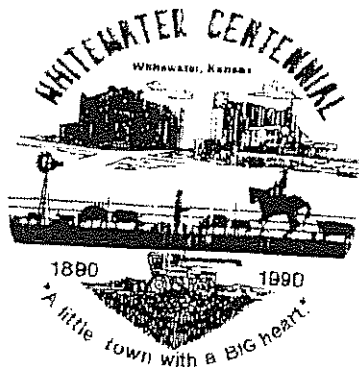




Whitewater Community Newsletter January, 2009

Leon Koehn (pronounced Cane) grew up in this area and attended the local schools as a child before moving to Wichita and graduating from Friends University. Leon built his house north of Potwin in the early 1990's and married his wife Jenny in 1996. In 1997 Jenny began working for another Appraiser with an office here in Whitewater. Leon obtained his Appraiser's License and became partners with that very Appraiser in 1999. The partnership was dissolved because the Appraiser chose to move his home and business to Wichita. **Koehn's Appraisal Service** was then established in Whitewater, December 2001.

Koehn's Appraisal Service is a real estate appraisal company and a Kansas Corporation. All Real Estate Appraisers must be licensed in the State of Kansas and comply with the Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice (USPAP). The purpose of USPAP is to promote and maintain a high level of public trust in the appraisal practice by establishing requirements for Appraisers. It is essential that Appraisers develop and communicate their analyses, opinions and conclusions to intended users of their services in a manner that is meaningful and not misleading.

The company currently has one licensed Appraiser and two support staff. The company was founded on the premise of providing friendly, accurate, speedy and thoughtful service to clients while not compromising professionalism or quality of the appraisal report. The company has implemented the most modern hardware and software capabilities to expedite delivery of the finished product. You will find Wendy in our office at 217 S. Main Street during business hours (9 AM-5 PM M-F). Jenny works from our home office while caring for our 1 year old son, Colt.

What many people do not realize is that there is quite a bit of behind the scenes work to be done by the Appraiser and his Staff for each and every appraisal. Some of that work includes research of the subject property and research of at least three other houses in the area of the subject property that have sold on the open market and are similar in size, age, condition, bedrooms and build. The other houses that are "comparable" must be recent sales. In small towns such as Whitewater this can become quite a challenge, as you can imagine. Each Appraisal Report takes a combined effort of approximately 8 hours of work.

Although most of the Appraisal requests that we receive are for the greater Wichita metro area there are several requests from local Banks and larger lending institutions all over the country for houses in Whitewater as well as the surrounding area (Butler, Cowley, Harvey, Sedgwick, and Sumner Counties).

If you are buying or refinancing a house, please request that your lender use **Koehn's Appraisal Service** for a quality product provided in a quick turn around time!

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, Kara Zonnefeld

December 22, 2008

A lease agreement with MW Towers *AT&T) has been signed, contingent on the Planning and Zoning Board approving a zoning and conditional use application. This tower would be for cell phone service.

Brandon Patry was present representing the WWACC to discuss various options concerning the security of businesses in town and how best to protect them. Dispatch issues were also discussed. The contract with Butler County will be reviewed to see if any changes or additions are necessary.

Officer Baker reported the status of various matters in town as well as the surrounding area. After some discussion it was decided that the city attorney will write a letter to the railroad advising them of the ordinance that has been passed regarding the blocking of city streets in Whitewater.

An agreement with Union Pacific railroad has been received regarding the installation of lights and guard arms at 2nd street. This agreement will be signed so that Union Pacific can proceed with their plans to install this equipment.

The deadline to file for April elections is January 27, 2009 at noon. Paperwork must be filed at the Butler County Courthouse by this deadline.

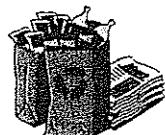
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Recycling Trailer Schedule (South Diamond)

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AFTER 10 A.M.

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Jan 27 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

Jan 27 - Election Filing Deadline - Noon -

Butler County Courthouse

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Feb 7 - Groundhog Fee - Legion

Feb 10 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

Feb 18 - Recycling after 10 am

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WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

The Responders of the Whitewater River Fire District were able to assist on nine alarms during December. These alarms included two structure fires, three vegetation fires, one automatic alarm, and three medical calls. Nineteen different Responders were available for these calls.

Did you receive an updated camera for Christmas? Do you have plans for the old one? Your Fire Department is in need of three or four digital still cameras for use at emergency scenes. We often have the need to document a scene for the insurance company or have photos for training purposes. In these situations, your privacy will not be compromised. If you might be able to help with this project, talk to one of the Volunteers or call Darryl at 799-2782.

**WWACC - Elections will be held
at our meeting Jan 21st at 7 am
at the Whitewater Cafe**

NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

The December meeting of the North Butler 4-H Club was held December 8, 2008 at Remington High School. Officer's Training was at 6:30 and the meeting began at 7:00. President Samantha Claassen called the meeting to order. Roll call, "My Favorite Christmas Activity", was answered by 26 members. Meghan Nipper led the club in singing "Deck the Halls". Jacob and Jarrett Sommers were welcomed as new members.

Katie and Jessica Claassen both gave project talks on sewing. Hannah Thornburg demonstrated how to make "Homemade Christmas Ornaments", Justin Claassen gave a demonstration on wood working. The club collected food for the local food pantry. The Cassody Boosters 4-H Club will join us for an exchange meeting in April. Recreation was a gift exchange among all the members. Samantha Claassen adjourned the meeting. Refreshments were provided by the Wallace and Soto families.

The next meeting will be January 12, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. at RHS. New members are welcome.

Submitted by: Elena & Julianna Soto,
North Butler News Reporters

Election Filing Deadline

for School Board &

City Positions

January 27 - Noon

Butler County Courthouse

Whitewater Memorial Library News

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Staff

Director: Jean Thiessen
Youth Services Coordinator: Julie Mosiman
Administrative Specialist: Joyce Bevan

Board of Trustees

President: Bob Henderson
Vice President: Sue Johnson
Secretary: Carrie Whalen
Treasurer: Wes Hansen
Member: Bill Reynolds
Member: Kim Marciano
Member: Martina Bumm

New Playaways for Easy Listening

The library now has a fairly extensive collection of the latest product in digital audio book technology - *Playaways*.

The latest additions to the adult Playaway collection include:

- * **The Shack** by Young
- * **The Great Gatsby** by Fitzgerald
- * **Three Cups of Tea** by Mortenson
- * **The Good Earth** by Buck
- * **A New Earth** by Tolle

New children's Playaways include:

- * **The Complete Star Wars Trilogy** original radio drama



- * **The Boxcar Children: Ghost Ship Mystery Summer Camp Mystery** by Warner
- * **The Railway Children** by Nesbit

Story Time Schedule

January 12
Snow

January 26
Families

February 9
Mouse Tales

February 23
Cowpokes

March 9
Creepy / Crawly

March 23
Music

April 6
Easter

April 20
SRC Preview
Get Creative

Story Time is held
on Mondays
from 10 - 11 am
at the library.

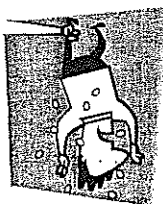
2008 Tax Forms

Both **Kansas tax forms** are now available in the entryway of the library.

As far as we know, the library will not be receiving **Federal**

tax forms again this year.

As a service to our patrons who want to print forms from the IRS Internet site, which



is irs.gov, the first ten pages of tax forms and instructions will be free.

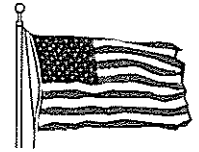
Any amount over ten pages will be printed at a reduced cost of 5c per page.



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Saturday, February 7, 2009

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FEBRUARY 10 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
FEBRUARY 24 - MOVIE AND POPCORN
MARCH 10 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
MARCH 24 - MOVIE AND POPCORN



BINGO

WHITEWATER LEGION BUILDING

Schedule

January 17, 2009

February 21, 2009 (Feb. 7 - No Bingo -
Groundhog Feed)

March 7, 21, 2009

April 4, 18, 2009

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13-\$15.00
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SECOND NINE WEEKS – 2008-2009

SUPERINTENDENT'S ALL A'S HONOR ROLL

8TH GRADE:

Holly Allmond
Ashley Bain
Katrina Carey
Cole Claassen
Grant Claassen
Rose Dollarhide
Paul Janzen
Will Johnson
Quintin McGehee
Caitlin McKaughan
Nicole Minder
Katrina Regehr

7TH GRADE:

Alexander Carr
Rachelle Claassen
Audrey Orr
Kylee Schunn
Cody Shinkle

6TH GRADE:

Casey Westerfield

5TH GRADE:

Chanze Lopez
Declan Reeves

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

8TH GRADE:

Lindsay Bevan
Kolby Burns
Robert DeBaun
Maria Entz
Desi Hays
Abby Holliday
Megan McNeill
Addie Mosiman
Sara Mosiman
Emily Raines
Harley Reeves
Kyle Regier
Monte Ross
Elena Soto
Stacia Thunberg

7TH GRADE:

Deanna Ingalsbe
Austin Miller
Devin Reeves
Julianna Soto
Rachelle Thiessen
Zach Thornburg
Heather Wilson

6TH GRADE:

Austin Entz
Justin Entz
Dakotah Gillmore

5TH GRADE:

Madelyne Artman
Kyle Burns
Carine Claassen
Catherine Graham
William Graham
Jasmine Ingalsbe
Bethany Jenkins
Hayley Nelms
Madyson Tanner
Blake Thunberg
Mack Tribble
Abby Tyson

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

8TH GRADE:

Jake Abrahams
Caleb Entz
Sam Harper
Hunter Nolan
Caleb Tanner
Kale Zonnefeld

7TH GRADE:

Emma Hilgenfeld
Hunter Hill
Alyssa Hinz
Madison Janzen
Kaitlyn Nash
Trent Nelson
Mason Tribble

6TH GRADE:

Savita Carey
Cody Farmer
Brogan Gillmore
George Goebel
Kristyn Wedel

5TH GRADE:

Micah Carey
Morgan Claassen
Keegan Cook
Joel Eck
Ashley Jost
Bryce Kahle
Billie Orr
Susie Redecop
Yiselda Rivera
Hannah Thornburg

Two FREE Movie Nights

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Sunday, February 8 at 6:00pm

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As many of you know, I have been given the opportunity and privilege to assist with the RHS wrestling team over the next 3 months. In order to accommodate this responsibility, my business hours will be changing a little. Beginning 11-17-08, I will be closing at 3:15PM Monday – Wednesday in order to accommodate practice. My Thursday evening hours will remain, although I will not open until approximately 5:30PM. Additionally, there will be 4 Thursday evenings that I will be closed for wrestling meets. These will be posted at the office.

I appreciate your support and understanding as I juggle schedule changes over the next couple months. Please know that I will do all I can to accommodate my patients and put your welfare first.

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RABIES VACCINATION - 3 YR. \$18.00

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RABIES FELINE VACCINATION - 1 YR. \$10.00

RABIES FELINE VACCINATION - 3 YR. \$18.00

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For More information on Relay For Life, please visit the website at www.RelayForLife.org, or call 1-800-ACS-2345.

You may also contact Callie Hill,
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Whitewater Community Newsletter February, 2009



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Because we do Business with many Insurers we can match our client's specific needs with the Company offering the best combination of coverage and price. Among the Insurers we do business with are Allied Ins, AIG, Progressive, EMC, Foremost, Lititz Mutual, Marysville Mutual, Upland Mutual, Philadelphia Ins. Co. and many Brokerage Firms, we can go all the way to Lloyd's of London if necessary to place a difficult or unusual risk.

Our Newton office is located at 130 E 4th and the Whitewater office is at 121 S Main. Vickie Beck has been the licensed agent at the Whitewater office for over 21 years. Our Newton office also offers Storage Units through StorageMaxx and they are the local Hertz Car Rental Agency.

Thank you to our many clients that have enabled us to provide support to many of the Whitewater & Newton area non-profit organizations and community groups.

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, Kara Zonnefeld

January 26, 2009

Nancy Johnston was present to discuss the new franchise agreement with Kansas Gas Service.

This agreement will be reviewed and ready for the council's next meeting. The current agreement will expire on April 17, 2009.

Lori Seifert was present to discuss an addition that is being planned at Wheat State Manor. This addition would be in the dementia unit and make the unit ADA compliant as well as allow for more residents in this unit.

Zoning recommendations were approved so that the proposed cell phone tower at the sewer plant can proceed.

It was reported that Crossroads Wireless is looking for companies to assume their leases. They hope to have something worked out in 30 days.

The bid from Ferguson Paving for the proposed street sealing was presented. Various matters were discussed and will be looked into further.

Brian Johnson's appointment to the Cemetery Board was approved by the council.

Willard Wiebe informed the council that he would be meeting with Swiss Church and Goedecke Engineering on the 28th so that the project could move ahead.

Mayor Ryan reminded the council of the election filing deadline - Tuesday, January 27th at noon.

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Submitted by: Elena & Julianna Soto,
North Butler News Reporters

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Words seem so inadequate to express the support we have felt during this time after our December 28, 2008 fire. Your expressions of financial support, prayers, kind words, and offers of help have truly been a blessing to both of us during this time. We are in the process of repairing the house and are planning to move back sometime in May 2009. Again, please accept our humble thank you for all of your support.



Rich & Nancy Parsons

WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

We received 12 calls for assistance during the month of January. Four were for medical problems, two for automatic fire alarms, one for a vehicle accident, one for a grass fire, one was a good intent call but a false alarm, and two calls were for mutual aid with neighboring Departments. Seventeen different Responders made themselves available for these calls.

We are always very glad to help our neighbors. Thank you for your confidence shown to the volunteers of your Fire Department.

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January meeting - issues discussed city council & school board elections, candidate forum, web-site, cell phone tower, convenience store, cameras & security, Chamber brochure (any one interested in helping?), member certificates, meeting times, housing development, election results:

Brandon Patry - President
Vickie Beck - Vice President
Don Patry - Treasurer
Debbie Regier - Secretary
Dr. Mike Claassen, Parry Owen, &
Annabell Hephner - Board of Directors

WWACC

Next meeting February 18th at noon
at Whitewater Pizza Place

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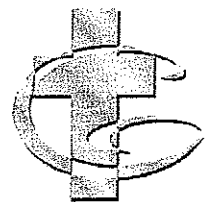
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Open More Hours in April

Just like the old Toyota commercial - you asked for it, you got it!

Based on increased library usage and input from the library survey, the library will be open additional hours beginning in April.

The funding is now in place and the extra hours will allow the library to provide more service to the public.

There will be two

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Thursday	1:30 - 8:00 pm
Friday	1:30 - 5:00 pm
Saturday	9:30 - noon

Looking for Creative People

"Be Creative @ Your Library" is the 2009 Summer Reading Club theme.

In addition to the fun of reading, we would like



to offer some mini workshops to stimulate creativity in children.

If you do something creative, be it card making, whittling,

cooking or whatever, would you consider sharing your gift with the youth of our community?

Call the library at 316-799-2471 for more information.

Did you know that Abraham Lincoln...

- ♥ was born 200 years ago on February 12, 1809 and was the first president born outside of the original 13 colonies?
- ♥ was saved from drowning by a boyhood friend?
- ♥ had an envelope on his cluttered law office desk entitled "When you can't find it anywhere else, look into this"?
- ♥ was the first U.S. president from the Republican Party?
- ♥ was the only president ever to obtain a patent?

Non-Fiction Tops New List

The library acquires new materials all year round, and most of them check out for three weeks. However, **new DVDs circulate for only ten days**. Please make a note so that you do not have to pay the 25c/day overdue fee.

If you enjoy reading true books, try these new non-fiction titles:

- ♥ **The Living Lincoln: the man and his times, in his own words** by Angle
- ♥ **The Ten Roads to Riches** by Fisher
- ♥ **Hitman: Forty years making music, topping charts & winning Grammys** by Foster
- ♥ **Batman: the Sunday Classics 1943-1946** by Kane
- ♥ **Cesar's Way: the natural, everyday guide to understanding & correcting common dog problems** by Millan
- ♥ **If Your Adolescent Has: An Eating Disorder Schizophrenia An Anxiety Disorder** by various authors

Winter Story Time Schedule

February 23
Cowpokes

March 9
Creepy / Crawly

March 23
Music

April 6
Easter

April 20
SRC Preview
Get Creative

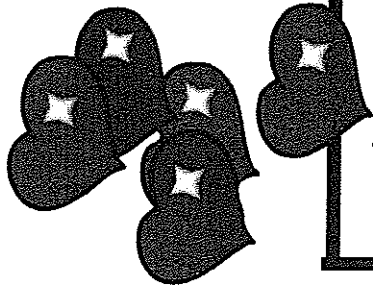


WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER

WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER (55 OR OLDER)
AMERICAN LEGION BUILDING
MEETS EVERY 2ND TUESDAY FOR LUNCH
DOORS OPEN FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.
BRING A SIDE DISH AND TABLERWARE
LUNCH AT 12:00 NOON
& EVERY 4TH TUESDAY FOR MOVIES
DOORS OPEN FROM 1:30 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

FEBRUARY 24 - MOVIE AND POPCORN
MARCH 10 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
MARCH 24 - MOVIE AND POPCORN
APRIL 14 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
APRIL 28 - MOVIE AND POPCORN





Victorian Rose 123 S Main Whitewater

Valentine's Day Saturday, February 14th

1 dozen roses wrapped \$ 42.50

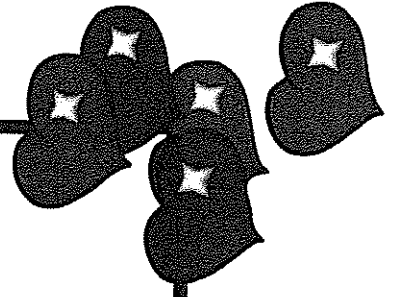
1 dozen roses arranged in a vase \$60.00

1 rose in a vase w/bb \$13.00

2 roses in a vase w/bb \$16.00

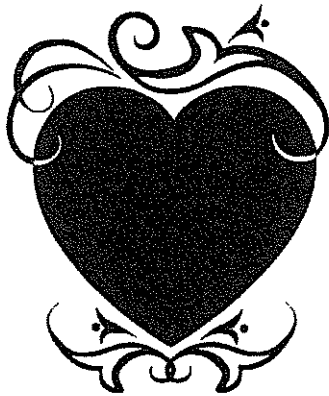
3 roses in a vase w/bb \$19.00

fresh arrangements with a rose starting at 20.00 and up



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HAPPY VALENTINES DAY!



