dedicatory address. He was widely known as an excellent speaker. Approximately 500 people attended the service.

The auditorium was officially opened on Wednesday, December 12, 1923 when the Junior Class presented the play, "The Fascinating Fanny Brown." Admission was 25 and 35 cents. The 1924 graduating class purchased the stage curtain in the auditorium for \$159.00

In the evening the basketball floor was properly initiated when four teams composed of businessmen, the high school, the American Legion played several rousing games. The board has made it clear that the building should be used by the community

The Board of Directors sacrificed much of their time and effort in supervising and completing the construction of the excellent building. The new school was the product of the latest designs in school architecture.

It was noted that the workmanship that inspired and built the very substantial building should last for a hundred years. (Independent, Dec. 20, 1923)

(Information researched from the microfiche film library of old newspapers as accumulated in The Whitewater Memorial Library.)

Researched by Agnes Harder, Historical Society, 2007.

Written by Pauline and Nick Toews, 2007.

Remington Middle School Sale Items

"Viewing" Night
Tuesday, May 15, 2007
5-7PM.

Due to the fact that the two-story part of Remington Middle School will be demolished, the items listed below will be for sale. You may examine items on the "Viewing" Night. If interested in purchasing any items, submit the request form to the RMS office on May 16-18, 2007. Please make checks to USD 206. Items must be removed from the premises on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 from 7AM to 7PM.

- Bricks- Take as you want – Limited Quantity (PICKED UP AFTER DEMO)
- Window Air Conditioners- \$10
- Trim/Base Boards- \$.10 per foot
- Red Lockers – Set of 6 Lockers - \$25
- Inside Windows - \$5
- Inside Doors- \$5
- Spiral Stair Case- \$100
- Fluorescent Light Fixtures- \$5
- Ceiling Fans- \$5
- Old light fixtures- \$3
- Radiators- \$3
- 2 BB goals - \$20 a piece
- Kitchen equipment- \$ -To be Determined

Request Form for RMS Sale Items

Return to RMS office on May 16-18.

Name _____

	Item	Cost of Item	Total Cost
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____	_____

Total Cost _____

If you have any questions, call the Remington Middle School Office at 316-799-2131 and ask for Bruce Krase or Carol Price.

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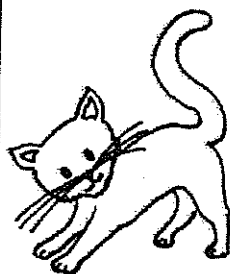
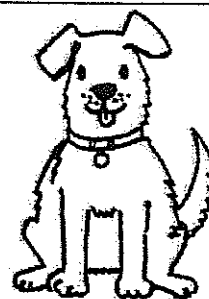
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AUGUST 14TH - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)



Just a reminder:

**All dogs and cats in the City of Whitewater are
required to have a current animal tag. These tags
are available at the city building. A proof of current rabies
vaccination is necessary to get a tag. Tags are \$5.00 for pets
that have been neutered and \$10.00 for those that
have not been. The 2006 tag expires on May 31,
2007. A new tag may be picked up anytime.**



Wellness Meeting

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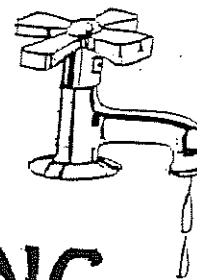
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From Elbing - 5 & 1/2 mi. E. to Diamond Rd., 1/2 mi. N.
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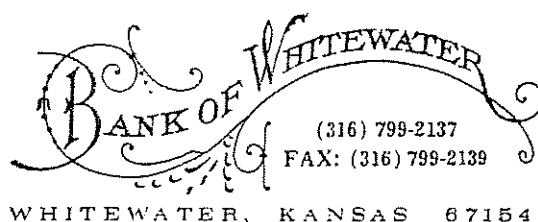
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Whitewater Community Newsletter June, 2007

The front page will be used to highlight a local business



The Bank of Whitewater was organized on April 3rd, 1891 by George P. Neiman and Howard Neiman and today serves as the oldest bank in Butler County. Located on the corner of Topeka and Main Street, the Bank of Whitewater continues to operate out of its original bank building. In an era of large banks and bank mergers, the Bank of Whitewater remains locally owned, which allows for a continued focus on serving the needs of the Whitewater community.

Today, the Bank of Whitewater is run by Don Patry, who moved his family to Whitewater in 1990. With over 35 years of banking experience, Don accepted his current role of Bank President in 1991. In addition, the Bank employs a knowledgeable and courteous staff with a combined 63 years of banking experience.

While some things have not changed over the past century, our product offerings are continually changing to adapt to the needs of our customers. We offer a variety of services including checking and savings accounts, certificates of deposit, Visa check cards, merchant services, IRA's, safe deposit boxes, real estate loans, and consumer and commercial loans.

Our continued success and independence is the result of the Bank's loyal customer base, including many of whom we have done business with for multiple generations. We appreciate the opportunity to grow with our customers and look forward to forming that long standing banking relationship with YOU!

Our lobby is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. while our drive-up is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Our Saturday drive-up hours are 9 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Stop by today to find out what we can do for you!

Council Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Building and are open to the public.

Mayor: Patrick Ryan, **Council Members:**

Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth and Kara Zonnefeld

April 23, 2007

Dan Ravenscraft (Annabell Hephner) moved to approve the consent calendar. Motion carried.

Bob McCoy addressed the council concerning a location to sell fireworks. He was told that a location would be found for selling fireworks. Various options were discussed.

The planter box on Main and Highway 196 was discussed. Water will be made available to take care of the flowers in the planter.

Dan Ravenscraft informed the council of the traffic study that had been done on Osage Road and the 20 mph speed limit signs that were to be placed there.

Dave Silbernagel stated that sealing of the streets was scheduled to begin on May 7. Mr. Silbernagel also asked about reimbursing the CJ's for a windshield that was damaged during spring clean up. The possibility of installing a basketball goal and slab in the park on Central was discussed. This matter was tabled for now.

An animal control report was given regarding dogs, cats, and even opossums.

The April court docket was presented.

Expenditures for April were accepted.

Virgie Brewer was present to discuss having a ramp cut into the curb in front of 209 S Main. It was agreed that the city would help with this installation.

A motion was made to refund that scout house rent to Harley Reeves to help with her fundraising efforts. Motion carried.

Ken Roth stated that he would be in Todd Tiahrt's office Friday and would ask about receiv-

ing e-mails concerning possible grants.

Bill Reynolds asked about having further information made available to the council concerning the budget process. This will be looked into.

Kara Zonnefeld reported that she would be attending a conference about CDBG money.

The Oath of Office was administered to Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth, and Kara Zonnefeld. Council committees were assigned by the Mayor.

Bill Reynolds Annabell Hephner) moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:27 p.m. Motion carried.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like placed on our calendar please submit the information to the city office by the 10th of each month.

June 12th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

June 12th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

June 20th - Recycling after 10 am

June 23rd - Share Food Distribution

June 30th - Fireworks Sales Begin

June 30th - Business Appreciation Dinner - Pizza Place - 6:30 pm

July 3rd - Slow Pitch Tournament

July 4th - Slow Pitch Tournament, Barbeque, Entertainment, Fireworks

July 5th - Recycling after 10 am (Thursday)

July 6th - Refuse Pick Up (Friday)

July 6th - Last day to register for Pharaoh's Curse

July 10th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

July 10th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

July 11th - Pharaoh's Curse - Library - 2 pm

July 16th - Public Forum Comm. Center - Scout House - 7 pm

July 18th - Recycling after 10 am

July 18th - The Magic Man - Library - 11:00 am

July 28th - Share Food Distribution

Aug. 1st - Recycling after 10 am

Aug. 14th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

Aug. 14th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

Aug 15th - Recycling after 10 am

Aug. 25th - Share Food Distribution

Sept. 5th - Recycling after 10 am

Sept. 11th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

Sept. 19th - Recycling after 10 am

Sept. 22nd - Share Food Distribution

Whitewater Memorial Library News

118 East Topeka, Whitewater, KS 67154 ~ Phone: 316-799-2471 ~ Fax: 316-799-1099 ~ Email: whitelib@sbcglobal.net



Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30—noon

Staff

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Member: Kim Marciano

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Get A Clue @ Your Library: Special Events

"THE PHAROAH'S CURSE"

An Interactive Mystery

She was Queen of the Nile until the accident, or was it attempted murder?

Investigate the crime scene and carefully examine the evidence in order to solve the crime.

Join fellow detectives on **Wednesday, July 11, 2007, at 2:00 pm**, at the

library to solve the mystery of "The Pharaoh's Curse."

Anyone who will enter 6th, 7th or 8th grade in the fall may register for this interactive mystery at the library any time before Friday, July 6.

Being a member of Summer Reading Club is not required to participate in this interactive mystery.

Get a Clue! with **Dan Dan the Magic Man** An Interactive Comedy/Mystery

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Dan Dan the Magic Man invites children of all

ages to the library to help him solve a special mystery on **Wednesday, July 18, 2007, at 11:00 am.**

This program is free and open to all children, regardless of whether they are participating in Summer Reading Club.

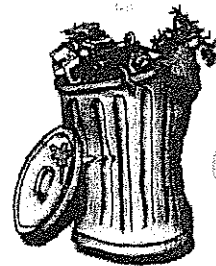
WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

The Whitewater River Fire Department responded to eight calls during the month of May. The calls consisted of five medical, one motor vehicle accident, one request for ventilation, and one grass fire. The alarms were generated from Whitewater and the townships of Milton, Fairmount, and Richland.

The Whitewater Lions Club honored the members of the Fire Department with a supper at the Scout House. It was a wonderful meal followed by an interesting report by the District Governor on his experiences in Greensburg. The recognition of firefighter dedication was greatly appreciated.

Darryl Claasen, Fire Chief

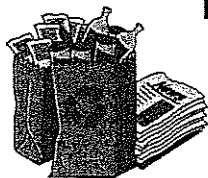
Residential refuse pick up will be Friday, July 6, 2007 due to the July 4th holiday.



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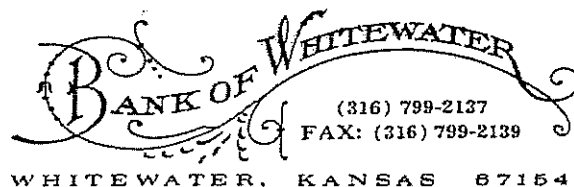
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**THE WHITEWATER LIONS CLUB
PO BOX 195
WHITEWATER, KANSAS 67154**

CELEBRATE THE 4TH IN WHITEWATER

The Whitewater Lions Club will be sponsoring the 4th of July celebration again this year. The overhead fireworks will be at dark the night of the 4th following a short entertainment program at approximately 8:30 pm.

A slow pitch ball tournament is being put together for the evening of the 3rd of July extending over to the 4th. For information and entry form please call Don Patry at 799 2137 or 799 2152 or Bob Cornelius at 687 3009. The concession stand will be open serving cold drinks and food during the ball tournament and into the evening of the 4th. The Lions Club will be selling fireworks in the 400 block of S. Main beginning Saturday noon June 30th and continuing through the 4th of July.

Submitted by: Robert L Cornelius
President, Whitewater Lions

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JERRY HILL PARK**

**BARBEQUE DINNER
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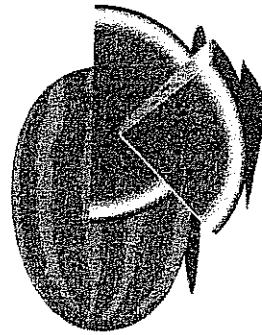
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Watermelon Feed

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~ Live Music
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Bring your family and your lawn
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Praise and Worship

Where: Swiss Church sanctuary

When: June 16, 7:30-9:30

Ticket Prices: \$0.00

Who: Anyone in junior
high or high school

Psalm 95:6-7 Come let us bow
down in worship, let us kneel
before the Lord our Maker; for
He is our God and we are the
people of His pasture, and the
flock under His care.



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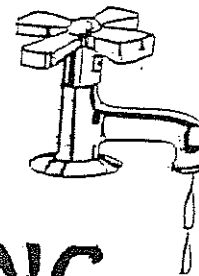
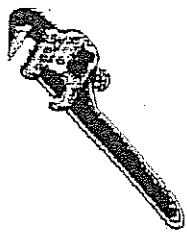
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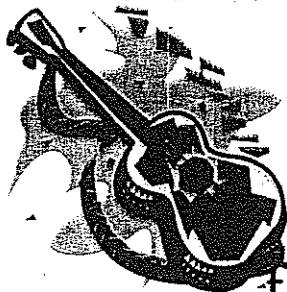
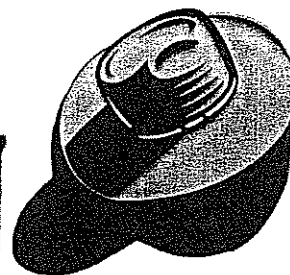
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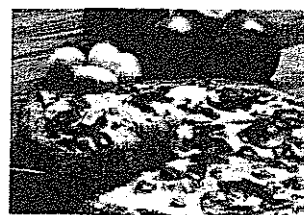
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Melinda Regehr
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Chelsea Coats
Kathryn Fee
Kerri Glover
Mandy McNeill

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Holly Allmond
Katrina Carey
Cole Claassen
Grant Claassen
Rose Dollarhide
Paul Janzen
Will Johnson
Caitlin McKaughan
Nicole Minder
Harley Reeves
Katrina Regehr
Kyle Regier
Monte Ross

5TH GRADE:

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Rachelle Claassen
Brendon Entz
Emma Hilgenfeld
Deanna Ingalsbe
Audrey Orr
Kylee Schunn

PRINCIPAL'S HONOR ROLL - A'S AND NO MORE THAN 2 B'S

8TH GRADE:

Alex Freking
Sarah Gardner
Leslie Langley
Becca Macy
Victoria Martling
Kellie McCormick
Ellen Mosiman
Paul Schmitz
Andrew Snider
Cisco Soto
Lowell Thompson
Cori Thunberg

7TH GRADE:

Jessi Green
Isabel Guerrero
Eric Janzen
Kevin Nash
Katie Thiessen
Olivia Wallace
Tim Wedel

6TH GRADE:

Lindsay Bevan
Abby Holliday
Megan McNeill
Addie Mosiman
Emily Raines
Stacia Thunberg

5TH GRADE:

Madison Janzen
Rachelle Thiessen
Zachary Thornburg

RED AND WHITE HONOR ROLL - A'S AND B'S

8TH GRADE:

Hanna Erdman
Jake Green
Rachelle Hanna
Colton King
Josh Lago
Ben Longden
Nick Newfer
Briana Thiessen
Eric Toevs
Jared Ulmer
Brandy Walters
Julian Watkins

7TH GRADE:

Tyler Atwood
Nick Black
Hanna Brown
Juston Buster
Aubrey Cashion
Caleb Cherryholmes
Kody Hendrix
Kendra Regier
Elise Toevs
Felicia Voth

6TH GRADE:

Jake Abrahams
Kolby Burns
Maria Entz
Sam Harper
Sara Mosiman
Elena Soto

5TH GRADE:

Tia Frazell
Britton Grinstead
Hunter Hill
Alyssa Hinz
Cody Jacks
Bradley Johnson
Blake Lay
Austin Miller
Kaitlyn Nash
Trent Nelson
Katie Race-Boschman
Julianna Soto
Poncho Teichroeb

CREATIVITY IN GOD'S NEIGHBORHOOD

2007 Summer Program for Adults and Children

3. Varenki Mini Class

Instructor: Laura Entz
 June 16, 2:00-4:00 pm
 Max. Enrollment: 8 Age: 14 and older
 Register by June 11, & meet at ZMC. Bring a rolling pin, if you have one.
 Learn how to cook the foods of the Russian Mennonite Culture



Zion Mennonite Church (ZMC)

525 Main Street

Elbing, KS 67041

316-799-2071 (CHURCH)

316-799-1472 (CELL)

zionmennonite2007@yahoo.com

Rev. Bruce Bradshaw, Pastor

June Entz, Program Director

4. Auto Maintenance and Tire Changing

Instructors: Daryl Regier & Keith Wiebe
 June 17, 6:00 pm
 Age: 14 and older
 Register by June 14, & meet at ZMC.
 Get to know your car. Learn how to check your car fluids and change your tire. Bring your own car, if you do not have a car, a demonstration car will be provided.



5. French Bread Baking

Instruction: Lois Friesen
 June 19, 9:00-10:30 am
 Max Enrollment: 8 Age: 8 to 10
 Register by June 12, & meet at ZMC.
 Bring an apron, if you have one.
 Everybody loves the smell of bread. Let's bake bread for the gift of giving.



6. Centerpiece Arranging

Instructor: Lois Friesen
 June 23, 10:00-11:00 am
 Max Enrollment: 6 Age: 14 and older
 Register by June 16, & meet at ZMC.
 Suggested Donation: \$10.00
 Learn how to arrange formal/informal centerpieces.



7. Dried Arrangements

Instructor: Peggy Regier
 June 23, 10:00-11:00 am
 Max Enrollment: 6 Age: 14 and older
 Register by June 16, & meet at ZMC.
 Suggested Donation: \$8.00
 Learn how to make dried flower arrangements.