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THE AD FOR CUT FLOWER
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LETTER, CANNOT BE DONE
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WE ARE SORRY FOR ANY
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-RINSE AND
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MAGAZINES
-CLEAN AND DRY

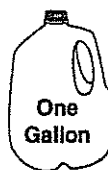


TIN FOOD CONTAINERS
-RINSE



CARDBOARD BOXES
-MIXED
CARDBOARD

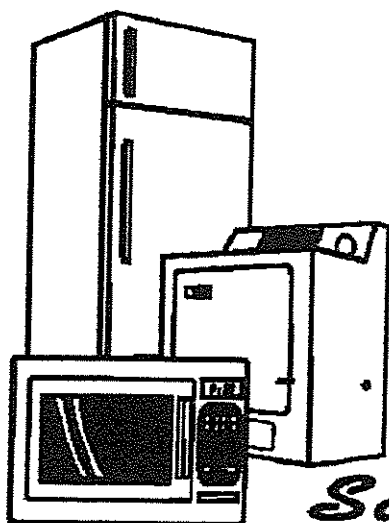
PLASTIC MILK JUGS (HDPE1), JUICE,
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9TH ANNUAL

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SATURDAY MARCH 14th

2:30 pm til 7:00 pm

WHITEWATER CAFE

213 S. MAIN

WHITEWATER, KANSAS



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ALL PROCEEDS WILL BE USED FOR THE WHITEWATER
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**Rock-N-Roll For A Cure
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Date: March 28, 2009

Location: Remington High School Gym

Time: 6:00 P.M.

Ticket Price: \$10.00

**Help us celebrate the 1950's while raising
money to fight cancer.**

**Your ticket will purchase a night of entertainment by
an Elvis Impersonator, dinner and auction.**

**Purchase a chance now for an original Rose
Breitenstein quilt that will be drawn for at the dinner.
Tickets: \$1.00 each or \$5.00 for 6**

**For more information contact:
Callie Hill 799-2614
Carla Ryan 799-2532
Missy Green 799-2004**

**Money raised will go towards
The American Cancer Society
Relay For Life**



**The Elbing Pride Committee
will host a community-wide
Pancake Breakfast Saturday,
March 7, 2009, from 7:30 to 10:00 a.m., at the
Berean Academy cafeteria in Elbing, Kansas.**



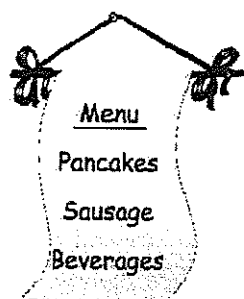
Everyone is welcome.

**Included on the menu are pancakes
(all you can eat), sausage, juice and coffee.**

Sugar-free syrup will be available.

**Cost is \$5.00 per adult, \$3.00 for
children 7-12 years of age, and
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**Proceeds will benefit the
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Perennials	Large variety		KNOCKOUT ROSES
HANGING BASKETS			ROSE OF SHARON
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Airplane Plant			LILLACS
Geranium - Varied colors			BARBARRY BUSHES (REPEAT BLOOMER red,yellow,pink) DAY LILLIES
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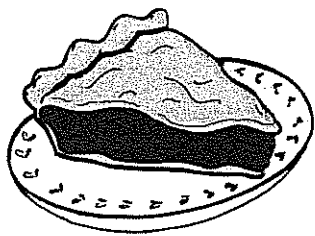
Open Shop
Wednesday8:00 to 5:00
Thursday8:00 to 7:00
Saturday8:00 to 12:00

Open

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SOUP SUPPER

February 21, 2008



Home Made Chili
Chicken Noodle Soup
Sandwiches
Pie

Furley United Methodist Church
400 E. 4th
Furley, Kansas

Serving begins at 4:30 p.m.



Free will offering



ANIMAL CLINIC
WILL BE AT COUNTRYAID VET CLINIC
11360 NW MEADOWLARK ROAD

MARCH 14, 2009

9:00 TO 11:00 A.M.

DHLP/PC VACCINATION - 1 YR. \$13.00

RABIES VACCINATION - 1 YR. \$10.00

RABIES VACCINATION - 3 YR. \$18.00

FVRCP-C VACCINATION \$11.50

RABIES FELINE VACCINATION - 1 YR. \$10.00

RABIES FELINE VACCINATION - 3 YR. \$18.00

FELINE LEUKEMIA VACCINATION \$13.00

**ANIMAL LICENSES CAN BE PURCHASED
AND WILL BE GOOD THROUGH MAY 31, 2010P.**

**LICENSES ARE \$5.00 FOR NEUTERED ANIMALS
\$10.00 FOR THOSE THAT ARE NOT**

**COUNTRYAID VET SERVICE IS NOW TAKING
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**THERE WILL BE NO OFFICE CALL CHARGES
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BINGO
WHITEWATER LEGION BUILDING

Schedule

February 21, 2009
April 4, 18, 2009

March 7, 21, 2009

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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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

******* IMPORTANT NOTICE *******
FROM CLAASSEN CHIROPRACTIC

As many of you know, I have been given the opportunity and privilege to assist with the RHS wrestling team over the next 3 months. In order to accommodate this responsibility, my business hours will be changing a little. Beginning 11-17-08, I will be closing at 3:15PM Monday – Wednesday in order to accommodate practice. My Thursday evening hours will remain, although I will not open until approximately 5:30PM. Additionally, there will be 4 Thursday evenings that I will be closed for wrestling meets. These will be posted at the office.

I appreciate your support and understanding as I juggle schedule changes over the next couple months. Please know that I will do all I can to accommodate my patients and put your welfare first.

Thank you
Dr. Mike Claassen

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Whitewater Community Newsletter March, 2009

LAMB FUNERAL HOME

120 S. MAIN

WHITEWATER, KS

The funeral home at 120 S. Main in Whitewater has been in continuous operation since 1893. the business was established at 120 S. Main by Charles E. Francis as the Francis Furniture and Undertaking business. On February 27, 1912, Frank Bishop purchased the business from Mr. Francis and changed the name to Bishop Furniture and Undertaking. On October 2, 1921 Mr. Bishop was killed when his hearse stalled on the railroad tracks north of town and was hit by an oncoming train.

Following the death of Mr. Bishop the business was sold to Hylas and Harold Smith and the name was changed to Smith Mortuary and Furniture. In 1938 Harold purchased his brother's interest and closed out the furniture part of the business. Harold continued to operate the business until his untimely death in December of 1958.

In 1959 Bob and Mae Lamb became the new owners and the firm was known as Lamb Mortuary. Through the years Bob and Mae provided quality funeral service to Whitewater and surrounding communities along with ambulance service and monument sales. The ambulance service was discontinued in 1968.

In 2004 the business was purchased by Ty Zeiner of Marion, Kansas and the name has remained Lamb Funeral Home. Today the business is staffed by Ty Zeiner, embalmer and funeral director, Amy White, funeral director, Larry Timm, funeral director and monument sales, part time assistants are Helen Kiser and Roy Brockmeier, and semi retired are Bob and Mae Lamb.

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, Kara Zonnefeld

February 23, 2009

A new franchise agreement with KGS was presented by Nancy Johnston and accepted.

Lori Shryock, Wheat State Manor administrator was present to answer questions regarding the forming of a Public Building Commission to be involved with the proposed remodel and addition at Wheat State. Charter Ordinance 9 was passed in order to be able to move this project along.

Brad Jantz and Jennifer Bell were approved as new members of the Park Board.

Mike Hill asked if the CJ's could use equipment and dumpsters for the spring cleanup scheduled for April 18. This was agreed to.

A proposed draft of a new ordinance regarding the new FEMA mapping was presented. It was preliminarily approved and will be sent to FEMA for their approval before passage by the city.

A petition to vacate "A" street platted in the old sewer plant was presented and approved.

Darryl Claassen informed the council that a new fire unit had been put into service that evening. He also invited the council to attend the Historical Society Meeting on March 9 where he would be presenting a history of the local fire department.

Bruce Harris, new county commissioner, was present to ask the council to contact him with concerns they may have regarding the county.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20.

Recycling Trailer Schedule

(South Diamond)

March 18 April 1, 15

AFTER 10 A.M.

1st & 3rd Wed.



UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like on the calendar please submit by the 10th.

Mar 14 - Animal Clinic - 9:00 -

Countryaid Vet Clinic

Mar 18 - Recycling after 10 am

Mar 24 - Senior Movie 1:30 - Legion

Mar 28 - Relay for Life Dinner - 6:00 - RHS

Apr 1 - Recycling after 10 am

Apr 14 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

Apr 15 - Recycling after 10 am

Apr 18 - CJ Spring Cleanup

Apr 28 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

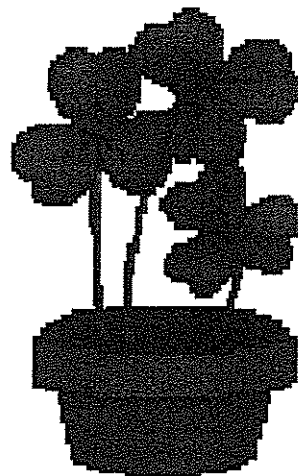
May 6 - Recycling after 10 am

May 12 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

May 20 - Recycling after 10 am

May 26 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY



WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

The volunteers of the Whitewater River Fire District responded to 14 calls in February. These calls included grass fires, medicals, a motor vehicle accident, a car fire, an anhydrous odor investigation, and mutual aid to other departments.

Spring is clean-up time. This will, no doubt, include brush pile fires. A burn ban includes brush piles. Once the current bans are lifted, keep your safety and the protection of surrounding property in mind. As a reminder: Notify your local Fire Department or 911 before you burn. Check the weather conditions for the following two days. Burn small piles instead of one large pile. Don't use liquid accelerants to start the fire. Stay on scene until the fire is extinguished.

**Richland
Township
is moving its
monthly meeting
to the 3rd Tuesday
of the month,
beginning with the
April meeting.
(April 21, 2009)
The meetings will
still be at 7:00 at
the City Building
in Whitewater.**



NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

The February meeting of the North Butler 4-H Club was held Feb. 9, 2009 at Remington High School. President Samantha Claassen called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Roll call was "My favorite movie is ..." and was answered by 24 members. Thomas Goebel led the club in singing, "Counting Valentines". The Feb. meeting was filled with talks and demonstrations. Lucas and Paul Goossen showed how to cut a circle out of a piece of wood. Emily Toews showed us the T-Shirt quilt she made for the fair. Renata Goossens entertained us with a reading. Jarrett Sommers gave a show & tell on KU basketball and Jacob Sommers did a show & tell on playing T-Ball. Travis Kochenower demonstrated how to do macrame and told us what he plans to make for the fair. Kyle Thiessen showed us how to properly tie up a bucket calf. The meeting ended with Renata Goossen leading recreation. Refreshments were served by the Nipper, Thiessen, & Sommers families. County 4-H Days will be Feb. 14, in El Dorado. The March meeting will be held March 9th at 7:00 p.m. at RHS and will be Parent's Night. New members are always welcome.

Submitted by: Elena & Julianna Soto,
North Butler News Reporters

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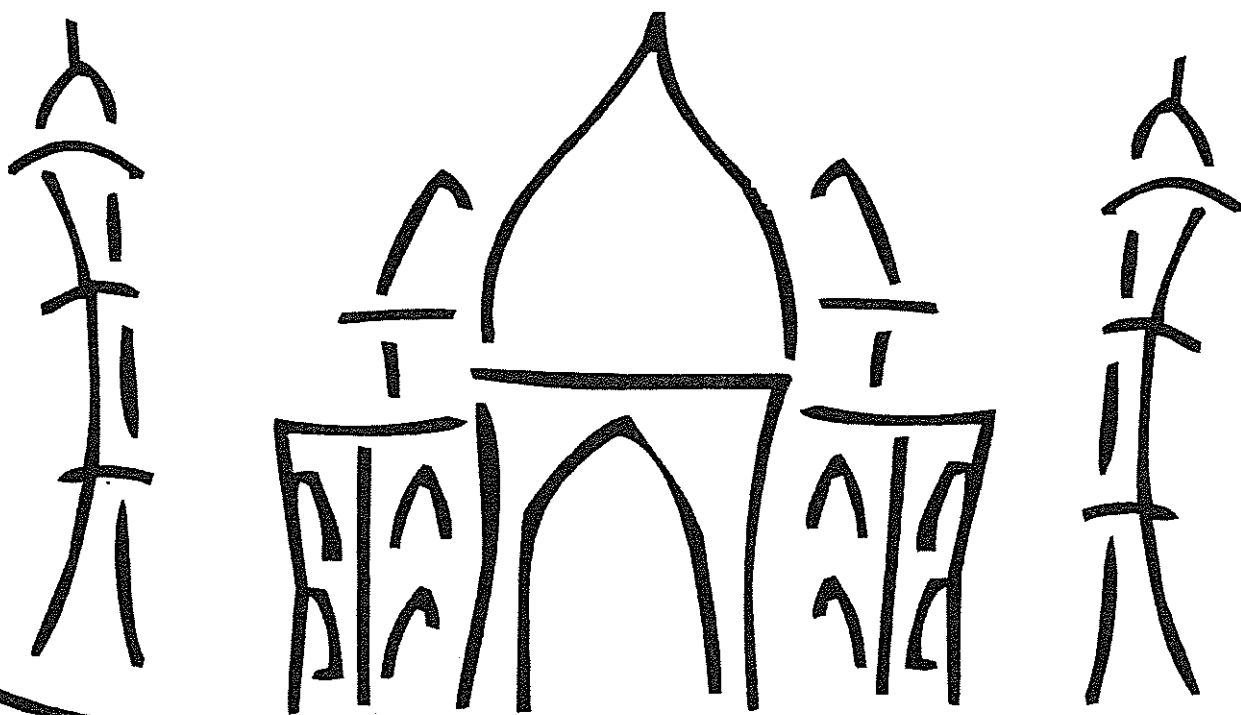
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6:30 p.m., April 4

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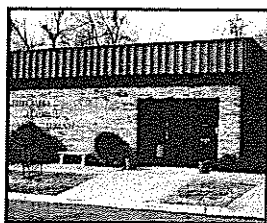
Tickets \$25

Funding for coffee bar

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for tickets and information

Whitewater Memorial Library News

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1928 - 2008

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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April 2 - New Library Hours!

Just like the old Toyota commercial - you asked for it, you got it!

Based on increased library usage and input from the library survey, the library will be open 4 more hours each week starting April 2, 2009.

The funding is now in place and the extra hours will allow the library to provide more service to the public.

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changes. Monday hours will change from 6 - 9 pm to 4:00 - 8:00 pm.

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We welcome your comments as we

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<u>Saturday</u>	<u>9:30 - noon</u>

move into this **six-month trial period.**

The staff and Library

Board of Trustees will evaluate the new schedule in October, 2009, and adjust accordingly.

WHITEWATER is a GREAT place to live!

It's safe, clean and the people are friendly!

Now you can tell the world that you love the community in which you live.

On display at the library for a limited time are shirts, hats and sweatshirts sporting the Whitewater logo.

Purchase one right away or order one in your favorite color.

Shirts and hats cost just \$13.

Heavy weight Sweatshirts cost \$30.

Get 'em while they're hot!

Online Magazines for Library Patrons

In addition to 49 print magazines, the library subscribes to two online magazines, as well.

Library patrons are encouraged to use the online version of Con-

sumer Reports and Consumer Reports Health.

A limited version of each magazine is accessible by the public @ www.consumerreports.org However, access to

the entire magazine requires a user name and password that patrons may acquire at the library.

Tell us how you like this service. Email whitelib@sbcglobal.net

Free Talking Books for All Ages

Did you know that readers who have impaired hearing and/or vision can receive free audio or Braille materials in the mail?

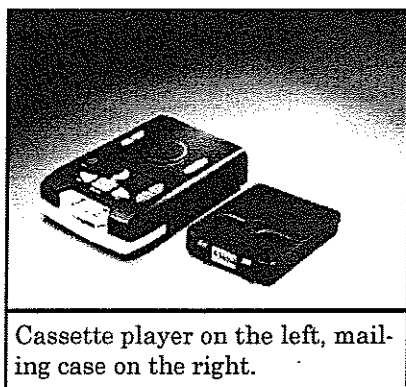
It's easy to apply, and the service is free to people of all ages. Come to the library or apply online at www.loc.gov/nls/

This is how it all started. In 1931 the U.S. Congress established free library services for blind adults to be administered by the National Library Service for the Blind

and Physically Handicapped. This legislation opened the doors to free re-

cordings of books distributed nationwide through regional libraries and the U.S. Postal Service.

Talking Books for children were added in 1952 and juvenile books were added in 1962. Today, thousands of book titles are available to users as well as magazines and newspapers.



Cassette player on the left, mailing case on the right.

In 2009, the Talking Books program will fast forward from cassettes to digital service, offering new technological, educational and entertainment opportu-

nities for the hearing and visually impaired.

Save the Date!

Monday, March 23

Story Time - 10:00 am

Thursday, April 2

New Hours Begin

1:30 - 8:00 pm

Saturday, April 4

FOL Fundraiser Dinner

"A Taste of India"

Monday, April 6

New Hours 4:00 - 8:00 pm

Monday, April 6

Story Time - 10:00 am

Monday, April 20

Story Time - 10:00 am

Monday, April 27

New Rotating Books

Monday, May 25

Summer Reading Club Begins

Monday, May 25

Memorial Day
Library Closed

Small Business Feature Coming Soon

In this age of economic downturns, businesses of all sizes and types are likely to be adversely affected. Hit hardest of all, perhaps, are the small businesses people operate out of their homes.

Shoppers are staying closer to home and spending less money.

We have an idea that we think will benefit both

small, home-operated business and shoppers.

The front page of the Whitewater newsletter has been featuring larger and store front businesses for quite some time now.

In the library section of the newsletter, we would like to feature small businesses in the Whitewater area. We would also like to feature a

small display of the products sold by these small businesses in the library.

It's a win-win situation. Small business owners get product exposure, and shoppers help their neighbors by purchasing quality products at a fair price without the travel hassle.

Interested? Call or email the library and ask for Jean.

Explore Kansas from Your Easy Chair

If you enjoy reading about the establishment and history of Kansas towns or if you are doing some family history research, check out the library's collection of city histories.

The library has the following abbreviated histories:

Andover 1869 - 1984

Brainerd 1855 - 1985

Burrton 1873 - 1973

Rose Hill 1868 - 1945

Yoder 1889 - 1989

Histories listed below are in bound book form:

Albert 1886 - 1986

Andale 1869 - 1984

Bentley 1888 - 1988

Buhler 1888 - 1988

Elbing - Next Stop

Halstead, the Early Years

Haven 1886 - 1986

Hesston 1886 - 1986

Hillsboro, the City on the Prairie

Maize 1886 - 1986

Colwich 1886 - 1986

Peabody, the First 100 Years

Potwin 1885 - 1985

So. Hutchinson 1886 - 1986

Topeka, an Illustrated History of the Kansas Capital

Whitewater 1890 - 1990

Also available:

History of Harvey County
1871 - 1881

New Inspirational Fiction by Author

The latest inspirational fiction to arrive at the library include the following:

♦ Randy Singer
Dying Declaration
False Witness

♦ Elizabeth White
Off the Record
Fireworks

♦ Alton Gansky
Director's Cut
Before Another Dies

♦ Hannah Alexander
Safe Haven
Grave Risk

♦ Dave Jackson
Forty to Life

♦ Harry Lee Krause, Jr.
The Stain

♦ Jack Cavanaugh
Death Watch

♦ Catherine Palmer
The Loved One

♦ Josh McDowell
Mistaken Identity

♦ James Scott Bell
Sins of the Fathers

♦ Davis Bunn
Lazarus Trap

♦ Neta Jackson
Yada Yada Prayer Group
Gets Rolling
Gets Tough
Gets Caught
Gets Real

♦ Paul McCusker
Season of Shadows

♦ T. L. Hines
The Dead Whisper On

♦ Colleen Coble
Fire Dancer

♦ Angela Hunt
Novelist

♦ Renee Ryan
Marshal Takes a Bride

♦ Victoria Bylin
Maverick Preacher

♦ Linda Ford
Alberta Brides

♦ Various Authors
Alaska Brides

♦ Various Authors
Prairie Hills (South Dakota)

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR EXTRA SUMMER MONEY?

ARE YOU AGE 14 OR OLDER?

Training classes will be required.

The Whitewater Park Board is looking for someone who is responsible, and is familiar with softball and baseball.

We are looking for umpires (two per game).

IF INTERESTED PLEASE CALL: Christine Crisp 799-2340

.....

2009 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. Must be paid in full before 1st game. Please register before May 9th. Games will be played Tuesday and Friday evenings starting June 2nd.

If you are interested in umpiring please contact me.

To register or if you have any questions

Contact

Brad Jantz @ 799-1912 jantz40@hotmail.com

or

Jeff Klaassen @ 799-2702 jklaassen@sbcglobal.net

SUMMER BASEBALL/SOFTBALL REGISTRATION FORMS

DUE FRIDAY MARCH 13TH.

PLEASE CIRCLE THE AGE GROUP YOUR CHILD WILL PLAY IN

AGES

7-8 yr. old baseball/softball

9-10 yr. old baseball/softball

11-12 yr. old baseball/softball

13-14 yr. old baseball/softball

15-18 yr. old baseball/softball

FEES

\$45.00 each for the first two children,
\$20.00 for each additional child.

SAME AS ABOVE.

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NOTE THE CHANGES IN AGE DIVISIONS.

(\$10.00 additional charge for out of district players.)

This league does not traditionally have co-ed teams. We will comply with this.

Please complete and return this form, one for each child, along with registration fees by **FRIDAY MARCH 13TH**. Late forms may not be accepted if teams are already full and/or will be subject to a \$5.00 charge! A \$20.00 fee will be charged for all return checks.

Make checks payable to Whitewater Park Board.

Return to: Potwin Elementary secretary.
Whitewater Middle School secretary.
Remington High School secretary.
Whitewater City Office ... Kathy Wiebe

WE NEED PARENTS TO VOLUNTEER THEIR TIME TO COACH OR HELP COACH TEAMS. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN COACHING OR ASSISTING, PLEASE CHECK THIS ON THE FORM.

We are also encouraging volunteers to join the Whitewater Park Board. If you are interested please contact one of the members.

Brad Glover 799-1005, Christine Crisp 799-2340, or Jeff Klaassen 799-2702.

Please print your name, child's name, age of child, and gender.

Parent's name _____ phone number _____

Child's name _____

Age _____ male _____ female _____

Parent's
signature _____

I would be interested in helping in the following area(s):

____ Head Coach ____ Assistant Coach ____ Umpire

**PLEASE FILL OUT BOTH SIDES OF FORM
AND RETURN BY MARCH 13TH.**

THANK YOU.

Division _____ Coach _____ Team _____ Fee _____

Wichita Heights Jr. Baseball & Softball League

Andover Parks & Recreation Bel Aire Recreation Circle Recreation Park City Youth Program Valley Center Recreation Commission Whitewater

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION, COMPLETE EVERY LINE AND PRESS HARD (carbonless copy)

My child is signing up to play in the _____ District.
(choose one from above)

Division my child will be playing in _____ Circle one: BASEBALL SOFTBALL

(8 and under baseball or softball, 10 and under baseball or softball, 12 and under baseball or softball, 14 and under baseball or softball, 18 and under baseball or softball)

Child's name _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____

Age as of: **Male - 5/1/09** **Female - 12/31/08** Number of years played _____

Name and age of other siblings registered to play: _____

- ✓ The undersigned hereby gives permission for (name of child) _____ to participate in the Wichita Heights Jr. Baseball & Softball League for the current season, with the understanding that the league, league officers, team managers/coaches, the Andover Parks & Recreation, City of Andover, Bel Aire Recreation Department, City of Bel Aire, Circle Recreation, City of Towanda, Unified School District #375, Benton Athletic Association, City of Benton, Park City Youth Program, City of Park City, Valley Center Recreation Commission, City of Valley Center, Unified School District #262, Whitewater Baseball/Softball and City of Whitewater, employee's or associates of the above mentioned entities will in no way be responsible for any accident or injury while practicing or playing, or for lost or stolen items while practicing or playing or as a spectator in any league sponsored event to the above named. Nor shall the above named person or person be responsible for any team travel.

MEDICAL TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION AND WAIVER

- ✓ By this document, I further authorize any licensed physician or hospital to render medical treatment to (name of child) _____, when requested by any Wichita Heights Jr. Baseball & Softball League coach, manager, league officer or their assistant/assignee.
- ✓ I understand that there is **NO** primary medical insurance provided by the Wichita Heights Jr. Baseball & Softball League.

I have read, understand and agree to the above 3 items _____ Date ____/____/____

Father (first name) _____ (last name) _____

Mother (first name) _____ (last name) _____

Primary address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone (home) _____ (work-father) _____ (work-mother) _____

(cell-father) _____ (cell-mother) _____

e-mail - father _____ e-mail - mother _____

Additional contact _____ Phone _____

Medical information: Family Physician _____ Phone _____

Known allergies _____

I would be interested in helping in the following area(s):

____ Head Coach ____ Assistant Coach ____ Umpire ____ Concessions ____ Sponsor ____ Other

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Pd cash _____ Pd check _____ # _____ Date pd. ____/____/____ Receipt # _____

2009 TEE-BALL REGISTRATION

Player's Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Medical Insurance: _____

School: _____ Birthdate _____ Age _____

Grade: _____ Boy/Girl (circle one)

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

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.
Tee-ball 5-6 co-ed \$35.00 each for the first two children, \$15.00 for each additional child.

Please complete and return this form (one for each child) and additional form if applicable, along with registration fees by **MARCH 27, 2009**. Late forms may not be accepted if teams are already full and/or will be subject to a \$5.00 charge! Also a \$20.00 fee will be charged for all returned checks.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO POTWIN RECREATION OR WHITEWATER PARK BOARD.

Return to: Potwin Elementary.
Potwin City Office.
Whitewater City Office.

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 Teams 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 T-Ball 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 Little League season.

Parent/Guardian _____
Date _____ Address _____

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Spring sports are starting, we can get your child's sports physical done quickly and for only \$25. Plan now for next years physicals. Watch this paper and the Remington Community Report for the date of sports physicals at the High School at a discounted rate.

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APRIL 28 - MOVIE AND POPCORN

MAY 12 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)

MAY 26 - MOVIE AND POPCORN



I am truly overwhelmed at the caring and generosity of our community during our 'life changes'.

I can't thank everyone enough for all of their kindness, generosity and prayers.

Please keep us in your prayers!!!

**THANK YOU!!! THANK YOU!!!
THANK YOU!!!**

Jodi Silbernagel



ANIMAL CLINIC
WILL BE AT COUNTRYAID VET CLINIC
11360 NW MEADOWLARK ROAD

MARCH 14, 2009

9:00 TO 11:00 A.M.

DHLP/PC VACCINATION - 1 YR. \$13.00

RABIES VACCINATION - 1 YR. \$10.00

RABIES VACCINATION - 3 YR. \$18.00

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RABIES FELINE VACCINATION - 1 YR. \$10.00

RABIES FELINE VACCINATION - 3 YR. \$18.00

FELINE LEUKEMIA VACCINATION \$13.00

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**LICENSES ARE \$5.00 FOR NEUTERED ANIMALS
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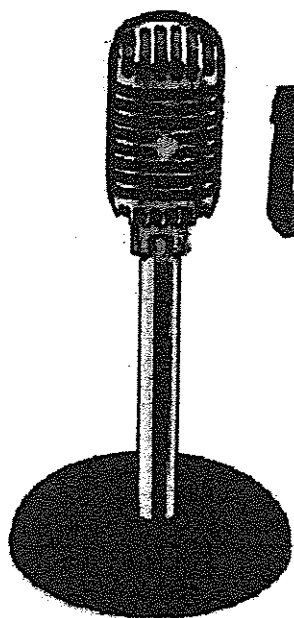
**Dinner, Auction, Raffle of Rose Breitenstein Quilt
&**

Concert featuring:

Marc Baker

as

Elvis



Date: Saturday, March 28, 2009

Place: Remington High School

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Ticket Cost: \$10.00 (ticket sales end March 22, 2008)

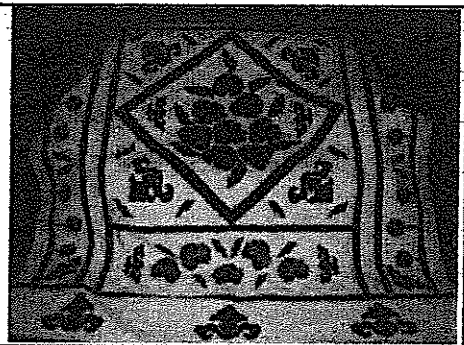
Rose Breitenstein Quilt Raffle

Tickets are on sale now until March 28, 2009.

The drawing will take place at the end of the benefit dinner.

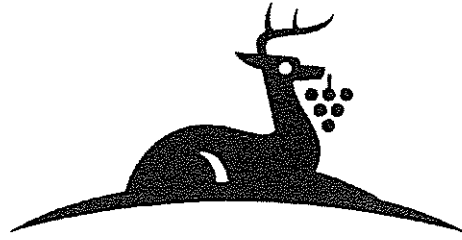
You do not have to be present to win.

Ticket Cost: \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00



For tickets and more information please contact:

Callie Hill: 799-2614, Missy Green: 799-2004, Carla Ryan: 799-2532, Sherri Wedel: (620) 752-3164,
Jan Hill: 799-2146, Heather Thiel: 799-1090, Denae Villines: 799-1999



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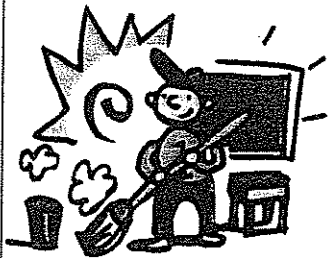
2008 Wines will be released in April.

Call 799-2511 to arrange a tasting or pick up a bottle.

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CJ'S SPRING CLEAN UP APRIL 18, 2009

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PLEASE SEPARATE YOUR BURNABLE
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**NO TIRES, BATTERIES, OR
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CONTACT PERSONS:

TAD GREEN 799-2004 MIKE HILL 799-2614



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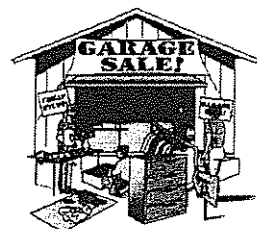
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**MAPS - ALONG WITH INFORMATION ABOUT WHAT YOU
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April 4, 18, 2009

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2009 Remington School Board & Whitewater City Council Candidate Public Forum

When: Thursday, March 24th

Where: Remington School District Office
110 S. Main St.
Whitewater, KS 67154

Time: 7 p.m.—9 p.m.

School Board (7 p.m.):

- Jayne Carey
- Bret Mosiman
- Pat Regier
- Tom Sommers

City Council (8 p.m.):

- John Bumm
- Michael Frazier
- Brad Jantz
- Danny Ravenscraft
- Royal Lyle Thorne

Join us on March 24th to find out where the candidates
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Recent storms, fires, medical emergencies and other tragedies have made us aware we need to gather information to be better prepared for these situations. This information will be used by the Whitewater Fire Dept. and Countryaid Vet Service PA.

PLEASE FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING FORM--we will keep it on file in case of an emergency.

NAME _____

Phone Numbers (including cell) _____

Emergency Contact Info (family members/friends) _____

Address _____

Directions (for rural residents) from 196 & Meadowlark _____

Pets (include name, species, breed, age, color, sex (altered?), identification (tag, microchip), medical conditions; pictures with information on back accepted

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Portable pens _____ Other _____

If you have questions please contact Pat or Debbie at Countryaid Vet Service, 316-799-2740

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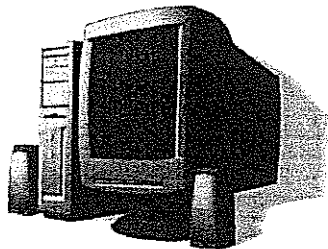
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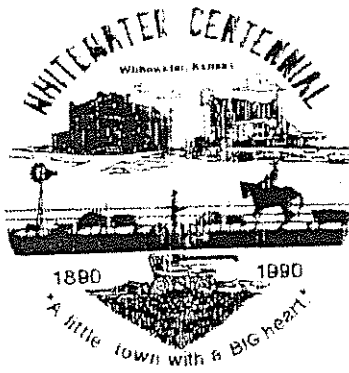
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Whitewater Community Newsletter April, 2009

Mary Makings

Custom Machine Embroidery

by

Mary Bariel

Company Logos
Personalized Gifts

316-799-2637
MaryMakings@gmail.com

With a lifelong love of needlework, an embroidery machine, and the help of software, Mary Bariel started *Mary Makings* in 2005. The idea was to create an avenue for individuals, small businesses, groups, and teams to order personalized embroidered apparel.

Every order is unique and custom made, hence the fun and appeal! The experience begins with a catalog offering a variety of casual, sport, and business attire for men, women, and children. Several color options, and sizing from infant to 10XL, give unlimited possibilities, whether request is for one or fifty.

In addition to clothing, there are accessories available to choose from, such as a popular laptop bag, or golf towels for the tournament. Imagination plays a part in other custom requests: a tablecloth for a wedding dinner, wall hangings with favorite quotes, patches, even dog collars!

The design for embroidery can be custom made from the customer's logo or graphic, or a selection can be personalized from thousands of non-copyrighted designs available. Every hat, shirt, jacket, or whatever you choose, can be personalized for each individual.

The Whitewater Memorial Library is displaying *Mary Makings*' items as part of their "Small Business Spotlight" in April. Included are a free-standing lace swan and the infamous Whitewater logo on various shirts.

Mary Makings joined the Whitewater Area Chamber of Commerce in 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:**

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

March 23, 2009

The new FEMA floodplain ordinance has been approved and was ready for adoption. Ken Roth (Dan Ravenscraft) moved to adopt Ordinance 564. Motion carried.

Mr. Nye provided information regarding a claim that has been received by the city as well as information involving the property at 117 S. Maple. Empty buildings on South Main Street were also discussed. Letters will be prepared dealing with issues that need to be taken care of on each of these properties. A noise issue as well as health issue was also addressed.

Officer Baker reported that he had been using radar to track 60 vehicles in town lately and that the average speed was 33 mph. Officer Baker was asked to start issuing tickets on this matter. Concern over the many J-turns on Main Street was also discussed. Tickets were asked to be issued for this matter as well. Cars blocking the alley by Swiss Church as well as the alley in the 200 block of South Locust were also mentioned. Officer Baker will be watching in regards to this problem.

Several maintenance issues were discussed next.

A donation request for the updated printing of the Tour Butler brochure was approved. Additional information regarding Whitewater will be able to be added this time.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:19.

Recycling Trailer Schedule

(South Diamond)

April 15 May 6, 20

AFTER 10 A.M.



UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like on the calendar please submit by the 10th.

Apr 14 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

Apr 15 - Recycling after 10 am

Apr 18 - CJ Spring Cleanup

Apr 28 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

May 6 - Recycling after 10 am

May 12 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

May 20 - Recycling after 10 am

May 26 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

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WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

The volunteers of the Whitewater River Fire District responded to 11 calls for assistance. We had four medical responses and seven fire related calls. Runs were made in Whitewater and into Milton, Fairmount, and Richland townships.

Summer weather has been introduced and will soon be here in full strength. This means that food grills and smokers will be used more often. We would encourage you to evaluate the placement of your grill in relation to buildings and other flammable materials. Grills should not be used on a porch or wooden deck and never inside a building. Also, please dispose of hot charcoal in an appropriate manner. Thank you for helping to make this coming summer season an enjoyable one for all.

NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

The March meeting of the North Butler 4-H Club was held March 9, 2009 at Remington High School. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. Since it was Parents Night the meeting was conducted by the parents of the officers. Roll call for the parents was "My most embarrassing moment..." There were 24 members present. Members that participated in 4-H Days were recognized. Karl Goossen gave the program. He talked about the differences between a demonstration, illustrated talk, and project talk. His PBJ demonstration also stood for Prepare, Bring Your Stuff, and Just Do It. Refreshments were provided by the Dean Claassen and Zane Johnson families. The next meeting will be April 13, 2009, at Remington High School and will be our Exchange Meeting. New members are always welcome.

Submitted by: Elena & Julianna Soto,
North Butler News Reporters

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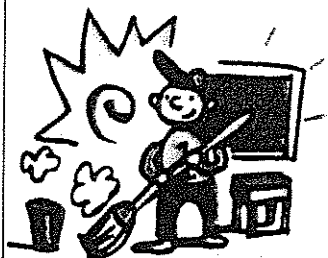
STORE HOURS MONDAY - FRIDAY 6:00 AM - 8:00 PM

SATURDAY 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM

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APRIL 18, 2009**

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CONTACT PERSONS:

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

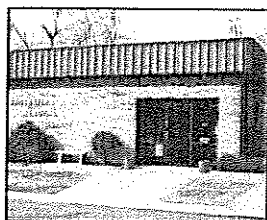
Next meeting April 15

7 am at Mom's Cafe

**Thank you to those who
participated in and attended
the candidate forum**

Whitewater Memorial Library News

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



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Hours

Monday: 4:00 - 8:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30 - noon
Thursday: 1:30 - 8:00 pm
Friday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30 - noon

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Be Creative at Your Library

"Be Creative @ Your Library" is the children's theme for Summer Reading Club 2009. The teen theme is "Express Yourself @ Your Library."

Registration begins **Friday, May 1**, and is open to children of all ages. Parents are invited to participate with their children and read from a reading list of their choice or a reading list created specifically for them by library staff.

Summer Reading Club will start and

end earlier this summer than in past summers. Readers have from **Monday, May 25 until Saturday, July 18** to reach the reading goal and earn their T-shirt.

This summer is all about getting those creative juices flowing.

Special adult events:

Facebook class
Texting class

Special children's events:

Tell a Photo Story
Duct Tape Artistry

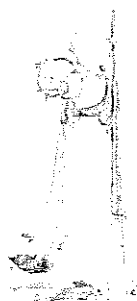
Illustrate a Story
Choose Your Own Ending

Story Telling

Flower Arranging
Leather Craft
Photography
Marshmallow Shooter
Tie Dye
Cupcake Decorating

We would also like to have a **rhythm band** activity and some kind of **dance class**. Please call the library if you are interested in leading either of these activities.

Event planning is nearly complete, so watch the May newsletter for more information.



Whitewater - a Great Place to Live!

Isn't Whitewater a great place to live? Don't you love the smell of fresh air, the friendly neighbors and the quality school system?

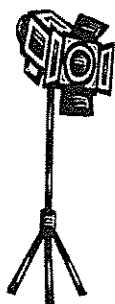
Now you can proclaim

the good news about our wonderful community.