8. Fingernail Polish

Instructors: Diane Wiebe and Rebecca Ens
 June 30, 1:00-3:00 pm
 Age: 14 and younger
 Register by June 28, & meet at ZMC.
 These licensed beauticians will be available to paint your fingernails. Come and go as you please.



9. Visiting Our African Friends

Instructor: Deanna Entz
 July 6, 10:00-11:00 am
 Max Enrollment: 8 Age: 7 to 10
 Register by June 29, and meet at ZMC.
 Learn and experience life and culture in Nigeria, one of the vibrant cultures of West Africa.



10. Ice Cream Edible Geology

Instructor: Kathy Preheim
 June 12, 10:00-11:00 am
 Age: 8 to 14
 Register by July 5, & meet at ZMC.
 Kids will make a tasty treat while learning about exciting science concepts.



11. Wheat Weaving

Instructors: Martha Voth & Marie Voth
 July 14, 9:00-11:00 am
 Max Enrollment: 15 Age: 9 and older
 Register by July 7, and meet at ZMC.
 Learn several techniques of weaving the grass that has made Kansas famous. This class will introduce you to the skills to make decorations and ornaments with wheat.



12. Counted Cross-Stitch Embroidery

Instructor: Margaret Brewer

July 17, 7:00-8:00 pm

Max Enrollment 10 Age: 8 and older

Register by July 10, & meet at ZMC

Suggested Donation: \$2.00

Learn the fine art of counted cross-stitch embroidery; it is easier than you think.



14. Sun Catcher Mini Class

Instructor: Ann Schowengerdt

July 21, 7:00-11:00 am

Max Enrollment: 6 Age: 17 & older

(If you are 16 and under and would like to attend the class, you must be accompanied by you parent/guardian for the entire class.)

Register by July 14, & meet at ZM Parsonage Garage.

Suggestion Donation: \$2.00

Make a foiled Sun Catcher. Bring a glass cutter, sandering iron, safety glasses, leather gloves, pliers (pliers do not need teeth). If you do not have these items, please contact ZMC.



13. Stained Glass Demonstration

Instructor: Ann Schowengerdt

July 19, 7:00-9:00 pm

Meet at ZM Parsonage Garage, SE of church.

Ann will introduce the various techniques of stained glass and display glass art pieces. Ann will teach the step-by-step process on making Sun Catchers for Sun Catcher Mini Class on Saturday.

MUST ATTEND DEMONSTRATION TO REGISTER FOR SUN CATCHER MINI CLASS.



15. Beadery

Instructor: Newton Beadery

July 23, 2:00-3:30 pm

Age 7 and older

Register by July 16 & meet at ZMC

Suggested Donation: \$5.00

Come make a bead buddy zipper pull for your backpack this fall. You will choose your favorite critter and the staff of Newton Beadery will show you how to string the beads in the shape of a lizard, frog, dog, rabbit, ladybug, monkey, goldfish and more!



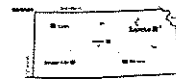
16. Finding History and Excitement in Your Kansas Hometowns

Instructor: Keith Sprunger

August 19, 7:00 pm

Meet at ZMC

Sometimes less is more. There are many treasures to be found in our hometowns.



Permission Form

Please Print

I, _____, give permission for my son/daughter _____ to attend (activity numbers) _____ at ZMC. If your child is planning on attending several of the activities, please write the numbers of all activities.

Parent/Guardian Print Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____

In Case of Emergency:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Relationship to child: _____

Complete one permission form per participant.

Registration Form

Name _____

Phone _____

Registration for : (Check Line) Activity 1 & 2 Past

3 _____ 4 _____ 5 _____

6 _____ 7 _____ 8 _____

9 _____ 10 _____ 11 _____

12 _____ 13 _____ 14 _____

Register for one or more activities.

Complete Permission form if 18 yrs & younger.

All sessions are free, unless stated otherwise; your participation is encouraged, regardless of paying the suggested donations.

Please return this form to address on first page or email: zionmennonite2007@yahoo.com

To All Padgett & Associates Inc. Clients

Padgett & Associates, Inc. one of the first mortgage brokers licensed in the state of Kansas merged business operations 12-21-05 with New Century Bank National Association. The company in name no longer exists effective January 1, 2006 and now is the mortgage department of the bank. Padgett & Associates, Inc. had the privilege of placing home loans for over 1800 families the past 14 years in Butler, Harvey, & Sedgwick counties as well as other counties across the state. We are still committed to servicing those clients. The innovative first time homebuyers programs with FHA, VA, and all conventional loans with Fannie Mae & Freddie Mac are still available. As part of a National chartered bank we can now offer services to families in all 50 states. Clifton Padgett is now located in Manhattan on a daily basis. We are still active in placing loans in Butler, Harvey, and Sedgwick counties as well as doing new construction loans state wide. Service has always been priority one and this move will enhance that even more. Clifton can still be reached at (316) 320-9119 or at our toll free line at the main bank (888) 235-7976. Our direct line to the Manhattan Loan Production Office is (785) 532-9066. We have enjoyed living in the Whitewater area since June of 1987. The opportunity to return to my home town and live in our second home in the Kansas flint hills at our Chapman ranch was a major reason for the move. Clifton and Pauline still have the Whitewater residence. Our son is attending Butler J.C. in El Dorado so part of each month is still spent in the area. Call if I can be of assistance in your next home purchase or refinance.

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Whitewater Community Newsletter July, 2007

The front page will be used to highlight a local business

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We look back at the years and are very thankful to our loyal customers and the wonderful friends that we have come to know that have been supportive of us. We sincerely appreciate our dedicated customers, and welcome you, if you are new to our community, also.

Our business hours are:

Monday - Friday 7:00 am - 5:30 pm

Saturday 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Stop in anytime we can be of assistance to you or just to say HI.

Council Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Building and are open to the public.

Mayor: Patrick Ryan, Council Members:

Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth and Kara Zonnefeld

May 29, 2007

Betty Whitaker-Hansen was present to talk about plans being made for the 2007 Fall Festival on October 6. Ken Roth (Annabell Hephner) moved to donate \$200.00 to the Fall Festival Committee. Motion carried.

Brandon Patry was present to ask for the council's support in attaining the help of KAN STEP in obtaining a community building for Whitewater. Bill Reynolds (Annabell Hephner) so moved. Motion carried. There will be a kickoff for this project at the Chamber of Commerce Appreciation Dinner on June 30th at 6:30 pm at the Whitewater Cafe (Pizza Parlor).

Gary George discussed the 2006 Audit with the council and talked about the 2008 budget process.

Officer Baker stated that there had been more copper thefts in the area. The new speed limits on Osage Road were also discussed. Four wheelers were also discussed with an emphasis being that they were to follow all traffic laws.

Dave Silbernagel invited all council members to take a tour of the cities service facilities. The Lions Club sign on Main and Highway 196 has been removed and will be replaced with a new sign and planter. After some additional discussion it was decided that new bids for concrete work on South Main would be obtained for council in June. Main would be obtained for council in June.

Annabell Hephner (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to waive the \$75.00 fee for the fireworks permit for the Lions Club. Motion carried.

An opportunity for donating to the City of Greensburg was presented. Other interested

groups will be contacted, a decision will be made in June.

June 25, 2007

These minutes have not been approved.

Geraldine Vann was present to talk to the council regarding her fall on the sidewalk on S. Main. Mrs. Vann asked that a barricade be put up around the area where the sidewalk is bad.

Phil Hartwick was present to discuss the condition of the road work done by Butler County on Main and Central. Butler County. He stated that he had called and voiced his concerns. The county has been contacted by the city office. Mayor Ryan said that he would call to follow up on this and Ken Roth will be writing a letter to them as well.

Water and sewer fees were discussed next. The fee for installation of new service was also discussed. The cost of a water and sewer rate study will be looked into.

Officer Baker reported on the fence at the ball diamond that had been damaged. Pocket Rockets were also discussed. Underage drinking at the ball park was asked about.

Estimates for the costs of replacement of the sidewalk on S. Main were presented. Ken Roth (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to do the work as proposed. Motion carried.

Ken Roth asked to check an area of street on North Locust.

Kara Zonnefeld asked for Dave to check concrete and metal structures in her yard.

Ken Roth asked that Dave check on drainage on East Topeka. Other areas of concern were also mentioned.

Ken Roth offered to build a new rental sign for the city. The city will pay for materials.

Bill Reynolds (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to make a donation to the city of Greensburg, Kansas. Motion carried. This donation will be made through Kansas Rural Water Association.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like placed on our calendar please submit the information to the city office by the 10th of each month.

July 16th - Public Forum Comm. Center - Scout

House - 7 pm

July 16th - Playaway available at Library

July 18th - Chamber of Commerce - Cafe - 7 am

July 18th - Recycling after 10 am

July 18th - The Magic Man - Library - 11:00 am

July 28th - Share Food Distribution

July 29th - Watermelon Feed - Swiss - 6 pm

Aug. 1st - Recycling after 10 am

Aug. 14th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

Aug. 14th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

Aug 15th - Recycling after 10 am

Aug. 25th - Share Food Distribution

Sept. 5th - Recycling after 10 am

Sept. 11th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

Sept. 11th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm

Sept. 19th - Recycling after 10 am

Sept. 22nd - Share Food Distribution

Oct. 3rd - Recycling after 10 am

Oct. 6th - Fall Festival

Oct. 9th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon

Oct. 17th - Recycling after 10 am

Oct. 20th - Share Food Distribution

Nov. 13th - Senior Center Dinner

Nov. 17th - Share Food Distribution

Dec. 11th - Senior Center Dinner

Dec. 15th - Share Food Distribution

WHITEWATER RIVER

CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

We responded to 10 alarms in June. Eight were for medical assistance and two were for field fires.

We received calls from Whitewater and Milton, Richland, and Fairmount Townships.

Our training in June included hose pressure testing in Elbing and driver skills evaluation.

While on the road with emergency vehicles, we have experienced excellent consideration as we approach or work a scene. A few motorists, at times, still do not yield or drive with care through an accident scene. This is a simple reminder.

If an emergency vehicle is overtaking you from behind or approaching you from ahead, please move as far right as safety would dictate and slow down or stop. When passing through an accident scene, please slow down and proceed with caution, paying special attention to your path through the scene. Whether driving or working, we are often at great risk when on the road. We do appreciate your alertness and cooperation.

Darryl Claasen, Fire Chief

THANK YOU

A very special thank you to Dave and Mike for the hard work that went into the new planter at the entrance on Main Street. Thank you SSI sprinkler systems for the great deal and Chris Bowman for the installation. Thank you Lion's Club and the City of Whitewater it was such a pleasure seeing this project take shape and have such a pretty planter. Thank you again, it will be very beautiful for years to come.

"Help Whitewater Grow"

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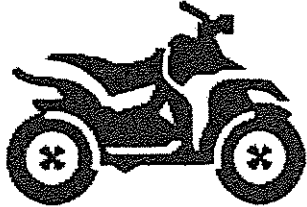
Voice your thoughts and ideas at a Public Exploratory Forum:

July 16, 2007 @ 7 p.m.

Whitewater Scout House

All Citizens and Organizations Encouraged to Attend!

NOTICE TO ALL ATV AND MOTORCYCLE RIDERS



Effective July 1, 2007 Senate Bill No. 8 was changed making the riding of an ATV within the corporate limits of any city illegal. Also motorcycles that are not registered (tagged), with lighting and insurance are still illegal to operate on any city, county, or state roadway. The operator must also have a valid class "M" driver's license to operate the motorcycle. The little pocket rockets that have been operating within the City of Whitewater this summer are illegal to operate on the streets.

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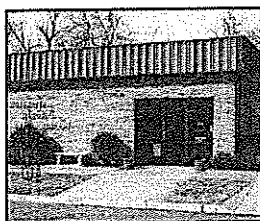
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Whitewater Memorial Library News

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Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30—noon

Staff

Director: Jean Thiessen
Youth Services Coordinator: Julie Mosiman
Administrative Assistant: Gaytha Bolton

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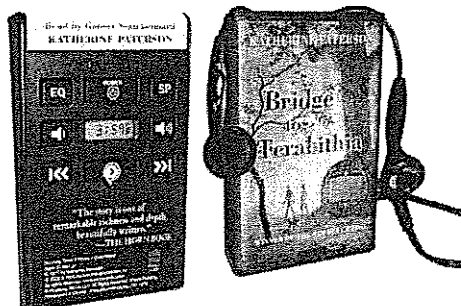
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Playaway is Here: Listen on the Go

The latest in audio book technology has arrived at the library! Beginning Monday, July 16, patrons can listen to a Playaway, the first self-playing digital audio book.

Half the size of a deck of cards, Playaway is the simplest way to listen to a book on the go and - with no tapes or CDs - can hold as little as two or as much as 80 hours of content on each unit. Using clearly marked buttons, Playaway gives listeners the ability to move back and forth within or between chapters and alter the speed of a narrator's voice. It even has an automatic bookmark feature. Simply plug in ear buds and enjoy.

Each Playaway weighs only two ounces and has a universal headphone jack that works with almost any type of headphone or mobil-



ity accessory and some speakers. Use your own or purchase ear buds at the library for \$1.00. Lanyards that attach to the Playaway are also available for \$1.00 each.

Because Playaway's format is friendly for listeners of all ages, every patron can enjoy the new format. The library's startup collection was purchased with funds provided by the

Friends of the Library and includes:

- 🎧 Peter Pan by James Barrie
- 🎧 Cleopatra VII (Royal Diaries) by Kristiana Gregory
- 🎧 Suite Francaise by Irene Nemirovsky
- 🎧 Phantom of the Opera by Gaston Leroux
- 🎧 Mama Learns to Drive by Donald Davis
- 🎧 Bowdrie Dramatizations by Louis L'Amour
- 🎧 Year of Wonder by Joan Didion
- 🎧 Legend of the Wandering King by Laura Gallego Garcia

For more information about Playaway go to www.playawaydigital.com or contact the library at 316-799-2471 or whitelib@sbcglobal.net.

Get a Clue @Your Library: July Update

Reading

An amazing 129 readers are signed up for Summer Reading Club, and 20 readers have already claimed their prize Get a Clue T-shirt for completing their Bingo sheets.

Fun Fair

More than 100 adults and children enjoyed the annual Fun Fair that was staffed by some incredible young people from the area. In addition to games, guessing activities and crafts, there was

heated competition to see who could stack the highest tower of food. The winners were:

Elizabeth Martin - Oreo Cookies

Andrew Snider - Cheez-Its
Micah Carey - Animal Crackers

Mystery Jars

During the month of July, come in and guess the number of fish crackers, malted milk balls or M&Ms in the jars and you win the entire

jar of candy!

Discovery

With a theme like "Get a Clue @ Your Library", the summer is all about discovery. Miss Julie has readers decoding messages on the bulletin board, solving mysteries and searching for treasure in a miniature archaeological dig.

There are still about three weeks of Summer Reading Club left, so *read on!*

New Audio Books a Gift From Friends

In addition to eight new Playaways (see story on first library page), new books on CD have also been purchased for library patrons by the Friends of the Library.

These titles are ready for checkout:

Juvenile Fiction

- * Hank the Cowdog and the Case of the Booby Trapped Pickup (Erickson)
- * Little Town on the Prairie (Wilder)
- * These Happy Golden Years (Wilder)

- * The First Four Years (Wilder)

Adult Fiction

- * The Good Guy (Koontz)
- * Simple Genius (Baldacci)
- * A Thousand Splendid Suns (Hosseini)

Adult Non-Fiction

- * 3 Seconds: the Power of Thinking Twice (Parrott)
- * Reposition Yourself: Living Life without Limits (Jakes)

One of our generous library patrons recently donated the following books on CD that are also ready for checkout:

- * Death in the Clouds (Christie)
- * The Hades Factor (Ludlum)
- * The Andromeda Strain (Crichton)
- * "A" is for Alibi (Grafton)
- * "C" is for Corpse (Grafton)
- * The General's Daughter, Cathedral and The Talbot Odyssey (DeMille)
- * The Last Suppers (Davidson)
- * Golden Buddha and Treasure of Khan (Cussler)

Get a Clue @ Your Library
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He will take you on a mysterious quest full of
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and silly shenanigans.



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Wednesday, July 18, 2007

11:00 am

Whitewater Memorial Library
118 East Topeka

WHITEWATER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

We are still working on a Community Center, there will be a meeting July 16th at the Scout House at 7 pm.

We had our Annual Business Appreciation Dinner at the new Pizza Place on June 30th, approximately 53 attended, it was our best turn out to date.

We donated \$100 to help Greensburg rebuild.

We are working with the Fall Festival Committee.

Our next meeting will be at 7 am at the Whitewater Cafe on the 18th.



Recycling Trailer Schedule (Scout House Parking Lot)

JULY 18th &

AUGUST 1st

AFTER 10 A.M.

1st & 3rd Wednesday Each Month

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Garage Sale

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on Grace Hill Road

July 19, 20, 21

8 am to 5 pm

Furniture, camping equipment, glassware,
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WANTED: Gently used books for library fundraiser book sale. Bring to Whitewater Memorial Library (118 E. Topeka) or call 316 799-2471 for pickup.



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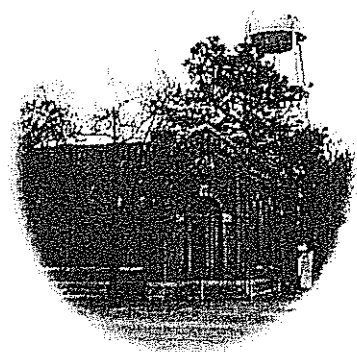
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Drive-Up: 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Lobby: 9:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

Saturday

Drive-Up: 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.



WHITEWATER LIONS CLUB
PO BOX 195
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67154-0195

WOW!! WHAT A 4TH OF JULY. We are sorry we had to cancel the 4th of July celebration. Some of the ball teams members (farmers) thought maybe they could work in the fields. Other teams couldn't find enough players and we ended up with three teams and had to cancel the tournament. As for the BBQ dinner we were debating if we should go ahead and have it. We listened to the weather forecast at 3 pm and sounded as we would have a fast moving isolated storm, but they were wrong again. We had just started serving around 6 pm and here come the rain. "Fast moving", it lasted till midnight. The Whitewater Fire Dept. and the Lions Club have set the annual fireworks display for the Fall Festival, Saturday, October 6, 2007. Sorry for the disappointment.

Some members of the Whitewater Lions will be going to Ferdonia, Kansas July 16 to join other Lions to help cook for the people that are deprived of thier homes because of the wide spread flooding that has taken a large toll on many homes in that area. We will be grilling hamburgers and hot dogs served with potato salad. If anyone wants to donate to the cause please contract Lion Don Patry at The Bank of Whitewater.

We want to thank those that patronized our fireworks stand. Our sales were tremendous. Also a big thank you to the following buriness' that donated money for the evening firworks display.

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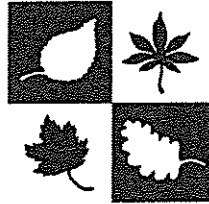


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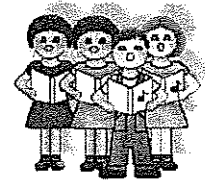
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WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL!!!!!!



October 6, 2007, is the date of the Fall Festival in Whitewater. That means that the big day is less than 3 months away. You still have time to let Fall Festival Committee members know that you have a talent or hobby. We would like to have home-town talent for our entertainment.



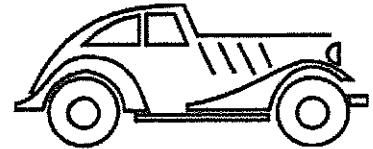
Perhaps you would consider signing up for the arts and craft show. School and church organizations are welcome to have booths selling school related items or foods.



Childrens' activities are planned.



A ball tournament will be ongoing at the ball park.



Antiques and classic cars will be on display.



The library will have books for sale.



Food from vendors as well as the American Legion Auxiliary will be available.



A walk/run is planned

Help get in on the planning. We will need many volunteers the day of the festival. Won't you get involved??



There is something for everyone!! Next Fall Festival Committee meeting will be Tuesday, August 14, at the Scout House @ 7:00 p.m.

2nd Annual
Chili Cookoff

The Victorian Rose



123 S. Main

Whitewater, Ks 67154

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Beauticians:

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Cindy Ravenscraft

Wednesday & Thursday

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Thursday, Friday & Saturday 9:00-5:00

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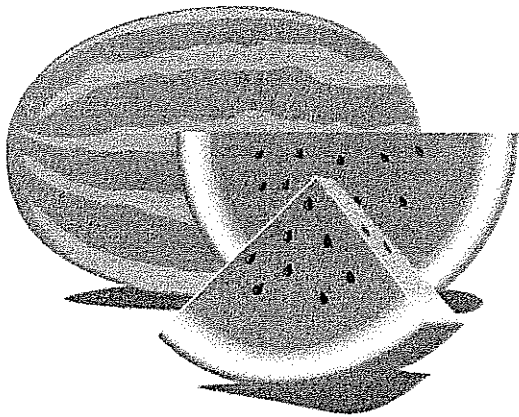
walk-ins welcome!



Neighborhood Connection Watermelon Feed

**On the Swiss Church
basketball court**

Sunday, July 29 at 6:00



~ Kids games

~ Petting Zoo

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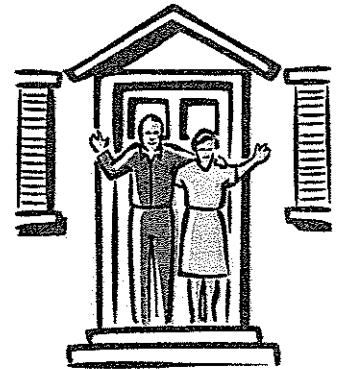
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June 12 - Jenna Wedman Country

July 10 - Newton Medican Center

August 14- Butler County 4-H Club

September 14 - Butler County Commissioners

October 9 - Carolyn Mc Ginnn

Note that Butler County Commissioners will meet at the Senior Center Septemaber 14 at noon. All commissioners will participate. All interested persons invited to this meeting. .

Bring a side dish, table ware, and enjoy the friendships.



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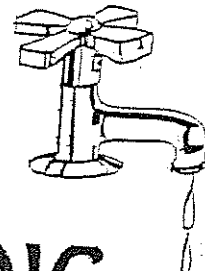
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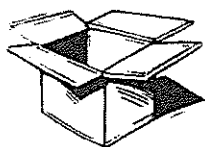
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Whitewater Community Newsletter August, 2007

CLAASSEN CHIROPRACTIC

Claassen Chiropractic has been open in Whitewater for nearly a year! Dr. Michael Claassen D.C. is offering chiropractic services to the surrounding communities. Dr. Claassen is the son of Darryl and Cindy Claassen of rural Whitewater. He is a 1996 graduate of Remington High School and received his Bachelor of Science degree from Kansas State University in 2002. Dr. Claassen then attended Cleveland Chiropractic College in Kansas City and graduated in 2006 with the degree Doctor of Chiropractic.

Claassen Chiropractic offers convenient access to affordable chiropractic care for conditions such as low back pain, neck pain, headaches and many others. Chiropractic care has also proven effective for G.I. disorders, asthma, allergies and jaw problems to name a few. Dr. Claassen is advanced certified in Activator methods chiropractic technique. This low-force technique eliminates the "bone popping" feeling that concerns many people. Activator is one of the most researched techniques available and is the second most widely used adjusting method in all of chiropractic. Stop in to see how it works!

Dr. Claassen is a state certified EMT and has been a member of the Whitewater Fire Dept. since 1999. Claassen Chiropractic is a member of the Whitewater Area Chamber of Commerce and Dr. Claassen is a member of the Chamber Executive Board. He is also a fall 2007 member of the RHS Booster Club and is active with the sports programs.

Claassen Chiropractic offers everything from sports physicals to injury evaluation. Additionally we offer the latest in electrical therapy, non-needle acupuncture, and a great line of nutritional products and supplements.

Claassen Chiropractic is open M – F 8 AM to 12 PM, M – W 1:30 – 5:30 PM and Thursday evenings from 4 – 8 PM. Additional hours available by appointment. Walk-ins are welcome! We are also a contracting provider with Blue Cross Blue Shield insurance and Medicare. Take control of your own health with chiropractic care!

**208 S Elm St in Whitewater
316-799-2779**

Council Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Building and are open to the public.

Mayor: Patrick Ryan, **Council Members:** Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth and Kara Zonnefeld
July 23, 2007

These minutes have not been approved.

Monica Mower and Darryl Claassen were present at council to discuss the sidewalk replacement on South Main. Kara Zonnefeld (Annabell Hephner) moved to send invoices to all three property owners for only the cost of materials used in replacing this sidewalk. Motion carried. New invoices will be sent out as soon as possible.

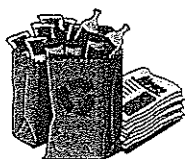
Officer Baker was present and discussed the new Kansas State Statute that has made it illegal to ride ATV's in any city in the state. Bill Reynolds (Dan Ravenscraft) moved that an ordinance with certain restrictions be prepared. This motion failed.

Dave Silbernagel asked about adding another shut off valve to the water system. The cost of this additional valve will be presented at council in August. Dave also stated that he had talked to the road crew from Butler County and they were planning to have their work redone by the end of August.

Special meetings for the 2008 Budget as well as the hearing will be set as soon as information is available.

Bill Reynolds (Ken Roth) moved that cleaning of the city building be done after hours. Motion carried.

Bill Reynolds (Ken Roth) moved to adjourn at 9:00. Motion carried.



Recycling Trailer Schedule (Scout House Parking Lot)

AUGUST 15th

&

SEPTEMBER 5th

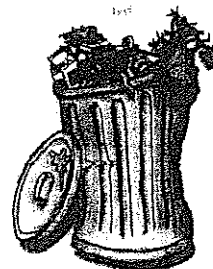
AFTER 10 A.M.

1st & 3rd Wednesday Each Month

WHITEWATER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The WWACC met July 18 at the Whitewater Cafe to discuss Fall Festival, the forum to determine interest in a community building & other issues. Our next meeting will be Aug. 15 at 7 am at the WW Cafe.

**Residential
refuse pick
up will be
Friday,
September 7, 2007
due to the Labor
Day Holiday.**



NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

"Marco Polo" was played during the swim party after the club tour for the North Butler 4-H club's July meeting.

On Tuesday, July 10, 2007 the North Butler 4-H club had its yearly club tour and swim party.

The tour started out at Reita an Corey Nipper's home. Meghan Nipper told about her swine project.

After touring the Nipper's the club traveled to Mike and Shalae Wallace's home. Several 4-Hers gave a short project talks on what they were working on for the fair. Projects reported on were: buy-manship, leather, crocheting, knitting, macrame, photography, and heritage arts. Then the club looked at the Wallace and Kochenower animal projects.

We all went to the Towanda pool and enjoyed an evening of swimming!

The next North Butler Club meeting will be on August 14.

The Butler County 4-H Fair is July 28 - August 1. Come by and see what hard work each 4-H member has put into their fair projects.

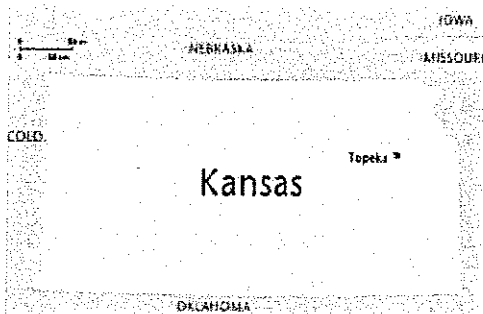
Submitted by: Olivia Wallace
North Butler News Reporter

Finding History and Excitement in Your Kansas Home Towns



Keith Sprunger, retired Professor of History, Bethel College, will give a slide presentation at Zion Mennonite Church, August 19, at 7:00 pm, on the small towns of Kansas.

He has visited almost every town in Kansas to re-search the characteristics that make these towns charming and unique. Zion Mennonite Church is located at 525 North Main Street, Elbing. Admission is free.



WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

The Whitewater Fire Department responded to twelve incidents during the month of July. We had eight calls for medical assistance, two grass fires, one automatic alarm, and one fireworks accident. We responded to Whitewater, Richland, Pleasant, and Fairmount townships.

The Whitewater River Fire District recently received two requests for grant money. One grant will help with the purchase of new fire hose nozzles and the other will supply most of the funds necessary for the purchase of a Thermal Imaging camera. The TI camera is designed to sense heat. It becomes an extremely useful tool in locating hot wiring and fire or hot spots in walls, chimneys, and attics. It will greatly reduce the amount of damage done inside a house by pinpointing the area that needs attention. We hope to have this new equipment prior to the Fall Festival so it can be available for demonstration.



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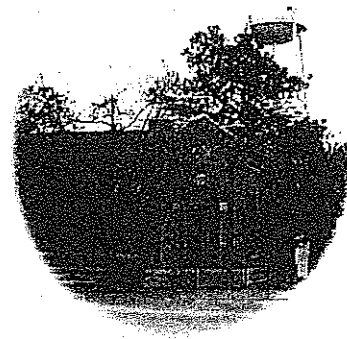
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Saturday

Drive-Up: 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.



* Annual Percentage Yield. Penalty may be imposed for early withdrawal.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like placed on our calendar please submit the information to the city office by the 10th of each month.

Aug. 14th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon
Aug. 14th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm
Aug. 15th - WWACC - WW Cafe - 7 am
Aug. 15th - Recycling after 10 am
Aug. 21st - Budget Hearing - City Building - 7pm
Aug. 25th - Share Food Distribution
Sept. 5th - Recycling after 10 am
Sept. 7th - Refuse pick up
Sept. 11th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon
Sept. 11th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm
Sept. 19th - Recycling after 10 am
Sept. 22nd - Share Food Distribution
Oct. 3rd - Recycling after 10 am
Oct. 6th - Fall Festival
Oct. 9th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon
Oct. 17th - Recycling after 10 am
Oct. 20th - Share Food Distribution
Oct. 26th - Buseum - WW Library

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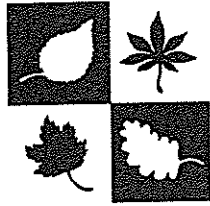
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CHERRY TOMATOES	GREENBEANS
HEIRLOOMS (SWEET, YELLOW, etc)	OKRA
TRADITIONAL (RED SLICERS)	SWEET POTATOES (LATER)
CUCUMBERS	PEPPERS
POTTED FLOWERING & GREEN PLANTS	

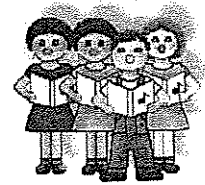
Sat. 8-12

799-2121

WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL!!!!!!



October 6, 2007, is the date of the Fall Festival in Whitewater. That means that the big day is less than 2 months away. You still have time to let Fall Festival Committee members know that you have a talent or hobby. We would like to have home-town talent for our entertainment.



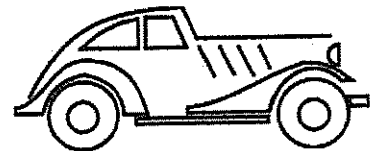
Perhaps you would consider signing up for the arts and craft show. School and church organizations are welcome to have booths selling school related items or foods.



Childrens' activities are planned.



A ball tournament will be ongoing at the ball park.



Antiques and classic cars will be on display.



The library will have books for sale.



Food from vendors as well as the American Legion Auxiliary will be available.



A walk/run is planned

Help get in on the planning. We will need many volunteers the day of the festival. Won't you get involved??

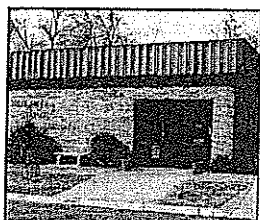


There is something for everyone!! Next Fall Festival Committee meeting will be Tuesday, August 14, at the Scout House @ 7:00 p.m.

2nd Annual
Chili Cookoff

Whitewater Memorial Library News

118 East Topeka, Whitewater, KS 67154 ~ Phone: 316-799-2471 ~ Fax: 316-799-1099 ~ Email: whitelib@sbcglobal.net



Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
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Saturday: 9:30—noon

Staff

Director: Jean Thiessen
Youth Services Coordinator: Julie Mosiman
Administrative Assistant: Gaytha Bolton

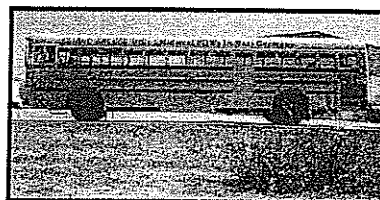
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Member: Carrie Whalen

Experience History on a BUS - eum!

“What is a BUS - eum?” you ask. Why, of course, it is a museum on a bus! And it is coming to Whitewater on **Friday, October 26, 2007.**

The mobile exhibit, housed in a converted school bus, is entitled “**Behind Barbed Wire: Midwest POWs in Nazi Germany**”. It explores the experiences of Midwest prisoners of war who were imprisoned in Hitler’s Third Reich, and the human context in which their experiences took place.



This new exhibit was created by TRACES, a non-profit educational organization in St. Paul, Minnesota, and will tour the Great Plains states this fall. The multi-media exhibit contains narrative display panels illustrated with documents and photos, audio and DVD documentaries, arti-

facts and more. The International Committee of the Red Cross in Geneva and the Bildarchiv Preussischer Kulturbesitz in Berlin have supplied hundreds of photos for the exhibit that otherwise are unknown in the United States.

“Behind Barbed Wire” is appropriate for school-age children and adults. More information about TRACES and the BUS - eum may be found at the TRACES website:

www.TRACES.org.

Watch for more information on this special event which is brought to you by Whitewater Memorial Library, Friends of the Library, Whitewater American Legion and Frederic Remington Area Historical Society, and also by grant funds from the South Central Kansas Library System.



World War II artifacts and narrative panels on the BUS - eum.

2007 "Get a Clue" Summary

Summer Reading Club for 2007 has come to an end. A record 160 readers had fun reading books, discovering clues and solving puzzles in June and July.

The 85 readers who completed the reading challenge earned bright orange T-shirts sporting the summer theme, "Get a Clue @ Your Library."

On July 11, eight daring detectives met at the library to solve the mystery of the Pharaoh's Curse. After hearing from 10 suspects, investigating the crime scene and examining the

evidence, the case was solved. Many worthy suspects were fingered but super sleuth Holly Allmond uncovered the real culprit, Mrs. Clare Burks, portrayed by Victoria Martling.