On display at the library for a limited time are shirts, hats and sweatshirts sporting the White-

water logo. Purchase one right away or order one in your favorite style or color.

Shirts and hats cost \$13. Heavyweight sweatshirts cost \$30.



Small Business Spotlight

Our first Small Business Spotlight shines on independent businessman **Scott Lunsford**.

Scott lives in Whitewater with his family and is an independent distributor of **Enlyten** products.

Enlyten products use Rapid-Acting, Side-Effect-Reducing (R.A.S.E.R.) technology and come in flavored, slender, flat strips that are placed in the mouth. The strips look much like minty breath strips.

Products currently on the market include:

- ◊ **Electrolyte Plus Strips**
- ◊ **Energy Strips**

◊ **Antioxidant Strips**

◊ **Melatonin Strips**

According to Enlyten, Inc., "recent studies indicate" the strips "may deliver double" the active ingredients at more than two to three times the rate of absorption" of conventional supplements.

For more information, visit www.enlyten.com/slunsford or call Scott at 316-799-2252.

See the *Small Business Spotlight Exhibit* of Enlyten information/products at the library.

What they're saying . . .

United States Military Academy Director of Intercollegiate Athletics Kevin B.



Anderson states "our athletes...were very impressed with the portability of these strips. They also reported not feeling as fatigued when utilizing the strips."

Duke University reports "that the substance enters the blood stream within five minutes as opposed to 30 minutes via the gastrointestinal route."

NBA star Shaquille O'Neal, the official Enlyten spokesperson, says, "I use the electrolyte strip before, during and after games and the energy strips on my days off to give me the boost I need."

Enlyten, Inc. markets and distributes HealthSport's electrolyte strip products. The company is based in Amherst, New York.

New Movies and Music

Here are the latest additions to the movie collection at the library. Remember: **new videos check out for only ten (10) days!**

Mamma Mia!

Journey to the Center of the Earth

Phantom of the Opera

Fireproof

Nights in Rodanthe

Appaloosa

Australia

Pirates of the Caribbean 1 - 3

Twilight

High School Musical 3

Space Buddies

Bolt

Bob the Builder

Thomas the Tank Engine

Music CDs:

Fearless by Taylor Swift

Hit Man by David Foster & Friends

Save the Date!

Monday, April 20

Story Time - 10:00 am

Monday, April 20

New Hours 4:00 - 8:00 pm

Thursday, April 23

New Hours 1:30 - 8:00 pm

Monday, April 27

New Rotating Books

Monday, April 27

New Hours 4:00 - 8:00 pm

Thursday, April 30

New Hours 1:30 - 8:00 pm

Friday, May 1

Summer Reading Club Signup

Join us this summer and

Be Creative

At

Whitewater Memorial Library's
2009 Summer Reading Club



Summer Reading Club runs from May 25-July 18
Children of all ages (non-readers too!) can register at the
library beginning May 1st.

Enjoy fun programs at the library all summer.

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

WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER

WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER (55 OR OLDER)
AMERICAN LEGION BUILDING
MEETS EVERY 2ND TUESDAY FOR LUNCH
DOORS OPEN FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.
BRING A SIDE DISH AND TABLERWARE
LUNCH AT 12:00 NOON
& EVERY 4TH TUESDAY FOR MOVIES
DOORS OPEN FROM 1:30 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

APRIL 14 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
APRIL 28 - MOVIE AND POPCORN
MAY 12 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
MAY 26 - MOVIE AND POPCORN
JUNE 9 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)



YOU ARE INVITED TO AN ENLYTEN SPECIAL EVENT

WHO: Dr. Kevin Lewis, MD.
WHAT: Nutrition Delivery, Sleeping Issues, and Business.
WHERE: Wichita Airport Hilton, Wichita, KS
WHEN: 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Dr. Lewis is the Chairman of the Enlyten Medical Advisory Council, Chief Medical Officer of Graymark Healthcare, Inc. – Sleep Disorders Centers. He is from Tulsa, OK. Dr. Lewis received his Doctor of Medicine from the University of Texas Health Sciences Center and is board certified in Internal Medicine, Pulmonary Disease, Critical Care, and Sleep Medicine.

Dr. Lewis will discuss Enlyten's patent pending delivery system of nutraceuticals that are delivered into the bloodstream by bypassing the GI tract (stomach), a truly unique never seen before product.

Contact: Scott Lunsford
Phone: 316-799-2252
E-mail: slunsford@enlytennetwork.com

Website: www.enlyten.com/slunsford



Whitewater Senior Center Tuesday Movie

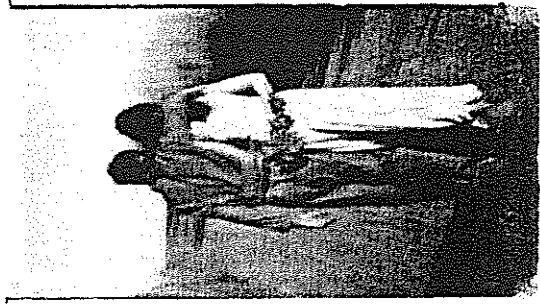
SARAH plain and tall Hallmark Hall of Fame Presentation

starring Glen Close & Chris Walken

Tuesday April 28 at 1:30pm

American Legion Building

popcorn, tea & coffee provided



Rock-n-Roll

for a

A Benefit for the

American Cancer Society

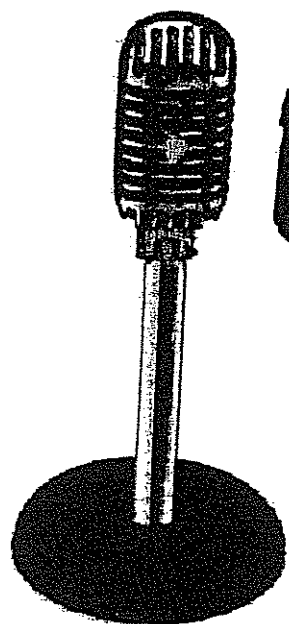
Dinner, Auction, Raffle of Rose Breitenstein Quilt
&

Concert featuring:

Marc Baker

as

Elvis



Date: Saturday, April 25, 2009

Place: Remington High School

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Ticket Cost: \$10.00 (ticket sales end April 25, 2008)

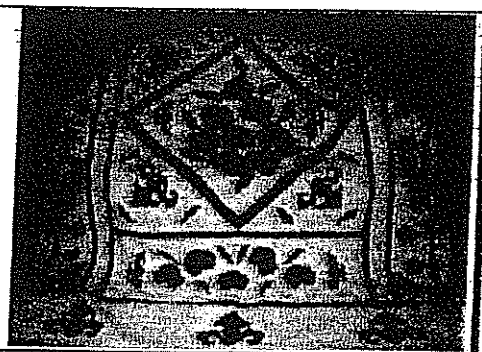
Rose Breitenstein Quilt Raffle

Tickets are on sale now until April 25, 2009.

The drawing will take place at the end of the benefit dinner.

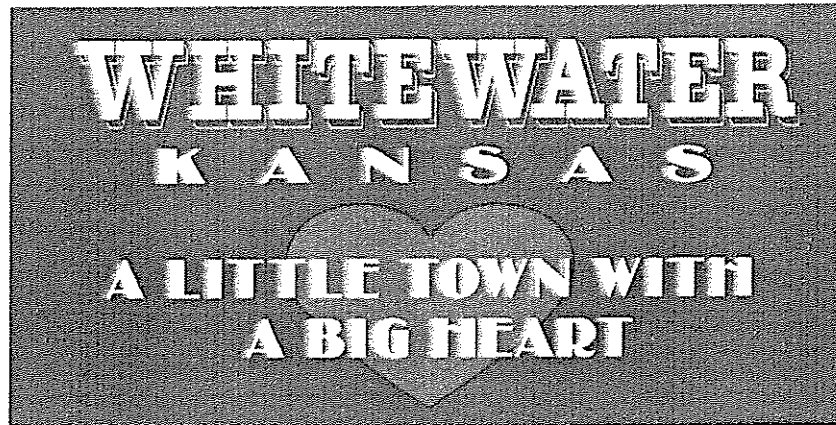
You do not have to be present to win.

Ticket Cost: \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00



For tickets and more information please contact:

Callie Hill: 799-2614, Missy Green: 799-2004, Carla Ryan: 799-2532, Sherri Wedel: (620) 752-3164,
Jan Hill: 799-2146, Heather Thiel: 799-1090, Denae Villines: 799-1999



Coffee Meet & Greet with State Legislative Representatives

When: Saturday, April 18th

Where: Remington School District Office
110 S. Main St.
Whitewater, KS 67154

Time: 9 a.m.

The Whitewater Area Chamber of Commerce is proud to provide this opportunity to welcome the following area legislative representatives to town:

- Kansas Senator Ty Masterson
- Kansas House Representative Don Schroeder
- Kansas House Representative John Grange

Make your voice be heard in Topeka!

Coffee & Rolls will be provided compliments of the WACC.

THIRD NINE WEEKS – 2008-2009

SUPERINTENDENT'S ALL A'S HONOR ROLL

8TH GRADE:

Katrina Carey
Grant Claassen
Rose Dollarhide
Abby Holliday
Paul Janzen
Will Johnson
Nicole Minder
Harley Reeves
Kyle Regier
Monte Ross

7TH GRADE:

Alexander Carr
Rachelle Claassen
Deanna Ingalsbe
Austin Miller
Kylee Schunn
Cody Shinkle
Heather Wilson

6TH GRADE:

Dakotah Gillmore

5TH GRADE:

Carine Claassen
William Graham
Jasmine Ingalsbe
Hayley Nelms
Declan Reeves
Hannah Thornburg
Blake Thunberg
Abby Tyson

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

8TH GRADE:

Holly Allmond
Ashley Bain
Lindsay Bevan
Kolby Burns
Cole Claassen
Quintin McGehee
Caitlin McKaughan
Megan McNeill
Addie Mosiman
Emily Raines
Katrina Regehr
Stacia Thunberg

7TH GRADE:

Emma Hilgenfeld
Alyssa Hinz
Madison Janzen
Myrella Lopez
Audrey Orr
Rachelle Thiessen
Zach Thornburg

6TH GRADE:

Austin Entz
Justin Entz
Kristyn Wedel
Casey Westerfield

5TH GRADE:

Kyle Burns
Joel Eck
Catherine Graham
Bethany Jenkins
Chanze Lopez
Billie Orr
Madyson Tanner
Mack Tribble

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

8TH GRADE:

Jake Abrahams
Robert DeBaun
Jerrica Engelbrecht
Maria Entz
Sam Harper
Desi Hays
Sara Mosiman
Hunter Nolan
Elena Soto
Caleb Tanner
Kale Zonnefeld

7TH GRADE:

Hunter Hill
Kaitlyn Nash
Katie Race-Boschman
Devin Reeves
Julianna Soto
Mason Tribble

6TH GRADE:

Savita Carey
Alex Curless
Cody Farmer
Meghan Nipper
Caleb Snider

5TH GRADE:

Madelyne Artman
Chance Bowen
Micah Carey
Morgan Claassen
Keegan Cook
Tamerra Hanna
Bryanna Hite
Ashley Jost
Bryce Kahle
Susie Redecop
Yiselda Rivera
Summer Wise

Hearts 4 Him

H4H



Date:

April 26, 2009

Time:

7:00 p.m.

Location:

Grace Baptist Church
1196 Hwy White Water, KS

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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. Must be paid in full before 1st game. Please register before May 9th. Games will be played Tuesday and Friday evenings starting June 2nd.

If you are interested in umpiring please contact me.

To register or if you have any questions

Contact

Brad Jantz @ 799-1912 jantz40@hotmail.com

or

Jeff Klaassen @ 799-2702 jklaassen@sbcglobal.net

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Change of hours at Claassen Chiropractic

There will be a short term change in my availability in Whitewater. A colleague is expecting soon and will be taking a 4-6 week maternity leave immediately following the birth. She has asked me to cover her practice two days a week during that time. Starting sometime near the end of April and through May, I will be out of town and closed on Monday's and Thursday's during the daytime. I will continue my Thursday evening hours starting between 5 and 5:30 or as soon as I can get back to town. I thank you in advance for your understanding as I help a fellow chiropractor.

Plan now for next years sports physicals. We will offer sports physicals at the High School at a discounted rate tentatively planned for the first Saturday in May. Check with the school for exact time.

www.claassenchiropractic.net

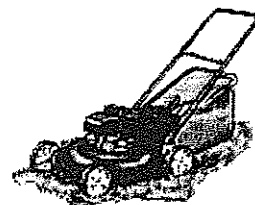
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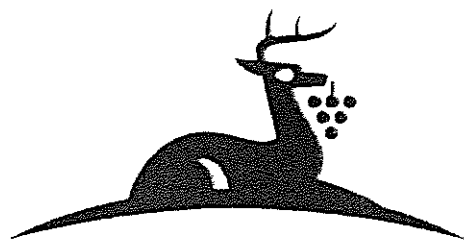
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Regular hours are coming soon!

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www.gracehillwinery.com

BINGO

WHITEWATER LEGION BUILDING

Schedule

April 18, 2009

DOORS OPEN AT 6 P.M.

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EVERYONE IS WELCOME

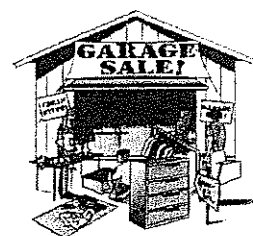
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BY FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2009.



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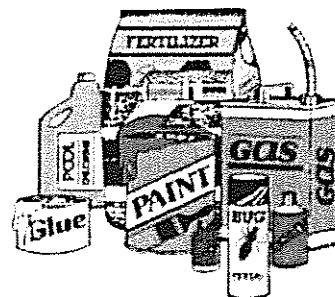
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BUTLER COUNTY RESIDENTS HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

June 20, 2009

9:00 am-12:00 pm

Remington High School
Parking Lot



The Butler County Landfill will sponsor a community household hazardous waste collection. You can bring your materials for collection during those hours. If you have questions about hazardous materials you may call 316-320-1453.

EXAMPLES OF HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE:

- Insecticides
- Fungicides
- Household Cleaning Products
- Batteries
- Photo and Pool Chemicals
- Automotive Products
- Paint and Paint Products
- Pesticides
- Herbicides
- Aerosol Cans
- Rodent Poison

Some household products require special attention in their use, storage, & disposal. These products we use every day are "hazardous". A hazardous product is:



Check the label to see if a products is hazardous. If it says WARNING, CAUTION, DANGER, OR POISON it may be hazardous.

THINK BEFORE YOU BUY

Buy only what you need. Read the label to see how much product you need. Follow directions on the label carefully. Compare product labels to select the least potentially hazardous product that will best meet your needs. "Danger" or "Poison" means highly toxic or extremely flammable. "Warning" or "Caution" means moderately or slightly toxic. Be aware that "non-toxic" has no federal regulatory definition. If you have extra share any leftovers with friends, neighbors, relatives, schools, shelters, religious organizations, etc.

The Household Hazardous Waste site is located at the Butler County Landfill
SW 40th Street and Boyer Road.

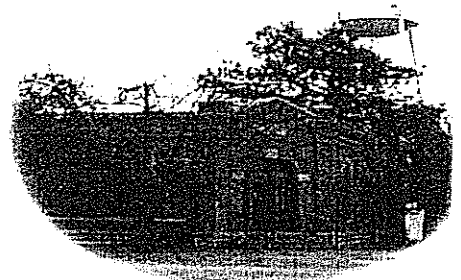
The site is open the 1st Sat. of the month for hazardous waste collection, 8:30 am to 12:30 pm.

For more information call 316-320-1453

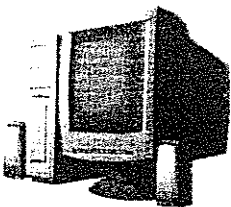
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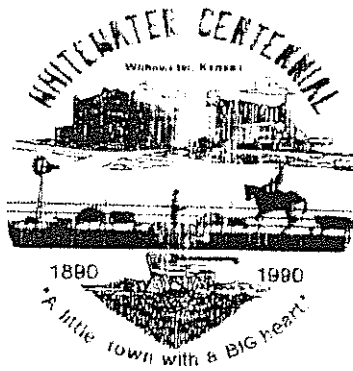
Future Home: www.bankofwhitewater.com



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.





Whitewater Community Newsletter May, 2009

R and T Rental's
By
Travis McAdams

R and T Rentals currently own the self storage units located on South Main Street in Whitewater. We have a variety of storage unit sizes to meet most every storage need. Our storage units are convenient and competitively priced with similar sized units in surrounding cities.

R and T Rentals was established in 1995 when we moved from Potwin to Whitewater and decided to keep our house in Potwin for a rental property. We purchased McCoy Storage from Bob and Virginia McCoy in July of 2006. In July of 2007 we added a duplex in El Dorado to our rental properties.

In November of 2008 we decided to diversify our business and became an Independent Monavie Distributor. Monavie is an Acie Berry based fruit juice. Four ounces of Monavie has the antioxidant equivalent of 13 servings of fruits. Monavie currently has three different products: Original, Active and Pulse. Monavie Original is a combination of the acie berry and 18 other fruits. The Active product has the addition of glucosamine to promote joint health, and the Pulse product is formulated for heart health and contains plant sterols to help lower Cholesterol.

For information on rental or storage unit availability and pricing, or to hear more about the benefits and opportunity of Monavie please give us a call at 316-640-5422 or 316-799-1069. We thank God every day for the Blessings he provides and the opportunity we have been given to live in such a great community.

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:** John Bumm, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth, Kara Zonnefeld

April 27, 2009

FEMA Incorporating Ordinance 565 was approved.

Kevin Cowan was present to discuss in further detail the creation of a Public Building Commission to work with Wheat State Manor on this proposed project. This PBC could also work with other groups, such as the school district that may be interested in utilizing it. It was decided that the PBC to be formed would be comprised of 5 members with various areas of expertise.

Letters were reviewed that are being prepared for cleanup of various properties.

An amendment to the city's water contract with Potwin was discussed. The city's attorney with address their council concerning the amendment.;

The application for a Cereal Malt Beverage License was approved after some discussion.

A proposal for a new sign at Highway 196 was presented. No action was taken at this time.

Loni LeForce was appointed to Cemetery Bd.

Officer Baker reported on various matters.

Warnings tickets for speeding have been issued.

A building permit for the cell phone tower has been purchased. Work should begin as soon as weather permits.

Council will be on Tuesday, May 26 next month.

An need to update the Comprehensive Development Plan was expressed.

Mowing letters to be sent were discussed.

Oaths of office were administered to Patrick Ryan, Danny Ravenscraft and John Bumm.

Council Committees were appointed.

Council was adjourned at 8:55.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like on the calendar please submit by the 10th.

May 20 - Recycling after 10 am

May 26 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

June 3 - Recycling after 10 am

June 9 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

June 17 - Recycling after 10 am

June 23 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

July 1 - Recycling after 10 am

July 14 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

July 15 - Recycling after 10 am

July 28 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

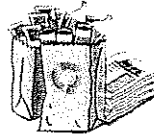
Recycling Trailer Schedule

(South Diamond)

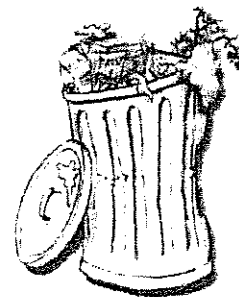
May 20 June 3, 17

AFTER 10 A.M.