Through comedy and magic, Dan Dan, the Magic Man and his family helped 76 children and adults discover the identity of the thief who stole the pearl necklace. In this exciting and interactive show, it turned out the heist was a two-person job!

After a long month of guessing and waiting, the winners

of the guessing jars are:

Ian Hanna - Malted Milk Balls (80)

Nick Hirsch - Goldfish Crackers (283)

Samantha Snider - M&Ms (632)

"My first summer in charge of Summer Reading Club was a lot of fun," said Miss Julie. "I hope to see all my readers back again next summer and bring your friends! Also, a big **THANK YOU** to all of my summer volunteers."

Items of Interest

Check out our sample issues of "*Spectrum*" magazine." It is written for parents of children with autism and developmental disabilities.

After you've read it, give us

your input. Would you like the library to carry this magazine? Would you like to sponsor this or another magazine for the library?

~ The Friends of the Library

is again sponsoring the **Used Book Sale** at the Fall Festival on Saturday, October 6, 2007. Bring your gently used books to the library or call 799-2471 to arrange for pickup. *No musty books, please!*



COMING SOON....

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AT

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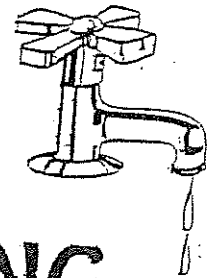
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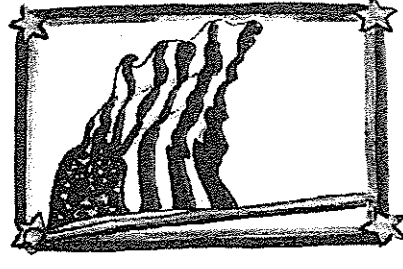
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NOTICE REGARDING MEETING WITH BUTLER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



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They will have lunch at the Senior Center

A question and answer time following

Come and join us for lunch and time with our

commissioners. Sponsored by Whitewater Senior

Center Bring a side dish and yourself and join us.

Whitewater Community Center Update

“Your Support is Appreciated”

The Public Forum held on July 16th was attended by 25 individuals representing various interests from the community. Highlights of the Forum included an overview of KAN STEP (Kansas Small Town Environment Program), which will be one effort pursued for funding of this project. Open discussion about the perceived need for a Community Center and possible uses were also discussed. Contrary to many projects of this nature, this project will not require a tax increase!

One requirement in obtaining grant funding is the completion of a community survey. This survey is an essential part of the process and will be conducted by local individuals going door-to-door. We ask for the community's cooperation in this upcoming survey and assure you all information will be kept confidential.

The input provided by the citizens of this community will prove invaluable in determining the outcome of this project.



Please contact the individuals below to express your support and ideas for a new Community Center.

Brandon L. Patry
(316) 799-2137
wwbbrandon@sbcglobal.net

Kara Zonnefeld
(316) 799-2193
beadingfool@hotmail.com



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Public Meeting

August 20th 6:30 P.M.

Whitewater Pizza Place

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Learn how to take control of your own health.

Learn about God's medicine and how it can change your life!

A drawing will be held for a free foot detox session during the meeting!!!

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Making the yellow brick road safer for seniors.

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Did you know?

Kansas Department of Transportation reports (2004) that there were 19,147 vehicle accidents involving senior citizens 55 and older. Of these accidents, 4,577 were injury accidents and 141 were fatalities.

What it is

The Kansas Yellow Dot in the back windshield of the recipient's vehicle signifies that there is medical information stored in the glove compartment. In the event of an accident, or the recipient is unable to speak emergency personnel/first responders will have a brief description of medical needs and emergency contacts. Law enforcement, Fire departments, EMS/Ambulance services and hospitals all over the State of Kansas have been alerted to watch for the Kansas Yellow Dot.

How it works

The Kansas Yellow Dot kit contains instructions, medical information form, a self adhesive sticker and a bright yellow envelope. The recipient fills out the medical information form and attaches a recent photograph to the outside of the envelope. The envelope/information is placed in the recipient's glove box. The sticker is placed on the outside of the windshield on the lower rear driver's side window.

Who can get one?

The Kansas Yellow Dot Program is for Kansas seniors aged 55+. The kits are FREE.

Kansas Yellow Dot Distribution Sites:

These kits are available at the City Building in Whitewater.

If you have any questions contact:

Melody Gault, Director
Butler County RSVP
Butler County Dept. on Aging
510 East Augusta
Augusta, Kansas 67010
316-775-0855

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Whitewater Community Newsletter September, 2007

BUTLER COUNTY RURAL WATER DISTRICT #7

Butler County Rural Water District #7 has been in service for 24 years in this area. There are eight rural water districts in Butler County. RWD #7 started pumping water in 1983. From the start of the District until 2001, the monthly meetings were held in Dorothea Cain's house at rural Benton. In February 2001, Dorothea Cain retired from the District and the office was moved to Whitewater at 121 S Main. Kathy Hoch is the bookkeeper.

Individual property owners can purchase the right to have rural water brought to their property. The cost for this privilege is \$3,000.00. Additional costs may incur if the service line needs to be installed to their property. The customer pays for those.

The District has 165 miles of line from the Oil Hill area, west of the turnpike on 6th street to a new pump house at 700 NW Boyer Rd. From there the District re-chlorinates the water and pushes it on to the customers. We have a water tower on NW 30th and NW 130th. We have a pump house on Boyer Road and one on NW 120th St. The District stretches from west of Oil Hill, going North up to the Marion County line on NW 170th, west and south down to Whitewater and continues further south to NW 20th and Butler Road being the South edge. Gerald Watson, of El Dorado, is the operator for the District. He checks on the day-to-day needs of the District.

The Board members serve a three-year term. This year's members are: Lewis Glass, Chairman; Bill Henrie, Vice Chairman; John Cleveland, Secretary; Bob McCulloch, Treasurer; Corey Nipper and David Hinz, Directors.

Our office is located at 121 S. Main, Whitewater, KS. Phone number is 799-2775, if you ever have any questions. People can drop their payments off at the office any time and the monthly meetings are held at this address.

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Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth and Kara Zonnefeld

August 7, 2007 Special Meeting

Special meeting for the 2008 Budget. Significant factors were presented by Gary George, CPA. Dan Ravenscraft (Annabell Hephner) moved to publish the budget as presented. Motion carried.

Present water and sewer rates were discussed. Bill Reynolds (Ken Roth) moved to increase water and sewer rates as follows: 3/4" meter at \$17.00 to \$20.00 per month, 1 1/2" meter at \$20.25 to \$25.00 per month, 2" meter at \$25.65 to \$30.00 per month, 3" meter to \$42.50 per month. The fee for customers outside city limits will be raised to \$25.00. Sewer rates will be raised from \$23.50 to \$28.50. Motion carried. Increases were found to be necessary to cover increasing costs of repairs and maintenance for water and sewer services. New rates will begin Oct. 2007. Ken Roth (Annabell Hephner) moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:20 pm. Motion carried.

August 21, 2007 Special Meeting

Hearing for the 2008 Budget. The meeting was opened for public comments. None were made. Hearing was closed. Kara Zonnefeld (Annabell Hephner) moved to adopt as published. Motion carried. Annabell Hephner (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:10 pm. Motion carried.

August 27, 2007

These minutes have not been approved.

Willard Wiebe was present to ask the council if they would be interested in annexing into the city a proposed development along Central. The council indicated that they would be very interested in doing so. Other matters involving this proposed development were discussed. Mr. Wiebe is to keep

in contact with the council regarding this matter.

Dan Ravenscraft (Ken Roth) moved to adopt Ord. 549 - sewer rates. Motion carried.

Ken Roth (Bill Reynolds) moved to adopt Ord. 550 - water rates. Motion carried.

Annabell Hephner (Dan Ravenscraft) moved to adopt 2007 Uniform Public Offense. Carried.

Dan Ravenscraft (Ken Roth) moved to adopt the 2007 Standard Traffic Offense. Motion carried.

Officer Baker asked about the enforcement of city code regarding parking of trailers, etc. on city streets. The council asked him to contact individuals involved and ask them to move them.

The possibility of making 1 block of E. Topeka by the middle school a one way was discussed. This will be looked at further. "No Parking"-signs will be posted on the north side of this block.

Cost of a hand held radar will be presented at council in September.

Annabell Hephner (Ken Roth) moved to install an additional valve on E. Central. Motion carried.

Ken Roth (Annabell Hephner) moved to prepay 1000 gallons of propane for wells. Motion carried.

A proposed condemnation was discussed next. This process will be started as soon as possible.

An informational note on Pine Wilt was asked to be placed in the city newsletter in Sept.

Annabell Hephner (Ken Roth) moved to adopt Ord. 553 - fireworks for Fall Fest. Motion carried.

Dan Ravenscraft (Annabell Hephner) moved to rent 3 handicapped porta potties for Fall Festival. Motion carried.

Ken Roth (Annabell Hephner) moved to allow the city clerk to attend a KPERS workshop on Oct. 3. Motion carried.

Plans for Fall Festival were discussed next.

The possible sale of the city jail was discussed.

Bill Reynolds asked about possibly offering volunteer work experience. This will be looked into.

Bill Reynolds (Ken Roth) moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:25 pm. Motion carried.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like placed on our calendar please submit the information to the city office by the 10th of each month.

Sept. 11th - Fall Festival Planning Meeting - 7 pm
 Sept. 19th - Recycling after 10 am
 Sept. 22nd - Share Food Distribution
 Sept. 24th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am
 Oct. 1st - Historical Soc. - High School - 7:30 pm
 Oct. 3rd - Recycling after 10 am
 Oct. 6th - Fall Festival
 Oct. 9th - Senior Center Dinner - Noon
 Oct. 17th - Recycling after 10 am
 Oct. 20th - Share Food Distribution
 Oct. 22nd - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am
 Oct. 26th - Buseum - WW Library
 Oct. 28th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am
 Nov. 5th - Histroical Soc. - High School - 7:30 pm
 Nov. 7th - Recycling after 10 am
 Nov. 12th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am
 Nov. 13th - Senior Center Dinner
 Nov. 17th - Share Food Distribution
 Nov. 21st - Recycling after 10 am
 Nov. 26th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am

Dec. 5th - Recyling after 10 am
 Dec. 10th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am
 Dec. 11th - Senior Center Dinner
 Dec. 15th - Share Food Distribution
 Dec. 19th - Recycling after 10 am

TRADING POST

Free of charge. Limit the ad to 25 words. Due by 10TH of each month. Call 799-2445 or drop message in payment box at the city building.

Wanted: Free canning jars. Call 799-2121

Recycling Trailer Schedule

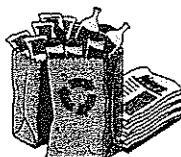
(Scout House Parking Lot)

SEPTEMBER 19th

OCTOBER 3rd

AFTER 10 A.M.

1st & 3rd Wednesday Each Month



Bring this coupon to our office for a **FREE** Portfolio Review



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CLTC, LUCTF

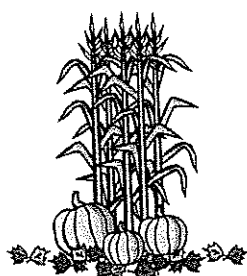


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WHITEWATER 2007 FALL FESTIVAL

Event Schedule



Friday, October 5

- 6:00 p.m. Carnival Rides (Ride-O-Rama \$18/person ride all evening! *Friday ONLY!)
- 6:00 p.m. CJ's Men's Softball Tournament (Concessions available at Ball diamond)
- 6:00 p.m. Wichita Boeing Credit Union ATM available (Topeka/Main) thru Saturday evening

Saturday, October 6

- 6:00 a.m. Whitewater Café will begin serving
- 7:00 a.m. 5K Walk/Run Registration - \$10/person, 1st 25 receive free T-shirt
- 7:30 a.m. Chamber of Commerce 5K Walk/Run begins - Receive route at Registration
- 8:00 a.m. Car Show Registration (Swiss Church on street parking area) Show begins at 9:00 a.m.
- 8:00 a.m. CJ's Men's Softball Tournament continues (Concessions available at Diamond)
- CJ's Home Run Derby (at small diamond during tournament play on large)
- 8:00 a.m. Bunco Tournament Registration - (Middle School gym)
- 8:30 a.m. Remington USD 206 Auction (Behind District Office)
- 9:00 a.m. Arts & Crafts and Food Court Set-up
- 9:00 a.m. Car Show (Swiss Church on street parking area)
- 9:00 a.m. The Pizza Place will begin serving
- 9:00 a.m. Bunco Tournament play begins - (Middle School gym)
- 9:00 a.m. Whitewater Memorial Library Book Sale
- 9:30 a.m. Arts & Crafts Booths: "Mini Parties"- hosted by some of the product dealers
- 11:00 a.m. Lions Club 12th Annual Whitewater Fall Festival Parade - start time may vary slightly
- 11:45 a.m. American Legion Auxiliary begins serving (American Legion Building)
- 11:45 a.m. Wheat State Manor Quilt & Seamstress' Display (Wheat State Manor until 4:00 p.m.)
- 11:45 a.m. Fire Department Car Extrication Demonstration (Main)
- 12:00 a.m. Carnival Rides
- 12:00 p.m. Children's Games & Activities (Federated Church grounds)
- 12:00 p.m. Chamber of Commerce Chili Cook-Off (Topeka/Main)
- 1:00 p.m. Live Local Entertainment on Stage (Downtown)
- 1:00 p.m. Claassen Chiropractic Open House (208 S. Elm until 3:00 p.m.)
- 3:00 p.m. Car Show Prize Winners Announced (Swiss Church on street parking area)
- 4:00 p.m. Guided Tour of Remington Middle School, High School & Elementary
(Meet for RMS tour then hop the bus to other 2 locations to see updates)
- 5:00 p.m. BINGO begins (American Legion Building until 7:00 p.m.)
- 10:00 p.m. Lion's Club Fireworks Display (Ball Diamonds) - Start time may vary slightly
- 10:45 p.m. Street Dance (Main Street) Dance begins after fireworks & ends at Midnight

Contact information:

Committee Chair	Betty Hansen	799-2640	Chili Cook-Off	Judy Ulmer	799-2683
Booths	Cindy Roth	799-2717	Entertainment	Missy Green	799-2004
Bunco	Annabell Hephner	799-2701	Parade	Leon Koehn	799-1222
Car Show	Bob Cornelius	687-3009	Raffle	Lajuana Peña	799-2806
Children's Games	Norman Tillotson	733-5963	Softball	Mike Hill	799-2614
			5K Walk/Run	Vickie Beck	799-2163

Don't forget to pick-up your Raffle Tickets!

Raffle tickets are available from Lion's Club members & various
Whitewater merchants -1 ticket /\$1.00 -or- 6 tickets /\$5.00

See Prize List for details!!!



ENTRY FORM

WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL 5K WALK, JOG RUN!!! OCT. 6TH

COMPLETE A SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH RUNNER.
ON EACH RESISTRATION FORM, INFO MUST BE
COMPLETE & THE WAIVER MUST BE SIGNED.

REGISTRATION FEE : \$10

PLEASE REGISTER EARLY TO BE SURE TO GET A T-SHIRT, DAY OF RACE WE
CANNOT GUARANTEE A T-SHIRT.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ KS ZIP _____

AGE AS OF OCT. 6 2007 _____

____ MALE ____ FEMALE

CIRCLE T-SHIRT SIZE

S M L XL

WAIVER STATEMENT

AS AN ENTRANT IN THE WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL 5K WALK, JOG OR RUN, I
ASSUME COMPLETE RESPONSIBILITY FOR INJURY TO ME OR DAMAGE TO MY PROPERTY
WHICH MAY OCCUR DURING THE EVENT OR WHILE I AM ON THE PREMISES OF THE
EVENT; AND I HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE SPONSORS, PROMOTERS &
ALL OTHER PERSONS ASSOCIATED WITH THE EVENT FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY OF
INJURY OR DAMAGE WHETHER CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE OF THE SPONSORS,
PROMOTERS OR OTHER PERSONS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS EVENT OR OTHERWISE.

SIGN UP @ 7:00 AM RACE STARTS @ 7:30 AM

X _____
SIGNATURE (IF UNDER 18, PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST SIGN) DATE

PLEASE DROP RESISTRATION FORM IN DROP BOX AT 121 S MAIN, THE CITY
BLDG., BANK OF WHITEWATER, VICTORIAN ROSE OR MAIL TO PO BOX 415
WHITEWATER, KS 67154

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WANTED

DECORATED BIKES AND KIDS IN COSTUMES

Whitewater Fall Festival Parade
Saturday
October 6th, 2007



Ages 0-12

All entries receive a prize
Contact Jessica
799-1050



WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL

Saturday, October 6, 2007
Parade Begins 11:00 AM



PARADE ENTRY FORM

Children welcome to enter
on bicycles & tricycles! Please be sure to list
age of Child : _____ yrs. Old & Contact
information: Phone# _____

Name(s) -or-
Organization: _____

(Please Print Neatly)

Address: _____

(Important for next years mailing!)