1st & 3rd Wed.



**Residential refuse
pick up will be
Fri., May 29
due to the
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Holiday.**



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BY FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2009.



Just a reminder:

All dogs and cats in the City of Whitewater are

required to have a current animal tag. These tags

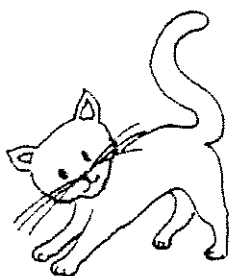
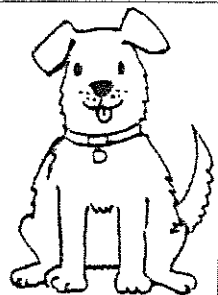
are available at the city building. A proof of current rabies

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 2009 tag expires on May 31,

2009. A new tag may be picked up anytime.



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Dr. Mike Claassen

www.claassenchiropractic.net

316-799-2779

206 S Main, Whitewater

TRADING POST

Free of charge. Only 25 words. Due 10TH of each month. Call 799-2445 or put in payment box at the city building.

FOR SALE: Smooth top stove with self-cleaning oven; Kenmore Heavy Duty Washer & Dryer; Chest style deep freeze. All work well. \$50.00 each OBO. Dave Fulton 799-1032.

WANTED: History of Whitewater Centennial Book. Call 799-2336.

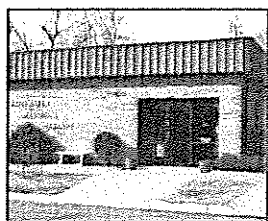
WANTED: Good, used, late model, white, electric range. Call 799-2503.

PLEASE HELP THE PARK BOARD AND
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DURING THE SEASON BY TRYING TO
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Whitewater Memorial Library News

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1928 - 2008

Hours

Monday: 4:00 - 8:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30 - noon
Thursday: 1:30 - 8:00 pm
Friday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30 - noon

Staff

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Youth Services Coordinator: Julie Mosiman
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Member: Bill Reynolds
Member: Kim Marciano
Member: Martina Bumm



Be Creative
@ Your Library



Registration for Summer Reading Club is now open to readers (and pre-readers) of all ages, even adults!

The summer reading season officially begins **Monday, May 25**, and ends **Saturday, July 18**. Those who reach their reading goal will receive a specially designed T-shirt.

Miss Julie has a lot of special activities planned, some of which include duct tape art, photo stories, pre-school story times and much,

much more.

There will also be special classes for both youth and adults.

Registration for these classes is required and, in some cases, limited.

Adult Classes

Text Messaging
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Youth Classes

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Marshmallow Shooter

Rhythm Band

Cupcake Decorating

Call or stop by the library for more information.

Please note: Unless prior arrangements have been made, we can only *guarantee* T-shirts for readers who turn in their completed reading sheets by the Summer Reading Club completion date of July 18.

RHS Students Spruce Up the Library

You may have noticed some improvements inside and outside of the library.

As part of their Community Service Day, RHS students cleaned out and mulched the

two landscape beds, painted two interior walls, cleaned the Senior Center chairs and ordered state vacation guides.

Many, many thanks to RHS instructor

Roxanne Waltman and her team of hard working students that included Hannah Erdman, Corey Gronau, Annie Hampton, Derek Knowles and Faith Slaymaker.

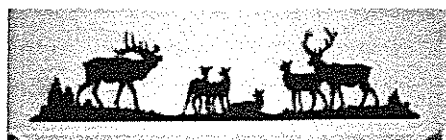


Small Business Spotlight:

Metal Art and More

The May SBS features a family enterprise begun just over two years ago by Doug and Michelle Busenitz.

It all started with a desire for a sideline business. After much thought and research, Doug decided to draw on his welding background and create metal art. That was the beginning of the business called **Metal Art and More.**



The company specializes in metal silhouettes, custom signs and ranch entryways that are produced with a computerized plasma cutter. They can customize any design, and they make things as small as picture frames, napkin holders and license plates. Larger items include wall pictures, yard signs and ranch entryways. See their display and photo album at the library. Also, check out their photo gallery

online @ www.metalartnmore.com.

Currently, Doug and Michelle are also working on fundraisers for 70 Kansas schools. For fundraising information, go to their website: showingteamspirit.com.

Doug works as an electrician and Michelle as a day care provider. They live with their family at rural Peabody. Contact them through their website or at ilvhuskers@juno.com.

New Books for Adults

Some of the latest book arrivals include:

Adult Fiction

Scarpetta by Cornwell

Love Over Scotland and
The Good Husband of Zebra Drive by McCall Smith

The Last Cato by Asensi

Handle With Care by Picoult

The Dead Whisper On by Hines

Pine Ridge Portraits 1 - 3 by Whitson

Black Coffee by Christie

Disaster Creek by Newton

Adult Non-Fiction

Helicopters, Drill Sergeants and Consultants by Fay

From Innocence to Entitlement: a Love and Logic Cure for the Tragedy of Entitlement by Fay & Billings

New Books for Youth

Sam Stern's Get Cooking

730 Easy Science Experiments with Everyday Materials by Churchill

Wings by Loizeaux

One-Handed Catch by Auch

Write Your Own Mystery Story by Farrell

Amazing Magic Tricks: Master Level by Barnhart

Better Homes & Gardens New Junior Garden Book by Rushing

Judy Moody Goes to College by McDonald

Z is for Zookeeper by Smith

Bats at the Library by Lies

Do kangaroos Wear Seat Belts? by Kurtz

Join us this summer and

Be Creative

At

Whitewater Memorial Library's
2009 Summer Reading Club



Summer Reading Club runs from May 25-July 18
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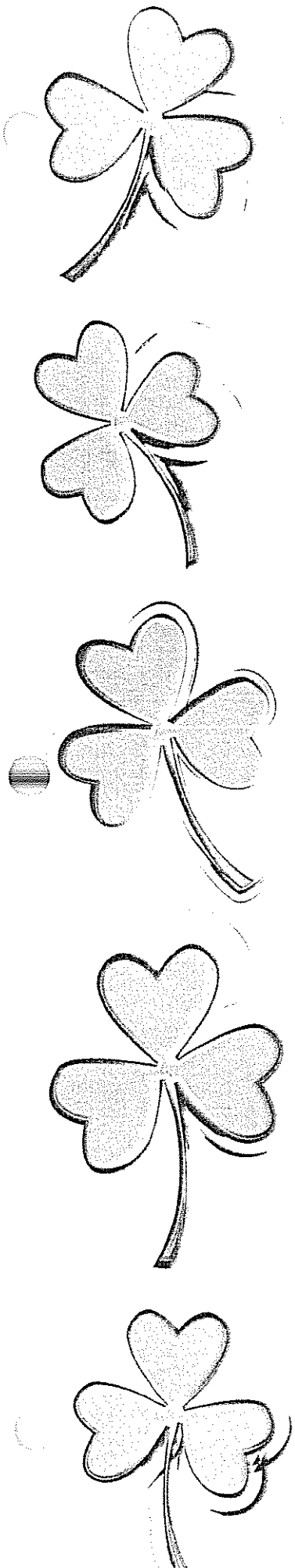
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Give me a call and I will provide you the name and phone number of an approved lender so you can call and see if you qualify for the 100% loan, a conventional loan (10-20% down), an FHA loan (3.5% down) or a VA loan (0 down). Don't put this off, interest rates could go up at any time.

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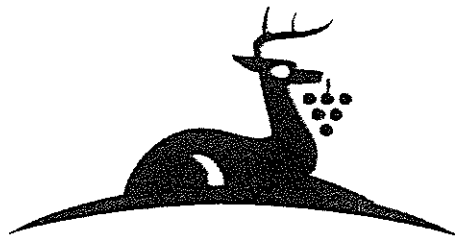
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Regular hours are coming soon!
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Children's Summer Vacation Bible School

**jointly sponsored by Zion and
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VeggieTales "The Pirates Who Don't Do Anything," are pulling into port for a fantastic week of VBS for all community children, ages 3 through Grade 6.

Ahoy, me Hearties!

Location:

Grace Hill Mennonite Church

10218 SE 12th
Whitewater, KS

Plenty of pirate blarney and boatloads of Bible learning fun are in store on

May 25 to 29, 2009
8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Picnic and program on
May 29, 6:30 p.m.



Join us for an unforgettable week!

To register or for more information contact:

Ashley Enns	316-799-1972
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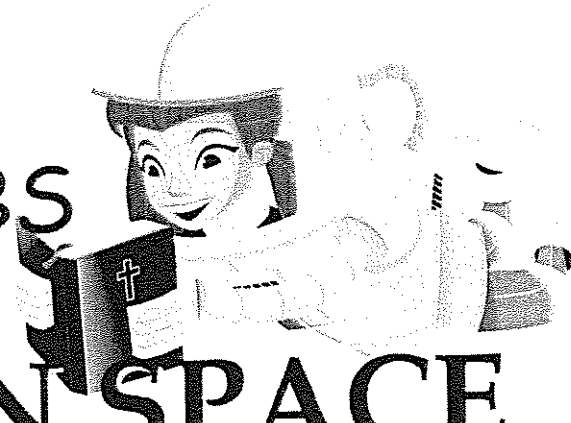
Location: Palmyra Baptist Church
(church name)

Crocodile Dock will last from: June 1st - 5th
(VBS dates)

Crocodile Dock fun begins at: 6:00 pm
(VBS starting time)

Crocodile Dock fun ends at: 9:00 pm
(VBS ending time)

For more information, call: 778-1816
(church phone number)



COMMUNITY VBS

OPERATION SPACE

Prepare for a galactic adventure like no other!

We're counting down to fun at Operation Space, where kids learn about God's Word and His world!

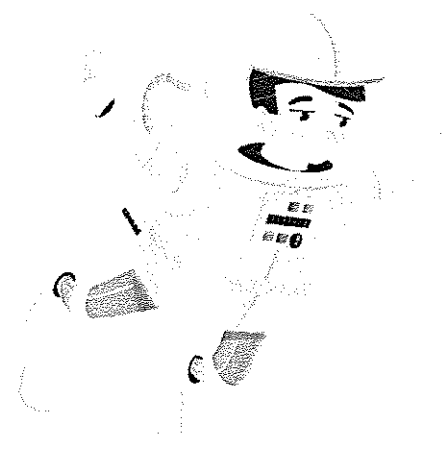
Besides discovering more about His cosmos, students will discover truths about God's Word. As cadets receiving B.A.S.I.C. Training at the space academy, students will learn that the Bible is the Book of Books, is the Absolute Authority, contains the Salvation Story, and has had Incredible Impact on earth. ON the final day of training, students will be given the Cadet Challenge to continue studying God's Word for themselves.

Pre-registration is available at Emmaus, Swiss, Federated, Grace Baptist, the Furley and Potwin churches, and at the Whitewater Library. You can also register by email - vbs799@gmail.com. Please pre-register soon!
(Registrations will be accepted at the door.)

WHERE: Whitewater Middle School
(Some Swiss facilities & the ball diamond will also be used.)
WHEN: June 1-5; 8:30-11:30 am

CONTACT: Staci Ranfeld (316) 217-3039
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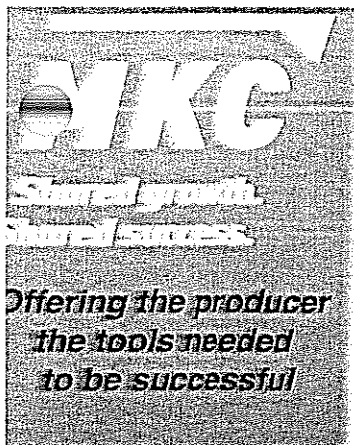




Whitewater Community Newsletter June, 2009

The most prevalent structure in Whitewater along with the water tower has always been the grain elevator. Through the years there have been many different owners including, of course, the original Whitewater Flour Mill. The elevator is currently owned by Mid Kansas Cooperative Association which has several locations in the surrounding area. The Whitewater location provides many different services and products to help meet the need of our area producers.

Our address is 223 South Ash and our phone number is 316-799-2132. The hours we are open will vary in accordance with our producers needs during wheat harvest and also fall harvest. Normal business hours are Monday through Friday from 7:30 to 5:00. Saturdays from 8:00 to 12:00 except during winter months.



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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:** John Bumm, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth, Kara Zonnefeld

May 26, 2009

Greg Nye reported on status of letters sent requesting repairs to various buildings downtown. It was also reported that some of the requested repairs had been completed. Follow up letters will be sent as necessary. Mr. Nye is also working on a request to tap into the city's water line coming from Potwin. He will be checking to see if this is still required and will be working to resolve matters that need to be addressed.

Members of the park board were present to discuss some repairs and updates necessary at the baseball diamonds. They also reported that a fundraiser had been done to help with some of the costs of these updates. The city will have bids taken to repair or replace the service boxes for the lights at the ball diamond.

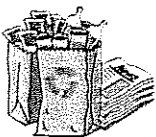
It was also reported that the street sealing will be taking place the week of June 26 - June 29. Patching of some of these areas has already begun.

Ordinance 566 creating a Public Building Commission to work with Wheat State Manor or a planned upgrade and building project was approved. Prospective members for this building commission will be contacted and asked if they would be willing to serve in this way.

Council was adjourned at 9:00.

Recycling Trailer Schedule (South Diamond)

June 17 July 1, 15
AFTER 10 A.M.
1st & 3rd Wed.



UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like on the calendar please submit by the 10th.

June 12 & 13 - City Wide Garage Sales

June 17 - Recycling after 10 am

June 20 - Hazardous Waste Collection - 9:00 -

12:00 - RHS Parking Lot

June 23 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

July 1 - Recycling after 10 am

July 14 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

July 15 - Recycling after 10 am

July 28 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

August 5 - Recycling after 10 am

August 11 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

August 19 - Recycling after 10 am

August 25 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

The Remington area Relay for Life teams would like to thank James Regier, Tim Bumgarner, Lola Coats, Pat Ryan, and his staff



for allowing us to use the Remington High School gym and kitchen facilities for our 2nd annual benefit for the American Cancer Society. We would also like to thank all of the area businesses that contributed to our benefit. During these difficult economic times it would have been very easy to say no to us, but you didn't and we truly appreciate it. Thank you all for opening your hearts and pocketbooks to help in our fight against cancer.

Carla Ryan, Callie Hill, Missy Green & all the members of the Rock 'n' Roll for a Cure teams

WHITEWATER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

April 15, 2009

Legislative Meet & Greet April 18th @ 9 am @
Remington District Office

Message sign—needs repair or replacement

CJ's Projects suggested—sign @ Central entrance to
town, playground equipment @ ball diamond, sidewalks
RHS Community Service Day

Mini Mart - hopefully open in 3 weeks, may have work
out area ready in June, ATM in store

Business Appreciation—Chris Miller contacted at Wild-
cat Creek Ranch & Arena considering 4th Wed of June
cell phone tower

City Council—John Bumm, Danny Ravenscraft

School Board—Jayne Carey, Tom Sommers, Bret
Mosiman

Housing Development—waiting for dry weather then
dirt work & utilities

Treasury \$3290.15, 27 paid members

May 13th Board Meeting
cell phone tower—some delay due to weather
sign for entrance to town off of highway 196 fund
raiser @ business appreciation dinner

Business Appreciation @ Wildcat Creek Ranch &
Arena on June 24th @ 6:30 pm

Fall Festival

Grand Opening for Convenience Store—in conjunction
with city garage sales

NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

The May meeting of the North Butler 4-H Club was held May 11, 2009 at RHS. The meeting was called to order by Vice-President, Lydia Newby. Roll call was "One Talent I Have is..." and was answered by 25 members. Meghan Nipper led the song. Rachelle Claassen showed the club her doll collection and Carine Claassen displayed her horse collection. Zach Thornburg gave a project talk on leather. Sarah Thornburg talked about her chickens and Elise Toews talked about the meat goat project. Thomas Goebel gave a demonstration. Hannah Thornburg led the club in recreation. The meeting ended with refreshments provided by the Kendall and Carol Claassen, Russ and Terri Thiessen and Chad and Crystal Young families. The next meeting will be held June 8th at 7:00 at RHS. Plans are being made for the club tour to be held in July.

Submitted by: Elena & Julianna Soto,
North Butler News Reporters

WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

The volunteers that make up your Fire Department responded to eight calls during the month of May. Half of the calls were of a medical nature. The others included a small fire, an anhydrous leak, standby for the Butler County Sheriff, and a vehicle accident. Our responders were in Whitewater and Elbing and Milton, Fairmount, and Richland Townships.

One of our volunteers recently completed all the requirements for Paramedic. We all should appreciate that dedication to the people of our community. This is an illustration of how the Responders all continue to enhance their knowledge and skills for your safety and welfare.

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Melissa and I would like
to thank everyone for
the meals they pro-
vided our family after
her recent surgery. We
are once again reminded
of how great a community we live in,
and how valuable friendships are. We
were blessed with meals consisting of
Italian, Mexican, Country Cuisine, and
BBQ from people in Whitewater,
Potwin, and El Dorado.



Thank you all for the meals you pro-
vided, they were ALL appreciated very
much.

Sincerely,
Scott Melissa Lunsford

Whitewater Memorial Library News

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Tuesday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm

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Thursday: 1:30 - 8:00 pm

Friday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm

Saturday: 9:30 - noon

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It's a ZOO at the LIBRARY!

No, there aren't any animals in the library this summer, but there sure are a LOT of readers!

Children of all ages and some adults have taken the summer reading challenge to heart and are well on the way to earning their special T-shirt.

With "Be Creative" as the theme, reading isn't the only thing happening at the library. Readers are designing

bookmarks, creating items from duct tape and drawing pictures to hang in the gallery.

Eight photographers attended the photography class taught by Whitewater resident Kara Zonnefeld.



Kara demonstrates techniques for posing subject Raquel Carey.

Kara is a professional photographer with experience and enthusiasm for her craft. She gave participants many tips for taking

a good photo such as using points of interest, light and angle. "Be bold" was Kara's encouragement.

Other fun summer activities include:

Guessing Jars
Decorate the Teen Wall
Toddler Time
Photo/Art Gallery
Write Your Own Ending
Illustrate a Story

Look elsewhere in this newsletter for class information.

Remember, T-shirts are only guaranteed for readers who turn in their reading sheets by the end of Summer Reading Club, Saturday, July 18.



Small Business Spotlight

Watch the library section of the newsletter next month for the Small Business Spotlight on local artist Heather Thiel.

It's Coffee Time at the Library

Library patrons can now enjoy a delicious cup of coffee while perusing their favorite newspaper or magazine.

The members of the Friends of the Library have purchased a Keurig Coffee Brewing System for the library.

The Keurig Office Pro brews one delicious cup of coffee at a time to the desired strength in a disposable cup or a travel mug.

OFFICE PRO



Choose from a variety of coffee flavors such as Tully's Kona Blend, Van Houtte French Vanilla, Emeril's Big Easy Bold or Gloria Jean's Hazelnut.

A variety of tea flavors are also offered as well as hot cocoa.