Category /Description: _____

Please provide information regarding this Entry for the Parade Announcer.
(Please Print Neatly)

Complete and forward as soon as possible to:
Whitewater Lions Club, Box 195, Whitewater, Kansas 67154

*****Please Return by - September 30, 2007*****

For questions or concerns please contact:
Leon at (316) 799-1222

We look forward to hearing from you!



cookoff prizes

1st Place

Laser-Engraved Award

\$50 Cash

8 1/2" Gourmet Skillet (courtesy of Pro-Health Ultra)

*1st Place Winner Receives a
"Lifetime" Gourmet Skillet, a
\$180 Value!*

2nd Place

Laser-Engraved Award

\$25 Cash

Large "Chili" Basket

People's Choice

Laser-Engraved Award

\$25 Cash

Small "Chili" Basket



cookoff rules

CONTESTANTS MUST:

1. Pre-register by September 28th (no on-site registration)
2. Deliver chili to Main and Topeka by 11:30 am. Upon arrival contestant will receive a number and setup instructions.
3. Provide a four-quart crock pot of chili (minimum).
4. Provide serving ladle (small size recommended)
5. Provide small extension cord.
6. Serve chili to "tasters" in 1-oz cups provided (food service gloves also provided).
7. Temperature control is the most important safeguard against food-borne illness. Foods must be held at temperatures above 140 degrees during transportation, storage and serving. A metal stem product thermometer will be used to assure proper temperature of product prior to serving. It is recommended the chili be kept hot during transport to the cookoff.

JUDGING:

Judges will consider aroma, appearance, texture, blend and overall taste. Winners will be announced at 1:15 pm. First and second place will be judges' choice. The public will purchase tasting kits for \$1 and vote for the "people's choice" entry by dropping beans (included in tasting kits) in receptacles located by the entries.

YOU ARE ENCOURAGED to invite your family, friends and co-workers to help you win in the people's choice category. You are also encouraged to wear a costume, decorate your space (approximately 1/3 of a standard 8-foot table) and use other tasteful but fun tactics to solicit votes from the public.

All decisions of the cookoff committee judges and scorekeepers are final. Have fun and good luck!

Does the school make great **BRONCO CHILI?**

Does the fire department cook up a **FIVE-ALARM CHILI?**

Whatever concoction you or your group does best, the

Chamber of Commerce is **CALLING YOU OUT** to the



FallFest Chili Cookoff

OCTOBER 6, 12 PM, MAIN & TOPEKA

chili cookoff entry form

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Chili Entry (Name) _____

Category ☐ Mild ☐ Medium ☐ Hot

To assure a quality event, all contestants **MUST** pre-register by September 28th. The number of entries is limited to 20 due to power constraints—acceptance is on a first-come basis. Fill out the entry form and mail with \$5 entry fee to: Chamber of Commerce c/o Buck Ulmer, 11314 NW County Line Road, Whitewater, KS 67154. Or return form to The Bank of Whitewater. Questions? Call 799-2683. For complete rules see reverse. Proceeds support business-building activities of the Chamber.

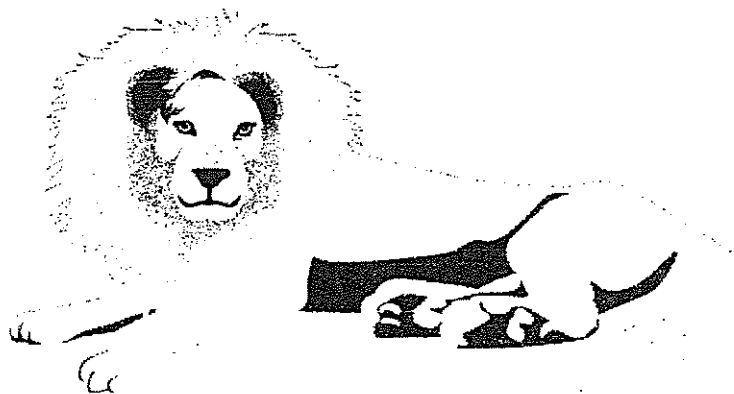


GREAT PRIZES

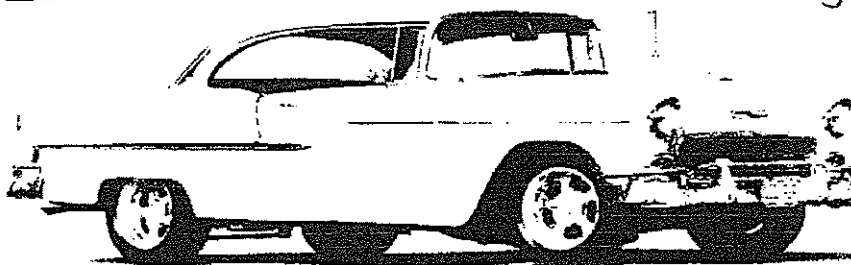
HOTTEST CONTEST IN TOWN

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FUN & ENTERTAINING



WHITEWATER LIONS CLUB ANNUAL CAR SHOW



Whitewater Fall
Festival Annual
Car Show.
Oct 6, 2007
200 Block E.
Topeka Street
Whitewater, Ks.
Registration ~ 9 AM

GOODY BAGS AND DASH PLAQUES GO TO THE FIRST 20 CARS.

TROPHY AWARDS AT 3:00 PM

CONTACT - BOB CORNELIUS - (316) 687-3009

PROCEEDS GO TO THE WHITEWATER LIONS CLUB TO HELP WITH THE CLUB'S PROJECTS, SUCH AS THE ANNUAL 4TH OF JULY FIREWORKS, OTHER COMMUNITY PROJECTS, AND TO HELP WITH THE SEEING EYE DOG PROGRAM AND THE EYEGASSES PROGRAM.





Need not
be present
to win!

Raffle Time!

1 ticket \$1 -or- 6 tickets \$5

Grand Prizes:

- **\$400 Cash Prize**, in the form of a cashier's check
(Donated by: Butler REC, Bank of Whitewater, Anchor Fin.,
Ww Fire Dept., Ravenscraft, Epps Service, Krueger Insurance,
Mid-Kansas Coop)
- **Branson Trip** - 2 Nights at Windmill Convention Center,
2 Dinner & Show tickets to Hughes Brothers Band
- **2 - 7 day stays at Westgate Branson Resort**, Branson, Missouri
(Donated by: Jerry & Roxann Hollon)
- **New 80 function Singer Sewing Machine**
(Donated by A-1 Singer Sewing Center in Wichita)
- **\$75 Gift Card to Wal-Mart**

Whitewater Lions Club Raffle

Other prizes include:

- Whitewater Locker--\$25 gift certificate
- Victorian Rose/Lions Club---Ladies Beauty Basket
- 2-Whitewater Cafe-- \$25 gift certificates
- Whitewater Memorial Library--\$25 Barnes & Noble gift card
- Western Print & Mugs--Butler Rural Electric Co.
- 2-Wilbur's Market--Potwin---\$25 gift certificates
- 2-Emprise Bank-Potwin--\$50 Savings Bonds
- Applebee's---\$15 gift card
- Marshall Furniture-Newton---Video Chair
- Newell's (Charlie's Restaurant) -Newton--\$20 gift certificate
- Newton Public Golf Course--2 passes
- Dillons--\$25 gift card
- Sedgwick County Zoo--4 admission tickets
- Ryan's Buffet, North Rock Road, Wichita--2 meals
- El Dorado YMCA--2 family day passes
- B&B Theater, El Dorado--6 movie passes
- Fiesta Mexicana--El Dorado- \$10 gift certificate
- Ryan's Buffet, North Rock Road, Wichita--2 meals
- American Legion Public Golf Course--El Dorado---2 rounds of golf
- Coleman - Portable Grill

More Prizes are still coming in!!!

RAFFLE TICKETS
AVAILABLE NOW
FROM
LIONS CLUB MEMBERS
AND
VARIOUS
WHITEWATER MERCHANTS
OR AT
THE LIONS CLUB BOOTH
ON OCT. 6TH



Be sure your name & phone # are written on each
of your tickets so we can contact you & let you know
You Have WON!!!

(For Raffle questions please contact Lajuana Peña 799-2806)

2007 FALL FESTIVAL DONATIONS & CONTRIBUTIONS

The 2007 Fall Festival was made possible by the efforts and contributions of time and money made by local individuals, groups, organizations, and businesses.

Seed Money to fund Fall Festival:

Whitewater Lions Club
CJ's
City of Whitewater
Whitewater Chamber of Commerce
American Legion
American Legion Auxiliary
Whitewater Memorial Library
Wheat State Manor

Monetary Donations:

Butler Rural Electric Company
Bank of Whitewater
Whitewater Fire Department
Lamb Mortuary
Ravenscraft Implement
Anchor Financial Solutions
Mid-Kansas Coop
Epps Service
Kruger Insurance

Prize donations:

A-1 Singer Sewing Center-Wichita
Am. Legion Golf Course-El Dorado
Applebee's-Newton
B&B Theater-El Dorado
Dillon's-Newton
Jerry & Roxann Hollon
Coleman Company

El Dorado YMCA
Emprise Bank-Potwin
Fiesta Mexicana- El Dorado
Marshall's Furniture-Newton
Newell's (Charlie's Restaurant)
Newton Public Golf Course

Ryan's Buffet-N. Rock Rd.
Sedgwick County Zoo
Victorian Rose-Whitewater
Whitewater Café
Whitewater Locker
Whitewater Memorial Library
Wilbur's Market-Potwin

*What you can't see & may not realize is
the hard work, time, and efforts
of the individuals who have worked all year to put this
Festival together for your enjoyment!
Please be sure to say "Thank You"
to these folks when you see them!*

Fall Festival Planning Committee Members:

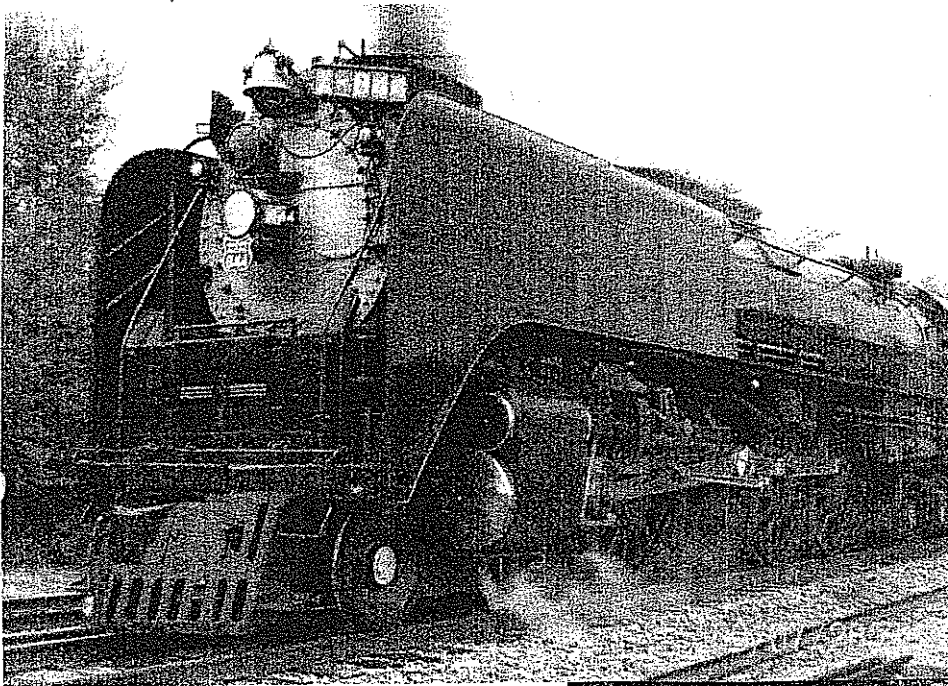
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Leon & Jenny Koehn
Cindy Roth
Chantale Entz
Lorie Seifert

Mark Annen
Vickie Beck
Annabell Hephner
Berniece Martling
David Griffis
Judy Ulmer

A **BIG** Thank you to Danny & Stacy Bell for giving Carnival Folks RV parking every year!
Thank you City Employees & local volunteers!!!

We would like to thank everyone for their
contributions and support
on September 7th
for the Steam Train arrival,
and showing our gratitude to the Troops.



You will have another chance to view the Train on
September 19th at 9:45am

WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER

**WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER (55 OR OLDER)
AMERICAN LEGION BUILDING
MEETS EVERY 2ND TUESDAY
DOORS OPEN FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.**

LUNCH AT 12:00 NOON

OCTOBER 9TH - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)

NOVEMBER 13 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)

DECEMBER 11 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)



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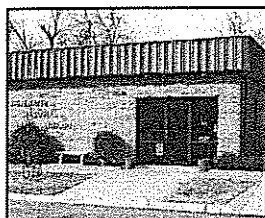
Call for appointment anytime – We'll make it happen!

Bring this ad and get your initial exam for only \$20!

208 S Elm St Whitewater 316-799-2779

Whitewater Memorial Library News

118 East Topeka, Whitewater, KS 67154 ~ Phone: 316-799-2471 ~ Fax: 316-799-1099 ~ Email: whitelib@sbcglobal.net



Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30—noon

Staff

Director: Jean Thiessen
Youth Services Coordinator: Julie Mosiman
Administrative Assistant: Gaytha Bolton

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Member: Carrie Whalen

Fall Festival Library Events

Be sure to stop by the library for two events
on Saturday, October 6.

Friends of the Library Used Book Sale

9 am - ????

Lots of gently used books, including
Fiction & Non-fiction for Adults and Children
Songbooks & Magazines
Science Encyclopedias
3 - ring Binders
Audio-cassettes
Many DVDs and Videos
etc. etc. etc.

*We are still accepting donations for the book sale.
Call 799-2471 for pick-up or bring them to the library.*

Library Survey

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Completing a short, easy-to-answer survey
will qualify you for a chance to win a very nice
gift certificate.

Your input will help the Board of Trustees in
their Strategic Planning Process.

Story Time Fall Schedule

- ≈ September 24
Friends
- ≈ October 28
Apples/Pumpkins
- ≈ October 22
Leaves/Fall
- ≈ November 12
Thanksgiving
- ≈ November 26
Counting
- ≈ December 10
Christmas

All story times
are held
on Mondays
from 10 - 11 am
at the library.

BUS-eum: Midwest POWs in Nazi Germany

The 40-foot BUS-eum containing
the exhibit entitled "Behind
Barbed Wire: Midwest
POWs in Nazi Germany
will be at the library on



Friday, October 26. Watch for
more information on special
events being held in
conjunction with the
BUS-eum's visit.



YOU ARE INVITED!

WHAT: Story Time at the Library with
Julie Mosiman

WHO: Children ages 3-5

WHEN & WHERE: Monday, September 24
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.
118 E. Topeka

Sign-up sheet and Fall schedules
are available at the library.

Parents are encouraged to stay and participate with
their children!

Whitewater Community Center Update

Please Participate in the Upcoming Community Survey

As previously mentioned, one requirement in obtaining grant funding is the completion of a community survey. This survey is an essential part of the process and will be conducted by a group of local individuals going door-to-door. The survey format is very brief and should not take more than a minute or two of your valuable time. We ask for the community's cooperation in this upcoming survey and assure you all information will be kept confidential.

The input provided by the citizens of this community will prove invaluable in determining the outcome of this project.



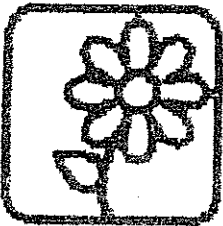
Please contact the individuals below to express your support and ideas for a new Community Center.

Brandon L. Patry
(316) 799-2137
wwbbrandon@sbcglobal.net

Kara Zonnefeld
(316) 799-2193
beadingfool@hotmail.com

**FREDERIC REMINGTON AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY
P.O. BOX 133
WHITEWATER, KS 67154**

PROGRAMS FOR 2007 – 2008



Monday, October 1, 2007 – 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
“Stories of growing up in the olden days”. Wilbur Brainerd grew up in the Brainerd area and was willing to share stories of his younger years. Professionally he was an electrical engineer and owned Murdock Electric in Wichita.

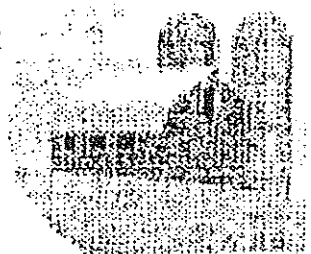
Monday, November 5, 2007 – 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
John Torline, Newton, KS will present his research and study of the Quivira Indians in south central Kansas during the period of 1400 – 1600 A.D. Mr. Torline is a member of the North Newton City Council.



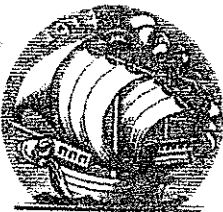
Monday, February 4, 2008 – 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
“Petals of the Sunflower”, as presented by Dr. Melvin Epp of Whitewater, KS. When Mel’s great-grandfather emigrated to America from West Prussia, he recreated his beloved garden in northwest Butler County. Mr. Epp will review the impact of gardening and sharing of planting materials between households to facilitate life on the sea of endless grass.



Monday, March 3, 2008 – 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
“Bernard and Wilhelmina Warkentin”. This program will be presented by Mrs. Karen Penner, Newton, KS. She will share the story of the impact this family had on the state of Kansas and the surrounding area around Newton.



Monday, April 7, 2008 – 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
“The Central Asia Trek”. The journey of the Wiebe family from Russia through Central Asia to America. Willard’s grandfather was one of these Mennonites that made this trip. Presented by Willard Wiebe, Whitewater and Carol Klingenberg, Peabody.



Monday, May 5, 2008 Time and place to be announced
Celebration of the 30th anniversary of FRAHS.

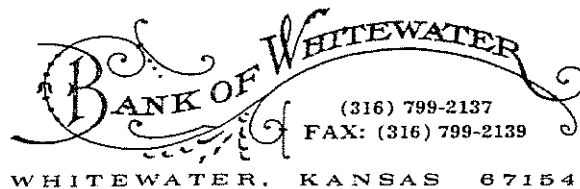
Farm Market-Osage garden

115 S. Main, Whitewater

AVAILABILITY ALL WHITEWATER AREA GROWN	
EGGS - NOT CAGED FRESH	HERBS (BASIL, MINTS, CHIVES, ETC)
TOMATOES	SUMMER SQUASH (NELO&ZUCC)
CHERRY TOMATOES	SALSA
HEIRLOOMS (SWEET, YELLOW, etc)	OKRA
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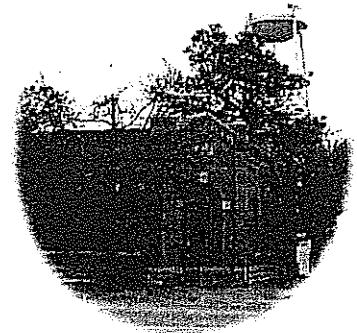
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Saturday

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PINE WILT

Pine wilt is a disease affecting more and more pine trees in the midwest. Pine wilt is caused by nematodes, a microscopic-sized worm-like animal.



These nematodes are carried to other pines by the sawyer beetle. Once a tree is affected the only way to eliminate it is to take down that tree and completely remove it from other pines. The best thing you can do to help manage pine wilt is to keep your pine trees healthy. This is especially important when pines are under stress due to drought or extreme heat. For more information you may call the Butler County Extension Office or you can read more by going to: <http://www.oznet.ksu.edu/library/plant2/samplers/mf2-425.asp>

If you do not have access to the internet you may stop by the city office for a copy of this same information.

Information taken from Sustainable Urban Landscapes - Pine Wilt - A Fatal Disease of Exotic Pines in the Midwest.



PIANO WORKSHOP

Emmaus Church will be hosting a piano workshop on Saturday, November 3, with concert pianist and arranger, Jeff Bennett. With a skillful and energetic approach to keyboard styling,

Jeff's writing and recordings have made him a respected pianist, arranger, and recording artist with every major publisher in the country.

He will be giving a concert at Emmaus on Sunday night, November 4, at 7:00 p.m.

More details concerning the workshop will be in next month's newsletter.



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**September 24th, 6:30 P.M.
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***Gain Biblical understanding of the historical scope
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What does the Bible mean to “anoint” with oil?

***Learn the powerful ways in which essential oils can
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Discover uses for Biblical Oils in our daily lives!

Experience Biblical oils personally at this meeting!!

**** At the beginning of the meeting, a drawing
will be held for a free foot detox bath to be
done that evening!!!***

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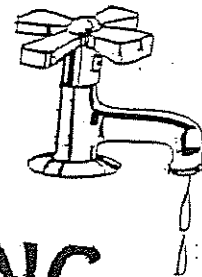
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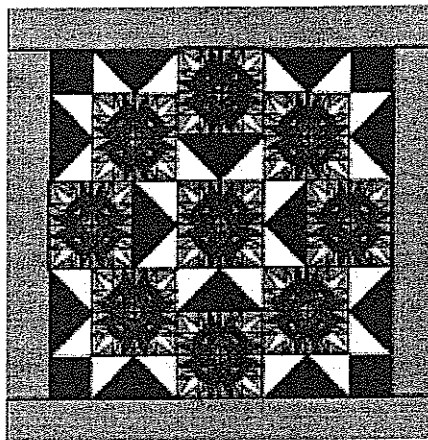
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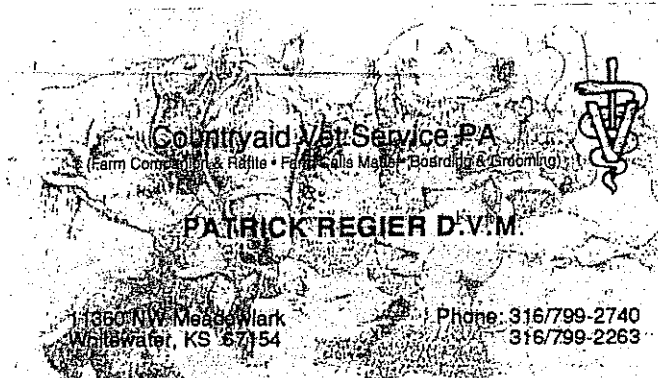
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FDIC



Whitewater Community Newsletter October, 2007



Pat Regier decided he wanted to be a veterinarian and live on the family farm while in high school. That dream came true after two years at Butler County Community College, two years in the College of Agriculture and four years in the College of Veterinary Medicine at Kansas State University. In August of 1980 he married Debbie Chambers, an Animal Science major. After graduating May 14, 1982 he moved back to the family farm to set up practice in the trailer house. The first vet call was that same week when he went to pull a calf driving the 1970 chevy pickup with a vet box on the back.

After the birth of William in 1983 the trailer got crowded so a 12 by 20 foot building was purchased and set to the west of the trailer house. Thomas joined the family in 1985. In 1987 with the help of Mosiman Brothers Building Company and the late Harold Harvey the current 30 by 40 foot building was completed.

The business began to provide large animals services on the farms, large animal vaccinations and antibiotics including work on horses, however, it has evolved to provide small animal vaccinations, surgeries, boarding and grooming plus employment opportunities for five to six part time workers. Debbie continues to serve as the office manager.

The Regier's hope to continue to provide reasonably priced veterinary care of large and companion animals for many years to come.

Council Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Building and are open to the public.

Mayor: Patrick Ryan, **Council Members:**

Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth and Kara Zonnefeld

September 24, 2007

Darryl Hill was present at council to request that the one block of South Locust on the east side of the Remington Middle School be considered as a possible one way street with traffic flowing to the south. It is planned to obtain traffic counters and see if the traffic flow would warrant this change.

Reports were presented regarding a possible condemnation. Ken Roth (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to pass a resolution setting a hearing date of November 26 for this proposed condemnation. Motion carried.

Officer Baker reported that he had been contacting individuals to have trailers, boats, etc. removed from city streets as had been requested. The city attorney will be contacted regarding a possible ordinance to remove obstructions from the sidewalks in town.

Ken Roth thanked Dave Silbernagel and Mike Hill for their help in preparing for the troop train on September 7th. Preparations for Fall Festival were also discussed.

The dollar bill changer at the car wash was also discussed. Replacement of this unit will be looked into.

Events at Fall Festival were discussed.

A thank you from the City of Greensburg for the city's donation was read.

Several thank you notes were requested to be sent to individuals and groups.

Covenants for the Centerview addition were also discussed.

Annabell Hephner (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to adjourn at 7:57. Motion carried.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like placed on our calendar please submit the information to the city office by the 10th of each month.

Oct. 17th - Recycling after 10 am

Oct. 20th - Share Food Distribution

Oct. 22nd - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am

Oct. 26th - Buseum - WW Library

Oct. 28th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am

Nov. 5th - Histroical Soc. - High School - 7:30 pm

Nov. 7th - Recycling after 10 am

Nov. 12th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am

Nov. 13th - Senior Center Dinner

Nov. 17th - Share Food Distribution

Nov. 21st - Recycling after 10 am

Nov. 26th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am

Dec. 2nd - Home Tours - Victorian Rose - 1:30 pm

Dec. 5th - Recyling after 10 am

Dec. 10th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am

Dec. 11th - Senior Center Dinner

Dec. 15th - Share Food Distribution

Dec. 19th - Recycling after 10 am

TRADING POST

Free of charge. Limit the ad to 25 words. Due by 10TH of each month. Call 799-2445 or drop message in payment box at the city building.

For Sale: Denise Austin manual treadmill \$25.00
Little Green Compact Deep Cleaner \$20.00. Call 799-2427.

WHITEWATER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The next meeting of the Whitewater Area of Chamber of Commerce will be held Oct. 17th at 7 am at the Whtiewater Cafe. Any interested persons are invited to attend. At our Sept. meeting we discussed Fall Festival, a community building, and upcoming elections.

Recycling Trailer Schedule

(Scout House Parking Lot)

OCTOBER 17th

NOVEMBER 7th

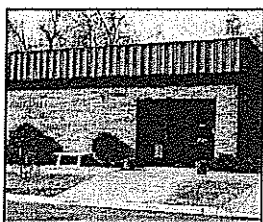
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Hours

Monday: 6:00—9:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30—noon
Thursday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Friday: 1:30—5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30—noon

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The BUS-eum Is On Its Way To Kansas!

The BUS-eum that is coming to the library on **Friday, October 26**, is now in Nebraska and will cross the Kansas border on October 19 on its second tour of the year.

The modified 40-foot bus containing the exhibit entitled "Behind Barbed Wire: Midwest POWs in Kansas" will be visiting 19 sites in Kansas.

The BUS-eum will be parked at the library and open to visitors from **11:00 am until 2:00 pm**. The exhibit is a multi-media presentation appropriate for school age children and adults.

The exhibit consists of narrative display panels illustrated with photographs and documents, audio and DVD documentaries, artifacts and more. This exhibit

will bring the stories of Midwest POWs in Nazi Germany to life, especially for young people who otherwise see WWII history as far away and disconnected from their daily life.

A small exhibit will be set up in the library prior to and during the BUS-eum's visit. The Frederic Rem-

ington Area Historical Society will also be showing videos relating to the exhibit. See the article below.

If seeing the BUS-eum from 11:00 am - 2:00 pm does not fit into your schedule, the BUS-eum will also be in El Dorado on Friday, October 26, from 4:00 - 7:00 pm. Contact the Butler Community College Library for more information.



"Stalag Sunflower" to debut with BUS-eum

In conjunction with the BUS-eum visit, the Frederic Remington Area Historical Society will show the video entitled "Stalag Sunflower." It tells the stories of prisoners of war from an-

other angle, that of the Germans living in the U.S. who were interred in the Midwest during World War II.

"Stalag Sunflower" will be shown in the

library at 1:00 pm on Friday, October 26, 2007.

Two other videos on this same topic will be shown continuously in the library from 11:00 am until 1:00 pm.

Fall Festival Wrapup

Many thanks to all of you who donated items for the Friends of the Library book sale and who shopped at the sale during the Fall Festival. The sale proceeds will be used to fund library projects for you in the coming year.

Nine Remington High School government students assisted with the early morning book sale setup. Thanks to their strong muscles and good attitudes, setup went quickly and smoothly. *Thank you, RHS students!*

A large number of library

surveys were completed during the Fall Festival, giving the Board of Trustees a good idea of what patrons like about the library and what they would like to see in the future. Thank you to those of you who took the time to comment.

Each person who completed a survey was invited to enter their name in a drawing for a \$25 cash card, compliments of the Friends of the Library. The cash card winner was Glenda Reynolds of Whitewater.

Story Time Fall Schedule

- ≈ October 22
Leaves/Fall
- ≈ November 12
Thanksgiving
- ≈ November 26
Counting
- ≈ December 10
Christmas

All story times are held on Mondays from 10 - 11 am at the library.

Story Time: A Friendly Place to Be

Story Time got underway in September. Mrs. Julie entertained a crowd of 15 pre-schoolers, teaching them about friends.

Mrs. Julie read books about playing with friends, making new friends and the trouble

with friends.

Miss Glenda of Hometown Day Care fame, taught the children the pinkie friend handshake.



The fun hour ended with the children making necklaces, one to keep and one to give

to a friend.

Story Time is for children three to five years of age and their parents.

Story Time schedules are available at the library or cut out the schedule shown above this article.

Mark your calendar!

Country Christmas

Holiday Home Tour

Sunday, December 2, 2007

1:30 - 5:00 pm

Tour begins at Victorian Rose, 123 South Main, Whitewater, KS

Tickets \$7.00 at Whitewater Memorial Library & Victorian Rose November 1

Mark your Palm Pilot!

Holiday Open House

November 5-10

Open Late Tuesday and Thursday

The Victorian Rose

123 S Main

799-2701



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RMS Parents and USD 206 Patrons

Beginning on October 1, 2007, we will be undergoing some new changes in regards to parking and student drop-off and pick up at Remington Middle School.

First, Topeka Street in front of the middle school will become a **One-Way street** heading west for one block from Locust to Oak. Student drop-offs and pick-ups should occur on the north side of Topeka Street in front of the school. Parking will be allowed on the south side of the street, but parking will be facing west.

Second, the entire west side of Locust Street (east side of the school) will be marked with **yellow paint for bus parking only** during the school day. We have used most of this street for bus drop-off and pick-up for years. However, we are just extending the bus parking the entire length of the block.

Third, **two handicapped parking places** will be marked on the east end of Topeka. Those parking places will be marked with **blue paint**.

Parents will still be able to pick up students from practice and after games on the east side of the school.

Eventually, an off-street parking lot will be located on the northwest corner of the RMS block. This parking lot will feature a One-way entrance and exit off of Oak Street.

Signs will be placed at all locations in the upcoming weeks to assist with the parking and drop-offs.

All of these changes are meant to make it a safer place for children as they come to and leave from school. If you have any questions about this matter, please contact Bruce Krase at Remington Middle School at 316-799-2131.

Sincerely

Bruce Krase

Remington Middle School Principal

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WHITEWATER MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

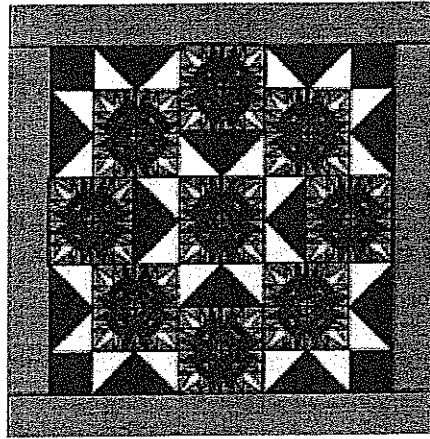
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Butler County Health Department will
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any questions call Sandra Rutschman

799-2198

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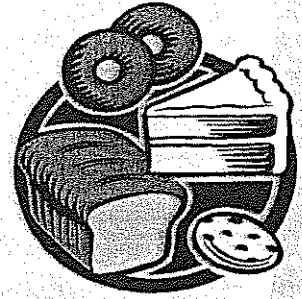


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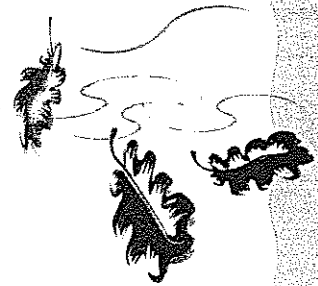
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Saturday, October 20th
1:30 P.M.—4:00 P.M.

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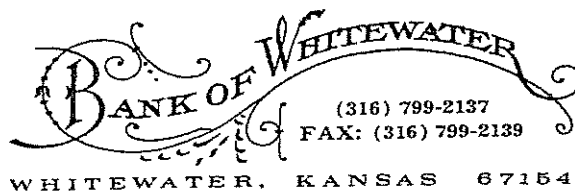


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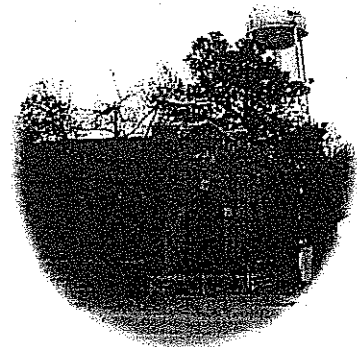
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Whitewater Community Center Update

Thank You for your Participation and Support

The Community Center Survey is underway and your cooperation has been greatly appreciated. Please continue to monitor the Whitewater Community Newsletter to receive updates about the status of our progress in this process.



Please contact the individuals below to express your support and ideas for a new Community Center.