Each cup costs just 50c and may be enjoyed in the reading area or on the way to your next destination.

Save the Date!

Thursday, June 11

Rhythm Band - 10:00 am

Tuesday, June 16 Tie

Dye T-shirts - 3:00 pm

Wednesday, June 17

Toddler Time - 10:00 am

Wednesday, June 24

Toddler Time - 10:00 am

Texting for Adults - 7:00 pm

Wednesday, July 1

Toddler Time - 10:00 am

Thursday, July 2

Floral Arranging - 10:00 am

Wednesday, July 8

Toddler Time - 10:00 am

Storyteller - 10:00 am

Thursday, July 9

Marshmallow Shooter - 10:00 am

Tuesday, July 14

Cupcake Decorating - 3:00 pm

Wednesday, July 15

Toddler Time - 10:00 am

Thursday, July 16

Leathercraft - 3:00 pm

Saturday, July 18

Summer Reading Club Ends

2009 Travel Guides Now Available

The 2009 Vacation Travel Guides for various U.S. states and parts of Canada are now available for check-out at the library.

The new guides were ordered as a part of the RHS Community Service Day.

Some of the states available are:

Oklahoma, Pennsylvania,

Colorado, Kentucky,

Indiana, Missouri, Nevada,

Nebraska, Iowa, Wyoming,

North & South Dakota,

Montana and New Mexico.

Appliance Roundup Helps Families

Topeka, KS - Helping Kansas families cut energy consumption and reduce utility costs is the goal of a new statewide initiative launched by Kansas Housing Resources Corporation (KHRC).

The Residential Appliance Replacement Program allows income-eligible homeowners and renters to replace old, energy-hungry and unsafe appliances with new, energy-efficient and environmentally-friendly

models.

For more information about this program, come by the library or contact KHRC at 785-291-3282 or see their website at www.kshousingcorp.org.



Look What's Happening @Your Whitewater Library!

- Tuesday, June 2, 10:00 am: Photography with Kara Zonnefeld
Wednesday, June 10, 7:00 pm: Facebook for Adults with Carrie Whalen
Thursday, June 11, 10:00 am: Rhythm Band with Ethan Penner
Tuesday, June 16, 3:00 pm: Tye-Dye T-Shirts with Julie Mosiman
Wednesday, June 24, 7:00 pm: Texting for Adults with Alexis Denoncourt
Thursday, July 2, 10:00 am: Floral Arrangement with Annabell Hephner
Wednesday, July 8, 10:00 am: Storytelling with Pam Harber
Thursday, July 9, 10:00 am: Marshmallow Shooter with the Brunners
Tuesday, July 14, 3:00 pm: Cupcake Decorating with the Blocks
Thursday, July 16, 3:00 pm: Leathercrafting with Will Johnson

Space Limited – Must Sign Up

Summer Reading Ends on Saturday, July 18
T-Shirts only guaranteed for sheets turn in by July 18th.

Other Fun Activities:

Guessing Jars, Decorate the Teen Wall, Storytimes for Toddlers,
Photography and Artwork display, Activity Sheets,
Sidewalk Chalk, Design a Bookmark, Finish the Story Contest,
Illustrate the Story, Essay Contest – Why I love my Town/Library,
Fun Creations with Duct Tape.



Toddler Time

Bring your toddlers and preschoolers
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Desi Hays
Quintin McGehee
Addie Mosiman
Sara Mosiman
Monte Ross
Caleb Tanner
Stacia Thunberg

7TH GRADE:

Emma Hilgenfeld
Madison Janzen
Austin Miller
Cody Shinkle
Julianna Soto
Rachelle Thiessen
Zach Thornburg
Heather Wilson

6TH GRADE:

Savita Carey
Justin Entz
Brogan Gillmore
Dakotah Gillmore
Kadie Martin
Caleb Snider

5TH GRADE:

Madelyne Artman
Micah Carey
Morgan Claassen
Keegan Cook
Bethany Jenkins
Chanze Lopez
Declan Reeves
Yiselda Rivera
Hannah Thornburg

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

8TH GRADE:

Jake Abrahams
Kolby Burns
Maria Entz
Braedyn Grommesh
Hunter Nolan
Emily Raines
Elena Soto
Kale Zonnefeld

7TH GRADE:

Hunter Hill
Alyssa Hinz
Myrella Lopez
Rebecca McCullough
Kaitlyn Nash
Katie Race-Boschman
Mason Tribble

6TH GRADE:

Alex Curless
George Goebel
Meghan Nipper

5TH GRADE:

Kinsley Cook
Katherine Dillard
Audrey Ensiz
Bryanna Hite
Bryce Kahle
Susie Redecop
Samantha Snider
Mack Tribble
Summer Wise

THE WHITEWATER LIONS CLUB

PO BOX 195

WHITEWATER, KANSAS 67154

Wwlions67218@aol.com

CELEBRATE THE 4TH IN WHITEWATER

The Whitewater Lions Club will be sponsoring the 4th of July celebration again this year. The 5th Annual Barbeque Dinner will be held at the Jerry Hill Memorial Park. Serving will start at 6 pm. The annual fireworks display will be at approximately 9:30 pm, weather permitting. The concession stand will be open and operated by the Lions Club during the slow pitch ball games the day & evening of the 4th. The Lions will be selling fireworks at E. Central & Main beginning June 30th. For more information please call 687 3009.

The Whitewater Lions will be sponsoring a Slow Pitch Ball Tournament the day of the 4th. Those wishing to enter a team please contact Jeff Klaassen at 799 2702.

BUTLER COUNTY RESIDENTS HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

June 20, 2009

9:00 am-12:00 pm

Remington High School

Parking Lot



The Butler County Landfill will sponsor a community household hazardous waste collection. You can bring your materials for collection during those hours.

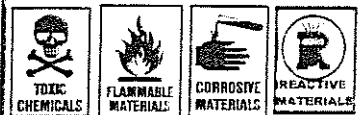
If you have questions about hazardous materials you may call 316-320-1453.

EXAMPLES OF HOUSEHOLD

HAZARDOUS WASTE:

- Insecticides
- Fungicides
- Household Cleaning Products
- Batteries
- Pool and Hot Tub Chemicals
- Automotive Products
- Paint and Paint Products
- Pesticides
- Herbicides
- Aerosol Cans
- Rodent Poison

Some household products require special attention in their use, storage, & disposal. These products we use every day are "hazardous". A hazardous product is:



Check the label to see if a product is hazardous. If it says WARNING, CAUTION, DANGER, OR POISON it may be hazardous.

THINK BEFORE YOU BUY

Buy only what you need. Read the label to see how much product you need. Follow directions on the label carefully. Compare product labels to select the least potentially hazardous product that will best meet your needs. "Danger" or "Poison" means highly toxic or extremely flammable. "Warning" or "Caution" means moderately or slightly toxic. Be aware that "non-toxic" has no federal regulatory definition. If you have extra share any leftovers with friends, neighbors, relatives, schools, shelters, religious organizations, etc.

The Household Hazardous Waste site is located at the Butler County Landfill

SW 40th Street and Bower Road.

The site is open the 1st Sat. of the month for hazardous waste collection, 8:30 am to 12:30 pm.

For more information call 316-320-1453

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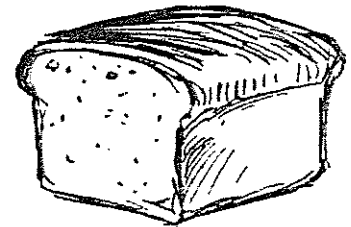
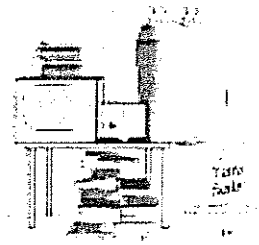
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at the Swiss Church
Family Life Center

Sunday June 14, 5:00 pm
703 E. Central in Whitewater

The inside is starting to take shape. We have most of the stud walls up. Come see how we are doing. Come see where the nineteen Sunday school classes are going, and where the kitchen and the fireside room will be, along with the nurseries and offices. Play basketball or join in on the scaffolding races in the future gym. Then come upstairs to checkout the two large youth rooms.

Whole Community is Invited

Bring a side dish if you like, or just come and enjoy. There is always plenty of food.

The Victorian Rose

is happy to announce that we have

2 New Hairdressers and

a Message Therapist

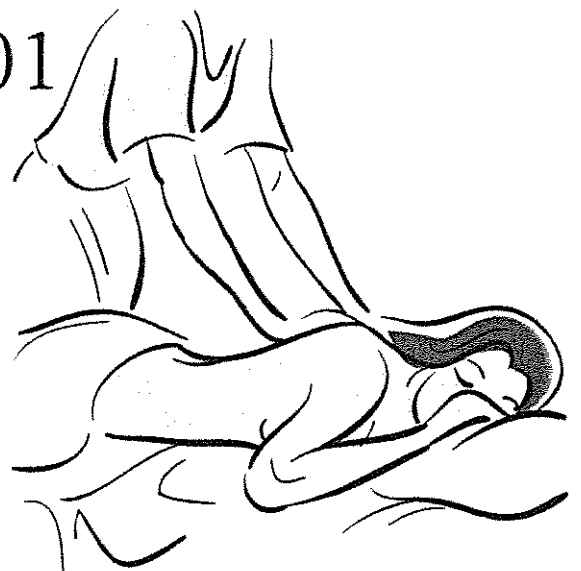
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AUGUST 11 CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
AUGUST 25 - MOVIE AND POPCORN

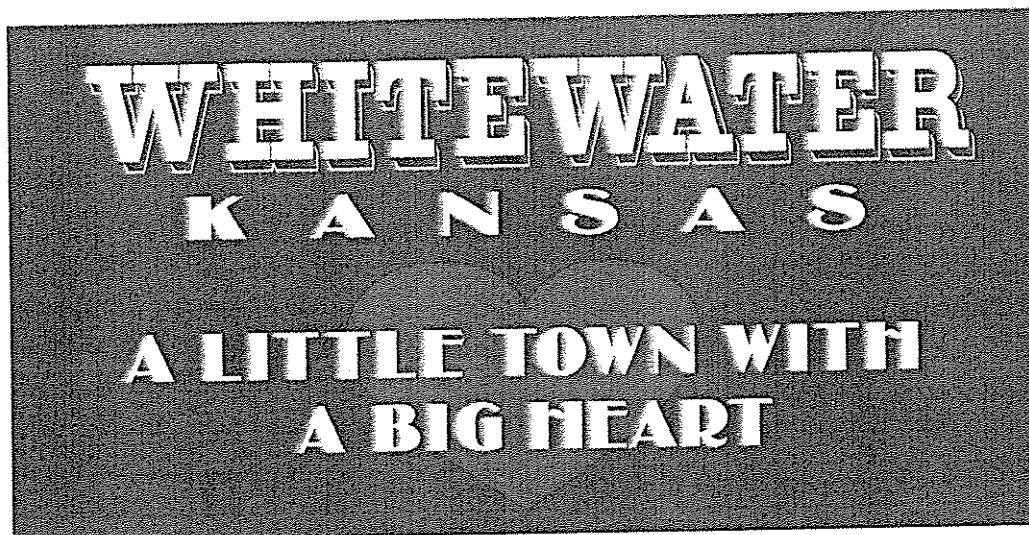


We want to thank so many of you for your prayers, for your cards and letters, and for your gifts to our family during the time of our son's illness and his transition to Glory. Because Doug had accepted the death of Jesus Christ as the only payment for his sins, he was forgiven and is now in the presence of his Lord and Savior. But the temporary separation for us is difficult, and we have been comforted by your outpouring of love and care for our family during this time. Many of you brought food for our family and guests, and sent beautiful flowers for his memorial service. We were simply inundated with your kind deeds and we failed to hire a full time accountant to keep records of all the gifts as many were left at the house while we were gone with no names attached. All this to say—we are not able to send personal thank-you cards to many of you, but that does not diminish our gratitude. We have been so blessed by the compassion of our Whitewater community and thank God for each of you.

Thank You

We also want to thank many of you who gave generously to Doug's memorial project. Campus Crusade for Christ was so helpful to Doug's spiritual growth and we are encouraged and excited to know that others will become followers of Jesus or grow in their faith because of your gifts. Again, because personal thank-you cards are not feasible, we want to thank all of you publicly for your generosity and may God richly bless you for your kindness to our family.

Jim and Elizabeth Pearce



Whitewater Area Chamber of Commerce June Events

HOMETOWN EXPRESS GRAND OPENING CELEBRATION

Saturday, June 13th @ 11 a.m.

Free Hot Dogs & Fountain Drinks provided for First 50 Guests

Pizza Samples will also be available for tasting!

We invite you to stop in and help us celebrate Whitewater's newest Main Street attraction!

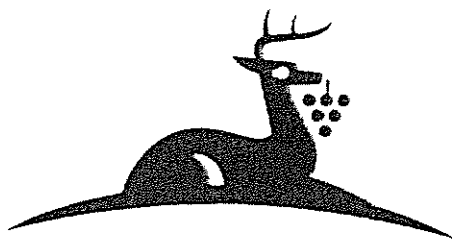
BUSINESS APPRECIATION DINNER

Wednesday, June 24th @ 6:30 p.m.

Wildcat Creek Ranch Arena on Highway 196

Enjoy an evening at Dr. Chris Miller's Wildcat Creek Ranch Arena for a barbeque and a tour of the facility. In addition, Grace Hill Winery will be providing samples of some of their newest creations. Join us on June 24th for fun, food, and community and you just might be surprised at all that Whitewater has to offer!

This dinner is open to all members of the community; however, we do ask that you please RSVP to Vickie Beck at (316) 799-2163 or Vickie@kruegerinsurance.com.



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ACT IN TIME

Heart Attack Warning Signs

Some heart attacks are sudden and intense — the "movie heart attack," where no one doubts what's happening. But most heart attacks start slowly, with mild pain or discomfort. Often people affected aren't sure what's wrong and wait too long before getting help. Here are signs that can mean a heart attack is happening:

- **Chest discomfort.** Most heart attacks involve discomfort in the center of the chest that lasts more than a few minutes, or that goes away and comes back. It can feel like uncomfortable pressure, squeezing, fullness or pain.
- **Discomfort in other areas of the upper body.** Symptoms can include pain or discomfort in one or both arms, the back, neck, jaw or stomach.
- **Shortness of breath** with or without chest discomfort.
- **Other signs** may include breaking out in a cold sweat, nausea or lightheadedness

Learn the signs, but remember this: Even if you're not sure it's a heart attack, have it checked out. Minutes matter! Fast action can save lives — maybe your own. Don't wait more than five minutes to call 9-1-1.

Calling 9-1-1 is the fastest way to get lifesaving treatment. Emergency medical services (EMS) staff can begin treatment when they arrive — up to an hour sooner than if someone gets to the hospital by car. EMS staff are also trained to revive someone whose heart has stopped. Patients with chest pain who arrive by ambulance usually receive faster treatment at the hospital, too. It is best to call EMS for rapid transport to the emergency room.

Dial 9-1-1 Fast

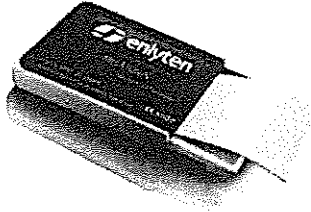
Heart attack and stroke are life-and-death emergencies — every second counts. If you see or have any of the listed symptoms, immediately call 9-1-1. Not all these signs occur in every heart attack. Sometimes they go away and return. If some occur, get help fast! Today heart attack victims can benefit from new medications and treatments unavailable to patients in years past. For example, clot-busting drugs can stop some heart attacks in progress, reducing disability and saving lives. But to be effective, these drugs must be given relatively quickly after heart attack symptoms first appear. So again, don't delay — get help right away! Call 9-1-1.

Act in Time

The American Heart Association and the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute have launched a new "Act in Time" campaign to increase people's awareness of heart attack and the importance of calling 9-1-1 immediately at the onset of heart attack symptoms. For more information visit: <http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/actintime/>

This message brought to you by your Butler County Medical Reserve Corps.

40 MILLION AMERICANS HAVE TROUBLE SLEEPING. ARE YOU ONE OF THEM?



A recent study on Enlyten melatonin strips versus a prescription sleep medication.

Dr. Kevin Lewis, MD, Chief Medical Officer and CEO of Graymark Healthcare, Inc of Tulsa, OK recently did a study of the Enlyten melatonin strips Vs. a prescription sleep medication on 100 individuals at his sleep disorder facility in Tulsa, OK.

Dr. Lewis found that 65% of the subjects that took the Enlyten product fell asleep faster and had a better nights rest than those that took no sleep aid.

When Dr. Lewis gave the same subjects a popular sleep prescription drug, he found that only 60% of the subjects had a better nights sleep than those that took no sleep aid.

Dr. Lewis also noted that when he compared the speed in which the subjects fell asleep, there was a considerable difference in how fast the subjects using the Enlyten product over the prescription drug actually fell asleep.

Conclusion: Dr. Lewis found that the subjects using the Enlyten product had a 5% better success rate than those using a prescription medication in a head-to-head comparison, and the speed in which they fell asleep was "significant" for the Enlyten product users.

Dr. Lewis went on to say that he now recommends the Enlyten melatonin strips first to his patients before offering any prescription medication.

" This study just shows how affective the delivery system is with our products." says Scott Lunsford of Whitewater, KS who is an Independent Distributor for Enlyten. Scott goes on to say "Our company is new and people just need to be open to trying our new delivery system. Today's society has gotten used to taking pills, powders, and juices. But technology has changed and with that change comes a better way to take products like this. They deliver more active ingredients, do it faster, and more effectively than the traditional methods we have become accustomed to."

To learn more about the Enlyten products visit www.enlyten.com/slunsford
Or call Scott at 316-799-2252

*Dr. Kevin Lewis, MD, Chair of the Enlyten Medical Advisory Council, is the Chief Medical Officer (CMO) of Graymark Healthcare, INC. – Sleep Disorder Centers. He received his Doctor of Medicine from the University of Texas Health Sciences Center and is board certified in Internal Medicine, Pulmonary Disease, Critical Care, and Sleep Medicine.