Brandon L. Patry
(316) 799-2137
wwbbrandon@sbcglobal.net

Kara Zonnefeld
(316) 799-2193
beadingfool@hotmail.com

FALL FESTIVAL RUN RESULTS

OVERALL WINNER – JEFF CLAASSEN – 17.5 MIN
MALE 20-49 WINNER – JASON MARCIANO – 20.42 MIN
FEMALE WINNER 13-19 – SHEERSTY RHODES – 22.05 MIN
FEMALE WINNER 20-49 – SUSAN O'HARA 24.46
12& UNDER 1 ENTRY SYDNEY MATTHEWS
50 & OVER WINNER – CHRISTINE TOEVS -45.01

FOR OUR FIRST YEAR THIS WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL, WE HAD 21 RUNNERS AND HOPE FOR EVEN MORE NEXT YEAR. THANK YOU TO ALL THE PARTICIPANTS & HELPERS IN THIS YEAR RUN.
VICKIE BECK





The Whitewater Chamber of Commerce

CONGRATULATES & THANKS

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2nd Place—Ashley Ulmer (WSU Shocktoberfest Chili)

People's Choice—John Bitner

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PARTICIPANTS:

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Lorraine Artman

John Bitner

Sue Jansen

Faron Schroeder

Jay Nolan

Ashley Ulmer

Jared Ulmer

Dan

Mananas Revenge Chili

Mom's Best Chili

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We would like to thank the following in no particular order:

The Bright Light girls from Grace Baptist Church
Dr. Brett Roufs of Advanced dental
Federated Church
Palomino Petroleum
City of Whitewater
Potwin Christian Church
Potwin Golden Age Club
Potwin Lions Club
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Jeff Bennett



Location: Emmaus Church

Date & Time: Saturday, November 3; 8:30-4:00

Cost: \$10 (before October 28); \$15 (after October 28)

Lunch will be provided

Topics for Sessions are as follows:

Ways to Improve Sight Reading

Learning to Transpose...at Sight!

Using Existing Piano Arrangements and Choral Pieces for Creative Intros, Segues, and Key Changes

Ways to Sound More Contemporary in Your Playing/Conquering New-Fangled Chords and Rhythms

CONCERT
By Jeff Bennett



Sunday, November 4, 7:00 p.m.
Emmaus Church

Registration for Workshop

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Phone #: _____

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Please mail form and money to:

Jenny Wiebe
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Newton, KS 67114
(316) 799-2811

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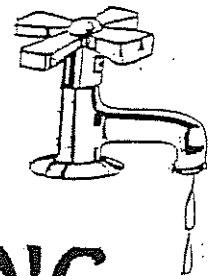
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Whitewater Community Newsletter November, 2007

THE DOGGIE DUDE RANCH
15542 NW 40th
Whitewater, KS 67154
(316) 799-2726

The Doggie Dude Ranch specializes in boarding toy breed dogs.

Hi, I'm Gail Wilson, most of you know me from my all breed grooming shop, Unique Clip, that's been located in NE Wichita for the past 19 years.

Great News!!!

I've moved the grooming shop back to the Whitewater area.
We're located at 15542 NW 40th,
just 5 miles south of Whitewater off Butler Rd.

The Doggie Dude Ranch does "in-house" boarding.
Your special family member becomes a member of ours while
your away. Space is limited so make appts early!!

There are also "Dixie Cresteds" at the DDR.
AKC Chinese Cresteds, both hairless and powder-puffs.

For more information about boarding, grooming, or our
AKC Chinese Cresteds, call us at
(316) 799-2726.



Hope to hear from you soon,
Gail Wilson

Council Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Building and are open to the public.

Mayor: Patrick Ryan, Council Members:

Annabell Hephner, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth and Kara Zonnefeld

October 22, 2007

Willard Wiebe reported to the council that he had contracted with an engineer to evaluate the possibility of a development along East Central but they had been unable to start due to the rain. He was asked to keep the council informed of his progress in this matter.

Phil Hartwick was present to discuss a sewer backup that had occurred on Oct. 14. It was stated that the backup was due to grease and tree roots in the line. The request for reimbursed will be turned over to the city's insurance company.

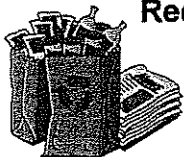
It was reported that traffic counters have been placed in the 100 block of South Locust. Additional counters may be necessary for comparison.

The dollar bill changer at the car wash was discussed next. Annabell Hephner (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to send the unit in for repair for damage incurred by lightening. Motion carried.

Bill Reynolds (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to authorize Dave to purchase a new tire for the front of the backhoe. Motion carried. This tire will be used on the front of the backhoe along with the spare. One of the older tires will be kept for a spare.

A thank you from the Fall Festival Committee was received and read to the council.

Annabell Hephner (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to adjourn at 8:04. Motion carried.



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AFTER 10 A.M.

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Dec. 2nd - Crafty Christmas - Library - 2:00 pm

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FOR SALE: Betsy Ross Spinet Piano with bench made by Lester in Philadelphia. Cherry wood - excellent condition. \$350.00

Call Marilyn at 799-2916.



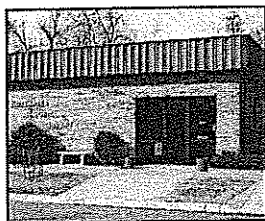
**Residential
refuse pick up
will be Fri., Nov. 23,
2007 due to Thanks-
giving Day Holiday.**

PARK BOARD MEMBERS NEEDED!

At least 2 members are needed to help with the athletic program and other duties. If interested contact Kathy at the city building 799-2445. There are members on the board whose kids are grown, they are ready to pass on the privilege in helping our kids and community by providing extra curricular activities. We are anxious to hear from you.

Whitewater Memorial Library News

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Enjoy a “Country Christmas”

The 2007 holiday home tour will again be hosted by the Friends of the Library.

The tour will be held **Sunday, December 2, from 1:30 - 5:30 pm** and begins at The Victorian Rose, 123 South Main in Whitewater. Enjoy refreshments compliments of the Whitewater Area Chamber of Commerce.

Tickets are \$7 and may be purchased in advance at the library and The Victorian Rose.

Tickets may also be purchased on the day

of the tour at The Victorian Rose.

Home tour hosts are:

🎄 *Danny & Terry Cain*

🎄 *Scott & Chantale Entz*

🎄 *Randy & Karen Hujing*

🎄 *Tim & Alexis Newhouse*

🎄 *Cynthia Rhodes*

Show your ticket at The Victorian Rose anytime between now and the day of the tour and receive 10% off your entire purchase.

Did you know . . .

- ♦ that the first meal eaten on the moon by astronauts Neil Armstrong and Buzz Alden was a roasted turkey dinner with all the trimmings?
- ♦ that the longest balloon in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade is Superman at 100 feet?
- ♦ that cranberries can be harvested 2 ways: wet & dry?
- ♦ that cranberries that are harvested wet are used to make cranberry juice & sauce?

It's a Crafty Christmas for Children

Miss Julie invites children between the ages of 6 and 12 to come to the library on Sunday, December 2, 2007, from 2:00 - 5:00 pm.

Children will enjoy making Christmas ornaments, reading

Christmas stories and watching a holiday movie.

This would be a great place for your children if you are planning to attend the holiday home tour or just need some time

to shop “unassisted”.

A maximum of 20 children can be accommodated, so please register your child(ren) by Friday, November 23.

World War II BUS-eum a Historic Hit

The long-awaited BUS-eum finally made it to Whitewater on Friday, October 26, with the exhibit entitled "Behind Barbed Wire: Midwest POWs in Nazi Germany." It was experienced by 128 people in three hours.

Thank you to these generous sponsors and helpers:

Whitewater Memorial Library

South Central Kansas Library System

Friends of the Library

Frederic Remington Area Historical Society

Whitewater American Legion

Bell Automotive

RHS Library

Dave Silbernagel
Mike Hill

John & Marilyn Umbach

Manrico Delcore
Mary Beth Debicki

Regier House B & B
Daryl & Shari Regier

Whitewater Kids Club

The entire selection of books available from the BUS-eum was purchased for the library by the Friends of Whitewater Memorial Library. See article on the library's Page 3.

Do Kangaroos Really Wear Seatbelts?

Miss Julie will be celebrating Children's Book Week with preschoolers during the week of November 12 - 18, 2007.

Children at Story Time and Hometown Daycare will talk about safety with Miss Julie and have fun reading one of the books chosen for the week, "Do Kangaroos

Wear Seatbelts?" by Kansas Jane Kurtz.

More good reads for Children's Book Week include:

📖 "Look Both Ways" by Diane Z. Shore

📖 "It's Time to Call 911" by Penton Overseas.

Story Time Schedule

- * November 12
- * November 26
- * December 10

Story Time takes place at the library on Mondays from 10:00 - 11:00 am

Parents are encouraged to participate with their children

New Playaway Titles for Adult Readers

An article in the July newsletter introduced Playaways, currently the only self-contained, digital audio books. Plug in a headset and enjoy!

The latest titles for adults are:

Fiction

1. Playing for Pizza (Grisham)
2. The Lincoln Lawyer (Connelly)

3. Master and Commander (O'Brian)
4. Riders of the Purple Sage (Grey)
5. Teahouse Fire (Avery)
6. A Room of My Own (Davis)

Non-Fiction

1. Focus: Achieving Your Highest Priorities (Covey)

2. On the Fly Guide to Balancing Work & Life (Butterworth)
3. For One More Day (Albom)
4. The Importance of Being Earnest (Wilde)
5. Rich Dad Poor Dad & Rich Dad's Prophecy (Kiyosaki)
6. Giving: How Each of Us Can Change the World (Clinton)

BUS-eum Books a Gift From Friends

If you enjoyed the BUS-eum or just appreciate World War II history, check out these books the Friends of the Library purchased for the library.

1. Behind Barbed Wire: Midwest POWs in Nazi Germany
2. Far From Hitler: The Scattergood Hostel for European Refugees, 1939-43
3. Out of Hitler's Reach: The Scattergood Hostel for European Refugees 1939-43
4. A Sad Story But True
5. VANISHED: German-American Civilian Internees, 1941-48
6. Not as Briefed: From the Doolittle Raid to a German Stalag
7. Out of Step: My Young Life as a Resister in Nazi Germany
8. The Red Tails: World War II's Tuskegee Airmen
9. Searching for Anne Frank: Letters from Amsterdam to Iowa
10. War Child: Growing Up in Adolf Hitler's Germany
11. Camp Papers Lagerzeitungen: The German POW Newspapers at Camp Algona, Iowa 1944-46
12. I'm Fred: The Fred Peschl Story
13. Only the Least of Me is Hostage: Midwest POWs in Nazi Germany Vol. 1 Soldiers, Vol. 2 Airmen
14. If You Should Be Captured

15. Enemies Within: Iowa POWs in Nazi Germany

16. Enemies Within: Iowa POWs in Nazi Germany

Another book added to the library's collection was recently published by Lowell A. May of Lawrence, KS, and Mark P. Schock of Rose Hill, KS.

The book is entitled "Prisoners of War in Kansas 1939-1946" and describes life in and around the POW camps in Kansas during World War II.

Important for researchers, the book contains an index, glossary and bibliography as well as, several appendices.

The photos of the camps, POWs and items made by the POWs flavor the book's historical information.

New DVDs at the Library

New DVDs are arriving just in time for those nice long winter evenings.

For Children

Diary of a Worm

Where the Wild Things Are

Ralph S. Mouse

3 Muppet Movies

Stuart Little 1, 2 & 3

For Adults

The Work and the Glory

Shine

The Long Walk Home

Batman Begins

The War

The Case for Christ

3:16

A Farewell to Arms

Meet John Doe

General

Evan Almighty

Legend of the Lone Ranger

Important Notice: So that sewer rates do not have to be increased substantially it is important that all water customers help keep the sewer lines clear by not pouring any grease or oil in any form down the drain. This oil or grease builds up in the line and then needs to be cleaned out, this is expensive to do. Keeping grease or oil out of the sewer lines will help keep costs down for everyone.



YOU'RE INVITED
HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

DECEMBER 12th 8AM-5PM
DECEMBER 13th 8AM-5PM

ANCHOR FINANCIAL SOLUTIONS

1021 Washington Rd Newton Ks

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED

CITY OF WHITEWATER ANIMAL CONTROL REGULATIONS

Animals means all vertebrate and invertebrate animals such as but not limited to bovine cattle, horses, hogs, goats, dogs, cats, rabbits, sheep, chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys, pigeons and other fowl or wild animals, reptiles, fish, bees or birds that have been tamed, domesticated or captivated.

2-112. Noisy Animals. The keeping or harboring of any animal which by loud, frequent and habitual barking, howling, yelping, mewling, roaring or screeching shall disturb the peace of any neighborhood is hereby prohibited. It shall be the duty of any person harboring or keeping such loud or noisy animal or animals to abate the condition, and if he or she fails to do so, the city may abate it by taking up, impounding and/or disposing of the animal at the expense of the owner.

2-116. Running at large. It shall be unlawful for any person to willfully allow any animal or fowl under his or her control to be or to run at large within the city. A animal or fowl found at large shall be impounded as provided in Section 2-117 or 2-206.

AT LARGE means to be outside of a fence or other enclosure which restrains the animal at a particular premise or not under the control, by leash or lead, of the owner or other authorized person capable of restraining the animal.

2-201. Registration and vaccination required. Every owner of any dog or cat three months old shall annually register with the City Clerk his or her name and address with the name, sex and description of each dog or cat owned and kept within the city. It shall be unlawful for the owner of any newly acquired dog or cat or any dog or cat brought into the city to fail to register such animal within 30 days from acquisition or bringing the dog or cat into the city. It shall be unlawful for the owner of any previously registered cat or dog to fail to maintain current registration of such dog or cat.

Upon registration the owner shall present a current, completed certificate of immunization against rabies. No registration shall follow without evidence of this document, and it shall be unlawful for the owner of any dog or cat over six months of age to fail to maintain effective rabies immunization of such dog or cat.

The owner or harbinger of any dog shall, at the time of registering such dog or cat, present to the city clerk a certificate from an accredited veterinarian show that a male cat or dog has been neutered or a female dog or cat has been spayed, if the animal has been neutered or spayed.

The city clerk shall collect an annual registration fee of \$5.00 for each neutered male and for each spayed female dog or cat, and \$10.00 for each unneutered male and for each unspayed female dog or cat.

The registration year shall be from June 1st through May 31st of the following year.

When a dog or cat is registered, the city clerk will issue a tag for the animal. This tag must be attached to the dog's collar. If a tag is lost during a registration period, a duplicate tag will be issued for a fee of \$1.00.

The fine for a dog running at large without a current tag is \$20.00, plus court costs of \$50.00. The fine for a dog running at large with a current tag is \$15.00, plus court costs of \$50.00. For the second and all subsequent offenses, the fine is \$50.00, plus court costs of \$50.00.

WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER

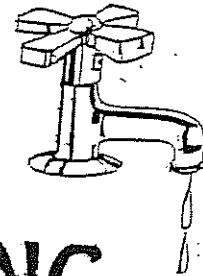
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AMERICAN LEGION BUILDING
MEETS EVERY 2ND TUESDAY
DOORS OPEN FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.
BRING A SIDE DISH AND TABLERWARE
LUNCH AT 12:00 NOON

DECEMBER 11 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
STEVE BOWMAN - "CHRISTMAS" MUSIC
JANUARY 8 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)

FEBRUARY 12 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)



VERY AFFORDABLE PLUMBING



\$55.00 Service Calls
in Butler County

Steve Schneider
Benton, KS
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Cell: (316) 871-5567

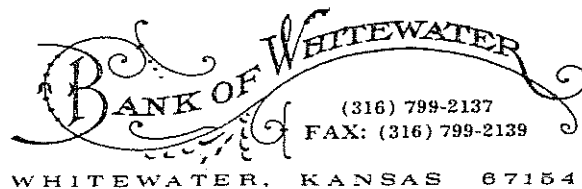
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repair & remodel & new installation

Dr. Mike Turns 30! Dr. Mike Turns 30!

Claassen Chiropractic celebrates Dr. Mike's 30th Birthday on November 29 and he wants you to celebrate with him. On Thursday November 29 Claassen Chiropractic will be open from 8:00AM to 8:00PM and ALL ESTABLISHED PATIENTS are welcome to stop by for a FREE adjustment. Anyone who has had their initial visit and exam on or before the 28th is welcome to stop by for a FREE chiropractic treatment. So call ahead or just drop in during the day for this once a year offer! Hope to see you then!

208 S Elm St, Whitewater 799-2779



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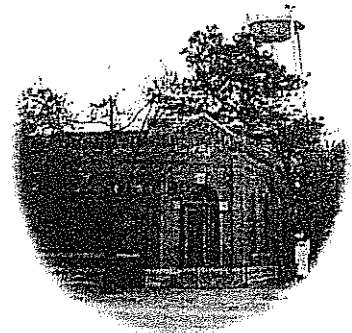
Monday through Friday

Drive-Up: 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Lobby: 9:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

Saturday

Drive-Up: 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.



BINGO
WHITEWATER LEGION BUILDING

Schedule

November 17, 2007
January 5, 19, 2008
March 1, 15, 2008

December 1, 15, 2007
February 2, 16, 2008
April 5, 19, 2008

DOORS OPEN AT 6 P.M.
AUXILIARY SNACK BAR OPENS AT 6 P.M.
BINGO GAMES START AT 7 P.M.

SPONSORED BY:
WHITEWATER AMERICAL LEGION
WHITEWATER AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

85% PAYBACK - 4 FACE SHEETS \$1.00

PAYOUT

1-\$25.00	5-\$15.00	8-\$50.00	12-\$15.00
2-\$15.00	6-\$15.00	9-\$15.00	13-\$15.00
3-\$15.00	7-85%	10-\$15.00	14-SPECIAL
4-\$20.00		11-\$20.00	

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

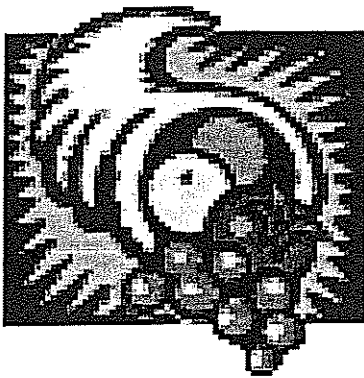
Don't Throw It Away,

Give It Away !