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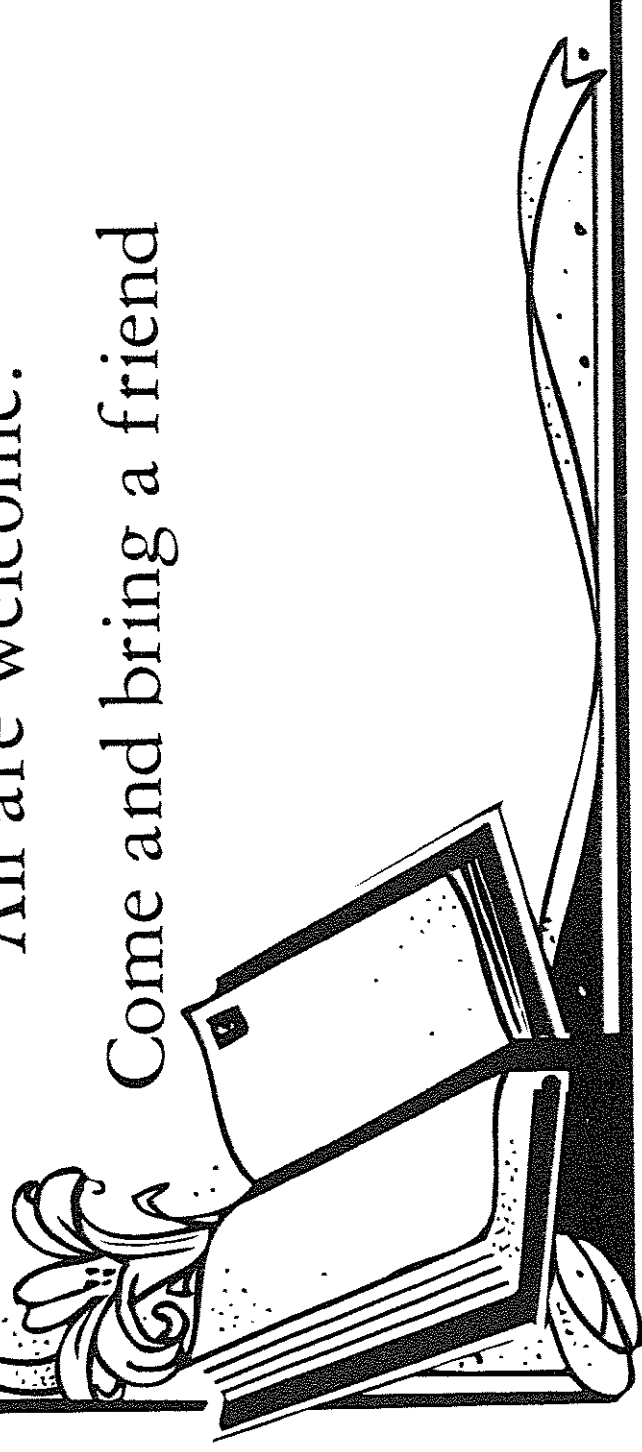
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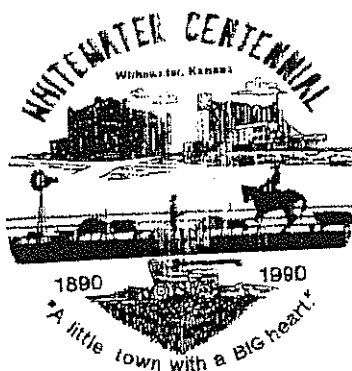
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Whitewater Community Newsletter July, 2009

MOM'S CAFE
213 S. MAIN
WHITEWATER, KS 67154
(316)799-1904

Mom's Cafe is a family owned and operated business located at 213 S. Main in downtown Whitewater. It is owned by Lynn Frazier, her daughters Jennifer Davis and Aimee Schmidt and son Michael Frazier. We pride ourselves with our good home cookin' and friendly atmosphere. Mom's offers a wide variety of menu items and daily specials. On Tuesday's you can enjoy a fresh hand-breaded Chicken Fried Steak. Wednesday's is our delicious Pan Fried Chicken Thursdays we offer a full Mexican Menu along with our regular menu. Friday's is home-made Chicken & Noodles and our Fried Catfish in the evening. Top off any meal with Aimee's delicious home-made pies. We are open Tuesday-Friday 6:00am to 8:00pm & Saturdays 6:00am to 2:00pm. Sunday & Mondays we will open for Private Parties (minimum of 20 please) We thank the community for your support and patronage and we look forward to serving you for many years to come. We would like to send out a very special thank you to our staff. We appreciate all your hard work. We look forward to serving you soon.

Mom's Cafe

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Whitewater, KS.
(316) 799-1904
Tues. - Fri. 6:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M.
Sat. - 6:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

**"The food is always better
at MOM'S"**

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:** John Bumm, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth, Kara Zonnefeld

June 22, 2009

Shawna Hendrix was present to request an ordinance change to allow Sunday beer sales. This ordinance change will be prepared for consideration in July.

Angie Baur with Community Foundation of Greater Butler County was present to introduce her organization to the council. The work with donors to match them with areas of need in the communities they serve.

Greg Nye was present to report on status of water extension request, two business area clean up requests, and Butler County tax sale.

Public Building Commission appointments were confirmed. They will be working with Wheat State Manor on their building and remodeling project.

Replacement of the advertising sign at the highway was discussed. This item will be scheduled to be replaced in the next budget.

The fireworks permit for the Lions Club was approved. The permit fee was waived, as in the past.

Reseeding of the lagoons to stop erosion problems was discussed. Bids will be obtained.

The council is getting bids for repairs needed to the lights at the ball diamond.

It was reported that work is progress on the cell phone tower. More work is scheduled to take place this week.

Council was adjourned at 8:15.

Recycling Trailer Schedule

(South Diamond)

July 15, August 5, 19

AFTER 10 A.M.



UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like on the calendar please submit by the 10th.

July 14 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

July 15 - Recycling after 10 am

July 28 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

August 5 - Recycling after 10 am

August 11 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

August 19 - Recycling after 10 am

August 25 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

September 2 - Recycling after 10am

September 8 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

September 16 - Recycling after 10 am

September 22 - Senior Movie - 1:30 - Legion

NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

The June meeting of the North Butler 4-H Club was held on June 8, 2009 at RHS. The meeting was called to order by President, Samantha Claassen. Roll Call was "My favorite summer pastime is..." and was answered by 25 members. Melissa and Connie from the Butler County 4-H Office talked to parents and leaders about the new record book form. Orders are being taken for club t-shirts. Meghan Nipper gave an arts and crafts project talk. Julianna Soto demonstrated how to make Pico de Gallo. Eric Toevs entertained the club with a story and Mady Tanner talked about her horses and how to saddle them. Kassi Claassen led the club in recreation. The meeting was adjourned. Refreshments were provided by the Carl and Kris Goossen family, Jim and Lori Goebel family and Russ and Gail Toevs family. The July meeting will be the club tour and swim party on Monday, July 13, 2009 at 5:30 p.m. The first stop will be the home of Mike and Shalea Wallace and then to the home of Kenny and Michelle Wilkerson. The evening will end with swimming. Don't forget to bring your supper. Drinks will be provided.

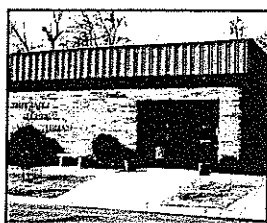
THE BUTLER COUNTY FAIR IS JULY 25-29, 2009.

Submitted by: Elena & Julianna Soto,

North Butler News Reporters

Whitewater Memorial Library News

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Monday: 4:00 - 8:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30 - noon
Thursday: 1:30 - 8:00 pm
Friday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30 - noon

Staff

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Youth Services Coordinator: Julie Mosiman
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Summer Creativity Abounds

As of July 8, 55 of 179 readers have completed the summer reading challenge and claimed their "Be Creative" T-shirt. Remember, Readers! We can guarantee a T-shirt only for those who turn in their completed reading sheets by the July 18 deadline.

Leather Class

The final youth class will take place at the library **Thursday, July 16, at 3:00 pm.** Will Johnson will show participants how to make a simple leather project.

Thank you to all of the summer class presenters:

Kara Zonnefeld
Photography
Carrie Whalen
Facebook
Ethan Penner
Rythm Band
Josh Hoover
Rhythm Band
Julie Mosiman
Tie-Dye Shirts
Annabell Hephner
Flower Arranging
The Brunner Family
Marshmallow Shooters
The Block Family
Cupcake Decorating
Will Johnson
Leather
Pam Harber
Story Telling

Guessing Jar Winners

Ben Hirsch - Mini Erasers
David Graham - Beads
Guess how many puzzle pieces are in the jar until July 18.

Bookmarks

Summer readers have designed some very colorful and creative bookmarks for library patrons to use. Some contain colorful geometric designs or clever sayings, and there are even some crocheted bookmarks. Get 'em while they last!

"When it Gets Dark"at the Library

Library patrons of all ages have a special opportunity in the month of July.

Miss Julie has offered patrons the chance to illustrate her original composition entitled "*When it Gets Dark*".

It is a fun story about what happens in the library after everyone goes home.

Come to the library and select one of the 16 pages to illustrate. Return the illustrated page to the library no later than

Saturday, July 25. The story and illustrations will then be compiled into a book.

Each artist will receive a copy of the book and a copy will also be placed in the library.

Local Authors Finish the Story

Summer readers were invited to finish the following story. We enjoyed reading their endings so much that we decided to publish all of them in upcoming newsletters instead of choosing just one winner.

It was a beautiful summer day. Megan was headed to the library to sign up for the summer reading program. "At least it will give me something to do," sighed Megan. She was missing her friends from school and felt like there was nothing to do in her little town. She liked to read and the library was offering some fun programs. Megan stepped up onto the sidewalk and opened the door to the library. She stepped inside and stopped dead in her tracks. She couldn't believe her eyes! . . .

Ending by David Entz

She saw a circus clown! He was playing a computer game. And that computer game was Poptropica.

Ending by Dalli Entz

There were people everywhere! Megan stood there staring, her eyes bulging. Suddenly, someone pushed her. She moved forward as best she could, being careful not to step on other people's

feet. There were people in front of her, in back of her and on either side of her.

She slowly moved over to a librarian and asked, "What are all these people doing here?" The librarian looked around the room and then at Megan. "Well, most of them are here to sign up for the reading program."

"Oh, wow!" Megan exclaimed. The librarian smiled and went back to her work.

Megan spotted her friend, Mandi, over by the children's books. Mandi waved and Megan made her way toward her friend. "Hi, Mandi! Look at all these people here! The librarian said that they are here to sign up for the summer reading program."

"Yeah, I know. That's why I am here," answered Mandi. "Why are you here?"

Megan rolled her eyes. "For the same reason. Hey, I thought you liked to read."

"Oh, I do! I just haven't been in the mood for it lately."

Just then Megan spotted Christa. Mandi and Megan went over to their friend. "Hi, Christa! Are you done with your home schooling yet?" Mandi and Christa were both home schooled and Megan was not. So she had no idea when they got out for the summer. "Oh, maybe a week

ago. I am here to sign up for the reading program, are you?"

Megan and Mandi both answered, "Yes." Megan tilted her head to the side. "I thought you didn't like to read."

Christa shrugged. "I don't, but my mom said I should do it so I won't get bored this summer." Christa paused and looked around the room. "Do these people actually like to read?"

Mandi answered yes. Megan moved aside so someone could pass. "They probably wouldn't be here if they didn't like to read."

Christa looked confused. "But I thought libraries were just places where people could look up information for school projects or something."

Megan and Mandi both looked surprised. Mandi moved closer to Christa and said, "Oh, no, no, no. Libraries are for that reason, but also a library is a place where you can find fun books to read like mysteries. You can have all kinds of exciting adventures when you read books."

Christa smiled. "I never knew that. Maybe sometime I will check some mystery books out." From that day on the library had a whole new meaning for Christa.



Small Business Spotlight



Dream a Little Theme

Local artist **Heather Thiel** was born with an artistic gift that has blossomed into a home business called **"Dream a Little Theme."**

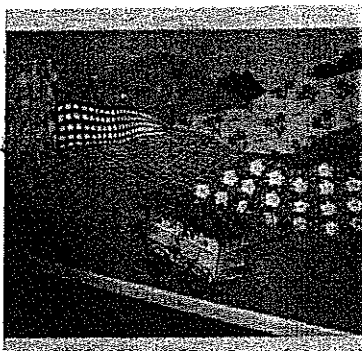
Wall murals are the focus of her business, but Heather paints on all kinds of things including wood, metal and canvas. She has painted scenes on ice buckets and old milk cans and is currently painting a chair for a friend.

Heather has been

painting custom wall murals for kids of all ages since 1999 and says it "doesn't seem like work" because she enjoys it so much. A mural really "changes the atmosphere in a room."

The Illinois native is mother to three children and

wife to an aircraft mechanic. When asked how the family ended up living in Whitewater, Heather said that when her husband was working in



Wichita, she began visiting nearby small towns and liked the small town "amenities" Whitewater had to offer.

Whether she is painting walls in a kitchen, bathroom, nursery or library, Heather, prefers using Benjamin Moore paint and is willing and able to work within a budget.

See Heather's Small Business Spotlight display at the library or contact her by phone at 316-799-1090 or by email at heather_thiel@sbcglobal.net.

Listen While You Travel - Books and Music

Summer vacation drives can seem awfully long, so why not listen to an audio book or music CD to pass the time?

Audio books come in enough different formats that young and old alike will surely find one that's easy and enjoyable to use.

These formats are available at the library: cassette, compact disc, Playaway and downloadable.

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WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

AN UNUSUAL CALL

It is not unusual for the Volunteers of Whitewater Fire to receive an early morning page but on one morning in June, we experienced a number of unusual events.

Just before 7:00 AM of any morning, each of the area's twenty Responders is facing a new day as usual. Some have already been to work for a couple hours. Some just left home for another day of responsibilities. Some may just be returning home from work. Others will soon be saying 'good-bye' to their family for another day. It is not unlike the routine of your house.

One recent morning, at that very time, one of the Whitewater maintenance employees was entering the fire truck bay after checking on the water level in the tower when the fire alarm sounded. He paused for a couple seconds to listen to the call and immediately recognized a serious situation. Not being a volunteer of the Fire Department but having observed numerous calls, he knew which truck was necessary and went to open the overhead door for that bay. Literally within seconds of that garage door being raised, two Responders jumped into the cab of the truck and left for the address given by the Dispatcher. Six others responded directly to the scene. This kind of instantaneous refocusing of priorities is not unusual for your Volunteers.

If you had been privileged to observe the scene that morning, you would have found it to be an absolute marvel to experience. One EMT was gathering information from the Mother while two other EMTs were giving their entire attention to the motionless five year old daughter. A fourth EMT supported the team as needed or tended to the Mother. One firefighter was nearby assisting the EMTs, one firefighter was relaying information to the Dispatcher and the in-coming ambulance, one prepared to assist the ambulance crew on their arrival, and one firefighter was in the front room playing catch with the younger sister. It really isn't unusual to see Responders doing what is necessary to ease a critical situation.

Because of the impossibility to respond from their place of work, some Volunteers will leave their pager at home while being gone from the area. Such was the case at two homes that morning. Having heard the call, the wife of one Volunteer called the wife of another to discuss possible action on their part. The caller was not able to leave the house but the one called felt she could. She alerted her neighbor that she was leaving sleeping children to go assist the family in distress. She took over for the firefighter playing catch until the Grandmother could arrive.

This is 'small town' at its best – neighbors doing unusual things in a way that makes it seem usual. And, perhaps, what is most unusual is that, in the Whitewater community, this is not an unusual response. Thank you.

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**A LITTLE TOWN WITH
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**“THANK YOU” to all who joined us at the
Hometown Express Grand Opening and the
Wildcat Creek Ranch Arena Business
Appreciation Dinner.**

Next Meeting

When: Wednesday, July 15th

Time: 7 a.m.

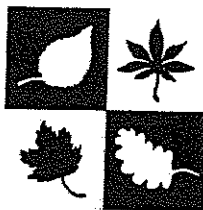
Where: Mom's Café

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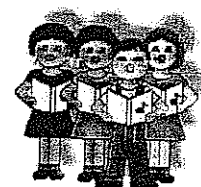
**Angie Bauer of the Butler Community Foundation will be
discussing options for the establishment of a Whitewater
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WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL!!!!!!



October 3 2009, 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 are looking for home-town talent for our entertainment.



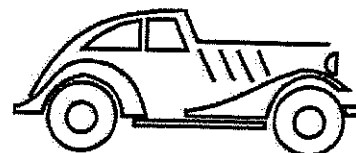
Perhaps you would consider signing up for the arts and craft show. School and church organizations are welcome to have booths selling school related items or foods.



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??



4th Annual Chili Cookoff

There is something for everyone!! Next Fall Festival Committee meeting will be Tuesday, August 11, at the home of Wes & Betty Hansen @ 7:00 p.m.

Whitewater Fall Festival

October 3, 2009
Parade Begins 11:00 AM

PARADE ENTRY FORM

(Please Print Neatly)



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Category / Description: _____

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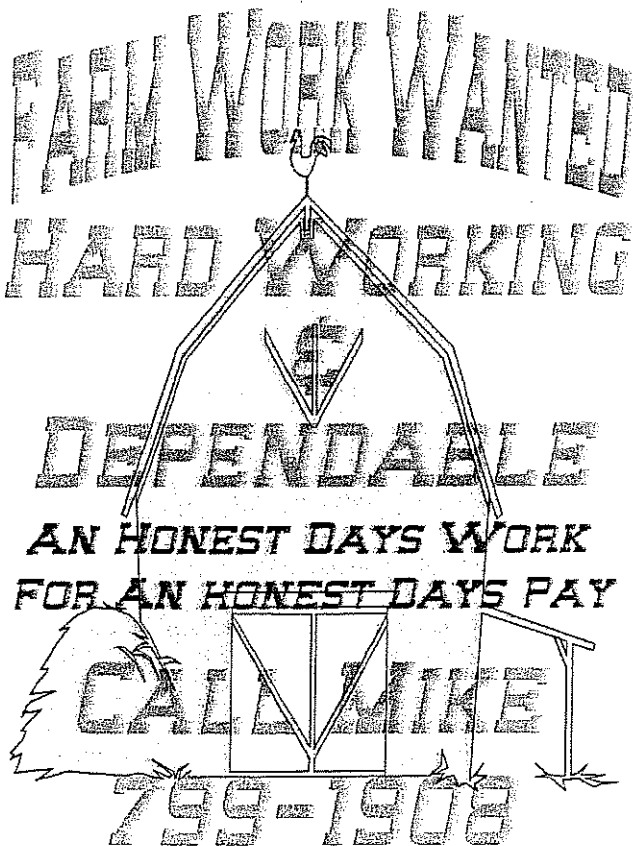
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**August 2, 2009
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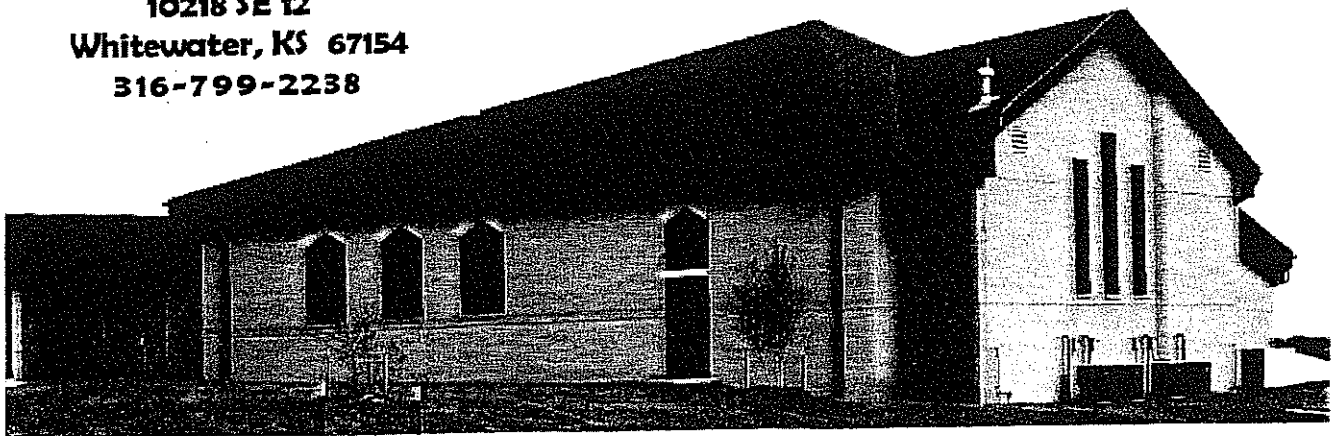
**New Pastor
Installation Celebration**



Grace Hill Mennonite Church invites you to join in the celebration of the installation of Peter Goerzen as our lead pastor. Peter will be working alongside his wife in their ministry to Grace Hill and the surrounding communities. Peter's wife, Katherine, has served as the Youth Pastor for the past 2 ½ years. Grace Hill is looking forward to the energy and enthusiasm that Peter brings to the ministry and the furthering of our mission.