Contact Jodi at Wheat
State Manor if you
have a Christmas Tree
to donate.

799-2181





Community Thanksgiving Service

Wheat State Manor, Inc.

Tuesday, November 20, 7:00 P.M.

Sponsored by the Area Churches

Everyone is Invited

WHITEWATER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The next meeting of the Whitewater Area of Chamber of Commerce will be held Nov. 21st at 7 am at the Whitewater Cafe. At our last meeting we discussed the chili cook off, community building, officer elections, Pixius wireless internet service and sprucing up main street.



★ **HAVE AN AVON** ★
★ **HOLIDAY** ★

★ HOLIDAY GLITTER ★
★ GIFTS FOR HIM, WATCHES ★
★ JEWELRY, CLOTHING, SHOES ★
★ COMPUTER ★
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DRY CREEK FENCING SYSTEMS

Darryl started welding in 1967. Early work involved repair and fabrication on the family farm. Soon, neighbors were also utilizing his abilities.

In 1985, following the pursuit of out-of-state opportunities, Darryl returned to the home place near Whitewater with his family and continued the welding practice. In 1990 he purchased a portable welder and began working under the name of **DARRYL CLAASSEN, WELDOR**. Along with agricultural and industrial fabrication and repair, Darryl realized increased requests to build livestock fence. Those early fences were constructed primarily of used oilfield pipe and sucker rod. Though Darryl enjoyed the fence building, he experienced adverse effects from the oil related residue present on the used materials. He changed the business into a manufacturing facility using only new steel and introduced **DRY CREEK FENCING SYSTEMS**. With the help of his three young sons, he began building continuous fence. This is a fence design using panels which splice together and are secured permanently to preset posts. Two significant advantages to this system are the new materials and a great labor savings in installation. Other items offered by DRY CREEK included gates, horse stalls, portable panels, cattle guards, and decorative iron residential fence. These products are being used throughout the United States and Canada.

As his sons each left home to initiate their own careers, Darryl cut back the product offerings to only the continuous fence and gates. Five design options are still available for horses and cattle.

Due to his involvement in the Whitewater River Fire Department, Darryl has contracted with other shops for the fabrication of the fencing but is still active in sales and management.

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November 26, 2007

City attorney, Greg Nye, was present to report on the status of the condemnation process. All attorneys involved have been contacted. Ken Roth (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to publish a Notice of Condemnation in the El Dorado Times. Motion carried.

Bob McCoy was present to state that there was a party interested in buying the property being considered for condemnation. It was decided that the process of condemnation will proceed as scheduled and that the process could be stopped if something could be worked out.

Hank Yoder from Stutzman Refuse Service was present to offer a proposal for service for either a 3 year or 5 year term. Bill Reynolds (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to accept the 5 year proposal as presented. Motion carried.

Boards for 2008 were presented. Bill Reynolds (Ken Roth) moved to approve boards as presented. Motion carried.

The traffic report for the 100 block of South Locust was presented.

Ken Roth (Kara Zonnefeld) moved to purchase a new Quickie saw. Motion carried. The old one could possibly be for sale on an "as is" basis.

Another bid for a new dollar bill changer for the car wash was presented. More information will be made available at December's meeting.

Personnel reviews, raises, and insurance benefits were discussed next. Performance reviews were also discussed.

Ken Roth (Bill Reynolds) moved to close the city office on December 24, and December 31 for 2007

in addition to December 25 and January 1.

Federal Reserve holidays were discussed. This matter will be discussed further at council in December.

Kara Zonnefeld (Ken Roth) moved to give a donation to Wheatstate Manor to help with honoring their staff at their employee Christmas party.

Bill Reynolds (Ken Roth) moved to adjourn at 9:16. Motion carried.



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Mar. 24th - Story Time - Library - 10:00 am

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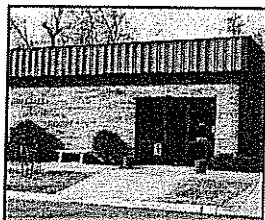
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Just in Time for the Holidays!

New Family / Children's DVDs:

Animated Hero Classics - 19 titles
(including Activity Books)
Artists' Specials (as seen on HBO) - 4 titles
Inventors' Specials (as seen on HBO) - 5 titles
Composers' Specials (as seen on HBO) - 6 titles

New Youth Books:

Red Rock Mysteries by Jenkins
Warriors (Super Edition): Firestar's Quest
Warriors (Power of Three): The Sight
Warriors Field Guide: Secrets of the Clans
by Hunter

Eragon by Paolini
Eldest by Paolini

New Youth Playaways: (Great for traveling!)

Boxcar Children: The Hockey Mystery
Eragon by Paolini
Eldest by Paolini
Red Rock Mysteries by Jenkins

Winter Storytime Schedule

Join Miss Julie
on Mondays
from 10 - 11 am for a
winter of fun!

January 14
Winter

January 28
Kansas Day

February 11
Valentines Day

February 25
Pets

March 10
Weather

March 24
Colors

April 7
Food

April 21
Gardening

Lost & Found at the Library

Please check the lost
and found for items
you may (or may not)
have lost:

Child's Gap Hoodie
Child's Pink Hoodie
Child's Sleeveless Hoodie
Key
Gray Cap

Red KC Cap
Child's Sunglasses
Baby Key
Potwin Christian Church
Sermon Tapes

Any items unclaimed
by December 31 will
be donated to an area
thrift store.

The Library
will be closed for
the holidays on:

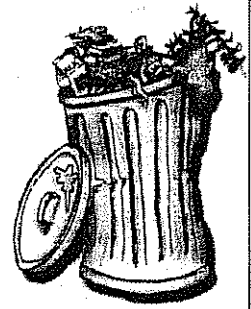
Monday, Dec. 24

Tuesday, Dec. 25

&

Tuesday, Jan. 1

**Residential refuse pick up will be
Fri., Dec. 28, 2007 & Fri., Jan. 4th
2008 due to the Christmas & New
Year holidays.**



THANK YOU

The family of Arnold Ensz expresses gratitude for all the kindnesses shown to us during Arnold's illness and passing. Thank you for all your prayers, gifts, flowers, food, and notes of comfort and encouragement. We also wish to express our sincere gratitude to all who contributed to making Arnold's memorial service such a blessing. We feel privileged to live in this community.

Thank you all and God bless you.

The Arnold Ensz Family

**WHITEWATER RIVER
CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT**

We only had five calls during the month of November. That is the least in recent memory. Four were medical and one was a brush fire. The alarms included Whitewater, Elbing, Pleasant, and Milton.

This can be a most wonderful time of the year. However, we have often been called on to respond to a major call on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day. No one needs to experience a serious setback, especially on or near Christmas. Please be cautious with candles and the use of extension cords for Christmas lights.

The members of the Whitewater River Fire Department wish for all of you a truly Merry Christmas.

**WHITEWATER AREA
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
ANNUAL MEETING**

Jan. 16, 2008
7 A.M.
Whitewater Cafe

AGENDA
Election of officers
Plans for 2008

CONTACTS
Annabell Hephner 799-2701
Don Patry 799-2137
Vickie Beck 799-2163
Debbie Regier 799-2263

 **the
Chamber**

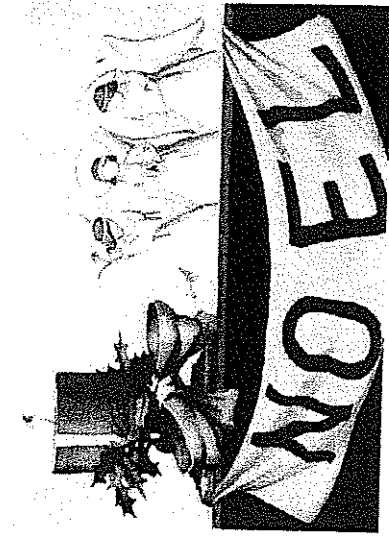


Candlelight Christmas Eve Services Federated Church

Monday December 24 at 11pm



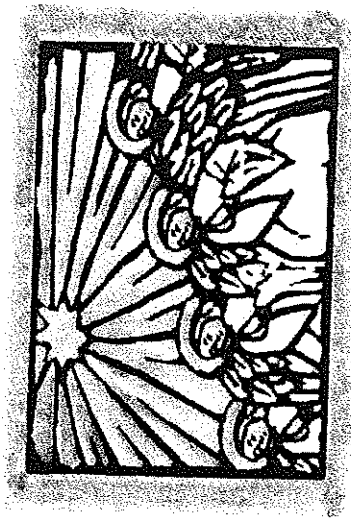
Celebrate the birth of Our Savior Jesus Christ



Hear the Holy Story

Special Music

Carols



Join us to celebrate the true meaning of

CHRISTMAS

WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER SURVEY

The Senior Center of Whitewater is here to provide you information from Butler County Dept of Aging and other Butler County agency's. This questionnaire is to inquire how the Senior Center can assist you.

(1) How many times a month would like the Senior center to be open? ☐ 1 time ☒ 2 times _____
(At present the County requires us be open 2 times a month)

(2) Would you enjoy playing cards before the dinner or after the dinner? ☐ No ☐ Before ☐ After

(3) Would you like to take a day trip to an interesting place? (at a small fee) ☐ Yes ☐ No

(4) What kind of entertainment would you like to be provide?
☐ Country-Western ☐ Talks from health care providers
☐ Talks from professional people or ☐ _____

(5) Would you be interested in a movie and popcorn at the Senior Center? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you do not attend the Senior Center, what kind of things would be of interest for you to attend

PLEASE RETURN THIS SURVEY TO THE CITY BUILDING OR TO P.O BOX
114 WHITEWATER KANSAS 67154

Thank You

Board of Directors
Leo Smith, Roger Tallman,
John Unbach and Marilyn Unbach

Whitewater Community Center Update

Survey Results

Thanks to the participation of the residents of Whitewater, the Community Center Survey is now complete. The purpose of this survey was to determine if Whitewater met the guidelines required for KAN STEP funding eligibility.

As a result of the survey, it is disappointing to announce that those guidelines were missed by a nominal 1.50%, based on the low-to-moderate income levels established by the Kansas Department of Commerce.

We would like to thank everyone for their participation in the survey and for the feedback that has been provided throughout the process. We look forward to exploring other opportunities and soliciting further community input to make the possibility of a Community Center a reality!



If you have any questions concerning the results of the survey, please feel free to direct your questions to:

Brandon L. Patry
(316) 799-2137
wwbbrandon@sbcglobal.net

WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER

**WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER (55 OR OLDER)
AMERICAN LEGION BUILDING
MEETS EVERY 2ND TUESDAY
DOORS OPEN FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.
BRING A SIDE DISH AND TABLERWARE
LUNCH AT 12:00 NOON**

JANUARY 8 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)

FEBRUARY 12 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)

MARCH 11 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)



ANNOUNCEMENT

Effective November 19, 2007, we are excited to announce we have changed our name. The business name will change to:

PARSONS WEALTH MANAGEMENT

This change will be in name only. We will continue to offer the same great products and services you have come to expect.

Rich Parsons ♦ Elaine Schmidt

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316-283-8190 ♦ 800-827-8190

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**"COWBOY UP FOR A CURE"
DINNER, CONCERT, RAFFLE AND AUCTION
TO BENEFIT THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY
RELAY FOR LIFE**

Date: Saturday, March 29, 2008

Place: Remington High School

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Cost: \$10.00 adult / \$7.00 for children under 12

Advance tickets only—purchase by the 22nd of March!

Featuring local artists: Steve Bowman and Maddijo Wohlgemuth

Look for more information in January's newsletter!

YOU COULD OWN A ROSE BREITENSTEIN ORIGINAL!

Raffle tickets on sale now for the chance to win a Rose original!

Call Callie Hill at 316.799.2614, Missy Green at 316.799.2004,
Carla Ryan at 316.799.2532 or Sheri Wedel at 620.752.3164

to purchase your tickets now!

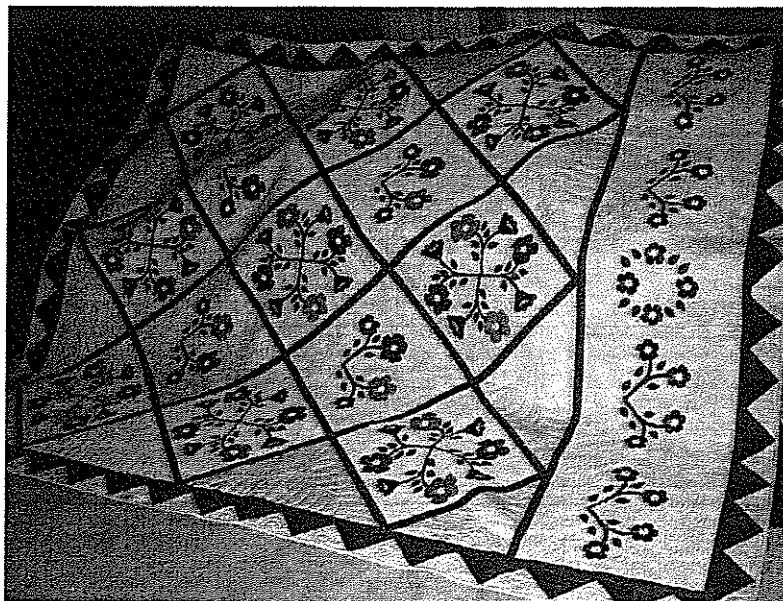
Tickets will be sold from now until the night of the event.

The drawing will take place at the event.

You do not have to be present to win!

Cost: \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00

All proceeds from the raffle go to the American Cancer Society Relay For Life!



BINGO
WHITEWATER LEGION BUILDING

Schedule

December 15, 2007

January 5, 19, 2008

February 2, 16, 2008

March 1, 15, 2008

April 5, 19, 2008

DOORS OPEN AT 6 P.M.

AUXILIARY SNACK BAR OPENS AT 6 P.M.

BINGO GAMES START AT 7 P.M.

SPONSORED BY:

WHITEWATER AMERICAN LEGION

WHITEWATER AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

85% PAYBACK - 4 FACE SHEETS \$1.00

PAYOUT

1-\$25.00

5-\$15.00

8-\$50.00

12-\$15.00

2-\$15.00

6-\$15.00

9-\$15.00

13-\$15.00

3-\$15.00

7-85%

10-\$15.00

14-SPECIAL

4-\$20.00

11-\$20.00

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

Victorian Rose

Christmas Sale

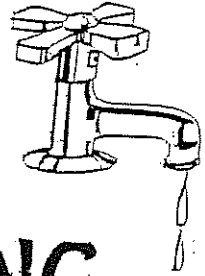
Take 20% off all

Holiday gifts and ornaments

now till Christmas

123 S. Main, Whitewater 799-2701

Fresh flowers not included



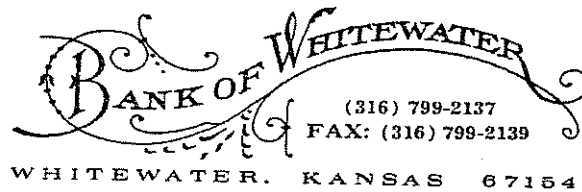
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Cell: (316) 871-5567

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with 22 years experience

repair & remodel □ new installation



HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

3-MONTH CD SPECIAL

4.58% APY*

HOLIDAY HOURS:
CHRISTMAS EVE & NEW YEAR'S EVE
8 A.M. to Noon

HOURS

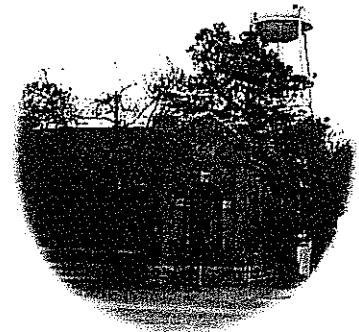
Monday through Friday

Drive-Up: 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Lobby: 9:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

Saturday

Drive-Up: 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.



* Annual Percentage Yield. This special is a limited time offer. Rates are subject to change without notice. Penalty may apply for early withdrawal.

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Whitewater, KS 67154

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TO ALL PADGETT & ASSOCIATES, INC. CLIENTS

Padgett & Associates, Inc. one of the first mortgage brokers licensed in the state of Kansas merged business operations 12-21-05 with New Century Bank National Association. The company in name no longer exists effective January 1, 2006 and now is the mortgage department of the bank. Padgett & Associates, Inc. had the privilege of placing home loans for over 1800 families the past 14 years in Butler, Harvey & Sedgwick counties as well as other counties across the state. We are still committed to servicing those clients. We are located in Manhattan, Kansas. We still do a considerable amount of business in the 3 county area. Clifton Padgett & Eric Moore work in the Manhattan office and can still be reached at (316) 320-9119 or at our toll free line at the main bank (888) 235-7976. Our direct line to the Manhattan loan production office is (785) 532-9066. We offer all types of real estate loans for existing homes or for new construction. Call us today and we would welcome the opportunity to be of assistance for you in a refinance, a purchase, or a new build in your area.



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