Installation occurs during the worship hour starting at 9:30. The Sunday School hour will include reports from the youth group and their experience at Columbus, Ohio MCUSA Youth Convention. A meal will follow. All are invited to attend.

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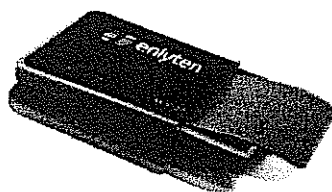


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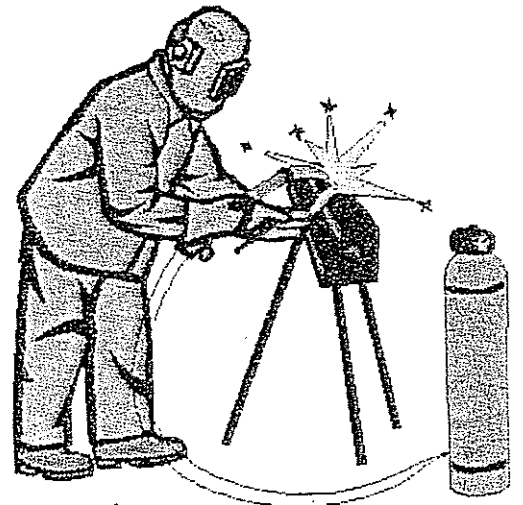
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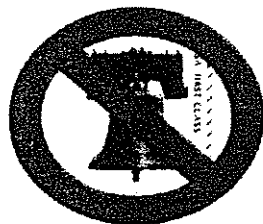
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Communications between neighbors improves health care for Whitewater

Newton Medical Center congratulates the residents of Whitewater for their persistence and determination in acquiring the new 300-foot cell phone tower. This achievement will significantly assist emergency communications in northwest Butler County.

It's tough to get sick or injured in Whitewater anytime – but particularly in the evenings or on the weekends. Luckily, you are just minutes away from round-the-clock care, and you have a choice!

If you are experiencing chest pain or shortness of breath, use that new cell phone hook up to call 911. If you believe the situation does not merit an ambulance ride to Newton, then the Wichita Clinic-Bethel Immediate Care is now open Monday through Friday from 5 to 8 p.m. and on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The phone number is 316- 284-5011.

Of course, the Newton Medical Center Emergency Department is open 24/7.

Newton Cardiac Services is now providing cardiovascular care close to Whitewater, with the highest standards and the newest technology.

At Newton Medical Center's new Heart Cath Lab, you can receive cardiovascular catheterization services that allow healthcare providers to test and treat the heart, coronary and peripheral arteries at a location that's just minutes away from your home.

Offering a wide variety of services and professional specialties, Newton Medical Center is conveniently located at the intersection of I-135 and Highway 50 in south Newton, accessible to Butler County.

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:** John Bumm, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth, Kara Zonnefeld

July 27, 2009

Ordinance 567 was presented, this ordinance was to allow Sunday cereal malt beverage sales. A number of individuals were present to protest the sale of cereal malt beverages. The council decided to look into putting this on the ballot for the next regular election for the registered voters of the City of Whitewater to vote on.

A request for a four way stop at the corner near the library was presented. This request was granted.

Christine Crisp was present to discuss the ball diamond dragging for next summer. New red shell for the diamonds was also discussed.

The sanitary sewer project at the Whitewater Lakes Addition was discussed next. An agreement will be presented to the city council for their approval. The temporary notes necessary for the project were also discussed and will need to be obtained.

Gary George was present to review the proposed budget for 2010. The budget hearing is set for August 24, 2009 at 7:00 in the council room.

Bids for electrical work necessary at the ball diamond were presented. The bid from R & D Electric was accepted.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:14.

Recycling Trailer Schedule (South Diamond)

August 19, September 2, 16

AFTER 10 A.M.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like on the calendar please submit by the 10th.

August 19 - Recycling after 10 am

September 2 - Recycling after 10am

September 8 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

September 16 - Recycling after 10 am

October 3 - Fall Festival

October 7 - Recycling after 10 am

October 13 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

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Now that we have reliable cell phone service in our area, the Responders are concerned about the visible increase of phone usage while driving. Please use discretion on the use of the phone to avoid accident and legislative control.

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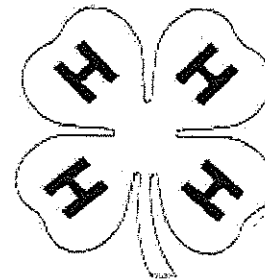
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NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

The July meeting of the North Butler 4-H Club was held on July 13, 2009. The July meeting was the club tour and swim party. The first stop was the home of Mike and Shalae Wallace. Hannah Wallace told us about her steer, Shane Wallace and Travis Kochenower showed us their pigs and Olivia Wallace showed us her goats. Several other 4-Hers brought projects to tell us about. Then we traveled to the home of Kenny and Michelle Wilkerson, where Trent talked about his sheep and steers. The evening ended with swimming and a picnic. The next meeting will be August 10, 2009 at RHS.

Submitted by: Elena & Julianna Soto

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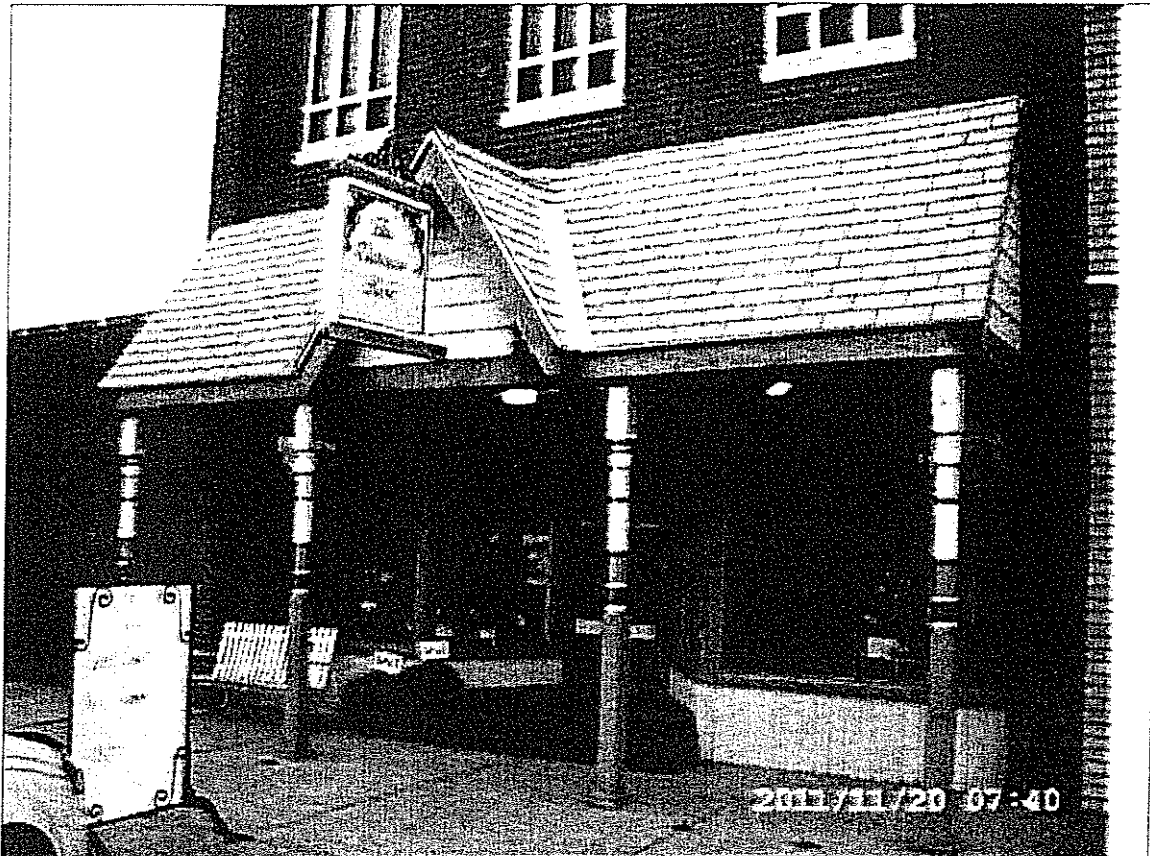
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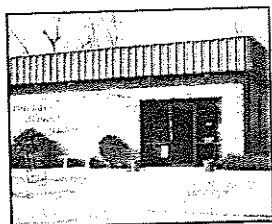


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Small Business Spotlight

The August Small Business Spotlight features the mother/

daughter team of Kathy and April Wiebe of Whitewater.

April's high school graduation gift from her parents was an embroidery machine that her mother thought April would have fun with.

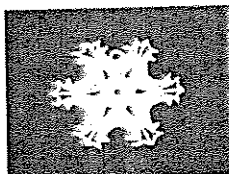
During her college years April decided to start a business with her embroidery machine so she and her mom began **Wiebe Embroidery**.

The artistic duo specialize in custom orders but also peddle their wares at 20 - 25 Kansas craft shows each year.

Their products include just about any flat item that can be stitched on.

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Pillowcase Dresses
Makeup Bags
Purses
Beach Towels & Totes

April and Kathy also have a line of embroidered lace products



Embroidered snowflake ornament.



that includes bookmarks and snowflake ornaments.

The company's most recent development is the addition of a website that has already generated an international contact.

The website address, wiebeembroidery.com, shows a variety of the items offered by Kathy and April. Also, see their display at the library.

To get a special item personalized or to place an order, contact Wiebe Embroidery at 316-799-2213 or ldwiebe@juno.com.

Whitewater Area Business Information

We are in the process of building a contact information file at the library that would list Whitewater area businesses.

This would allow area residents to call the

library and find a local business to meet their needs.

If, for instance, you need vinyl siding or Tupperware, we could tell you who to call in the area.

If you own or operate a business in the Whitewater area and would like to be included, please bring your business card or information to the library or email it to whitelib@sbcglobal.net

Local Authors Finish the Story - Volume 2

Summer readers were invited to finish the following story. We enjoyed reading their endings so much that we decided to publish all of them in upcoming newsletters instead of choosing just one winner.

See the July, 2009, issue of the newsletter for Volume 1.

It was a beautiful summer day. Megan was headed to the library to sign up for the summer reading program.

"At least it will give me something to do," sighed Megan. She was missing her friends from school and felt like there was nothing to do in her little town. She liked to read and the library was offering some fun programs.

Megan stepped up onto the sidewalk and opened the door to the library. She stepped inside and stopped dead in her tracks. She couldn't believe her eyes! . . .

Ending by Janel Prigge

She couldn't believe her eyes! The whole library was totally empty! Megan glanced around. There wasn't anything except empty shelves and some boxes in the corner. She looked back

out the door. Someone was coming up the sidewalk. It was the librarian! Megan ran up to her.

"Where did all the books go?" she cried. The librarian looked surprised.

"Why, didn't you know? The library has been moved down onto Turtle Street! We have needed a bigger library anyway."

Megan was surprised. "Really? I didn't know that! My family and I went on a long rip to Oklahoma the last two weeks! I haven't been to the library in a long time! I was just going to sign up for the Summer Reading Program when I saw that there weren't any books in the library!"

"Well, do you want to go look at the new library? I need to get some boxes that are in the old library first, though."

"Oh, yes, I do!" Megan said, and then she helped the librarian get the boxes and they walked off together to the new library.

Ending by Sharon Entz

Books were "flying" everywhere. All Megan could do was stare.

Patrons filled the place; young and old - The visitors to the library that day? 83, all told. Jean was busy checking in. "C'mon, Megan, where've you been?"

Joyce was putting away a pile.

"Welcome, Megan, stay awhile."

Julie was telling a story to the tots.

Friends from school were talking lots.

Megan thought to herself, "What have I been waiting for?"

"All I had to do was walk through the door!"

With arts and crafts and classes galore,

Who could ask for more?

If your reading goal you have met,

One cool T-shirt you will get.

In Whitewater, this summer, the place to be

Is, of course, the library!

The End

A hearty "thank you" to all of our creative authors! We hope you enjoyed writing your stories as much as we enjoyed reading them.

Congratulations, David, Dalli, Janel and Sharon! You are officially "published authors" now.



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Once - Movie Soundtrack
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Pink Panther Strikes Again
Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed
Faith Like Potatoes
Love Takes Wing
Every Second Counts
Princess Protection Program
Meet the Robinsons
Bedtime Stories
City of Ember
Hannah Montana
I Spy: Thing That Flings
I Spy: Mumble Monster Mystery

Summer Reading Club Wrap-up

The 2009 Summer Reading theme, *Be Creative @ Your Library*, brought out the abundance of creativity in the Whitewater area!

Local artistic talent shined through draw-

ing, painting, leatherwork, photos and duct tape creations to music, skits, flowers, cooking and building.

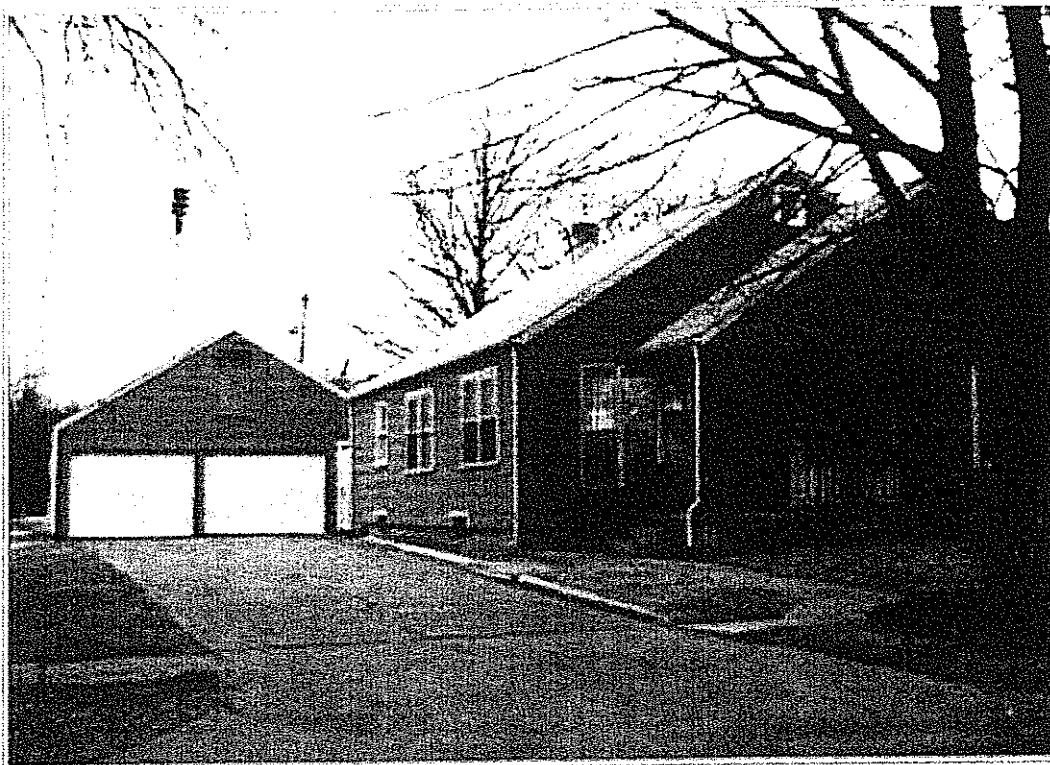


One of the great things about this

summer was that the classes were led by both adults and students.

Something to celebrate: 115 of 179 readers turned in their completed reading sheets. That is a whopping 64%. Well done!

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Property Photo

Exterior Photo

Comments

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 Asking Price \$74,000
 Type Single Family OnSite Blt
 Area B16- Whitewater
 Address 221 N Locust
 City Whitewater
 County Butler

TFLA 1085
 AG Bedrooms 2
 Total Bedrooms 2
 AG Full Baths 1
 AG Half Baths 0
 Total Baths One
 Garage Two Car
 Basement Yes - Unfinished
 Levels One Story

Year Built 1930
 Approximate Age 51 - 80 Years
 Acreage City Lot
 Lot Size/SQFT 8750
 Number of Acres
 Bedroom 2 Dimensions 10x12
 Living Rm Dimensions 11x13
 Kitchen Dimensions 12x13
 Dining Rm Dimensions 11x13



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ENTRY FORM
WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL 5K WALK, JOG
OR RUN FOR PRIZES!!! OCT. 3RD, 2009

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RUNNER, ON EACH REGISTRATION FORM, INFO
MUST BE COMPLETE & THE WAIVER SIGNED.**

REGISTRATION FEE: \$10.00

**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. 3RD 2009 _____

_____ **MALE** _____ **FEMALE**

CIRCLE T-SHIRT SIZE

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**Whitewater Lions Club
Whitewater, Kansas 67154**

We Serve

**Whitewater Fall Festival
Saturday, October 3, 2009**

July 13, 2009

Greetings:

The Whitewater Lions Club would like to invite you and your group, or organization, to participate in the **Whitewater Fall Festival Parade** on **Saturday, October 3, 2009**. This is the one day each year when the members of our community come together to celebrate with one another and we would like you and your organization to join us!

The festival includes a parade, car show, carnival, craft fair, games, live entertainment, and much, much, more. Join in the parade and stay to enjoy the festivities!

We ask that you complete and **return the Parade Entry Form** provided no later than **September 30, 2009** so that we may have a well organized parade.

The parade begins at **11:00 AM** and will travel south on Main Street. **Please enter Whitewater on Elm Street, which is the first street to the East of Main from Highway 196 or enter from Butler Road, (which is one mile East of Whitewater).** If you enter on Elm Street it will be closed at Vine Street because of the craft fair. Please do not turn left because Main Street will also be closed. If you come early, please be courteous of any runners. The Parade will line-up at the intersection of Main and Central Streets where Lions Club members will be wearing bright yellow vests and will be happy to direct you.

Any entry wishing to throw candy: We all have safety concerns for our children. Please watch out for children during the parade. Be sure the candy is thrown to the curb, in order to keep small children from running in front of vehicles. Please be courteous not to hit the car show contestants when throwing candy in their area.

Your participation in our Fall Festival is truly appreciated and we look forward to seeing you and your organization represented. If you have any questions or concerns please contact **Leon Koehn** (*last name is pronounced Kane*) at **(316)799-1222**.

We look forward to seeing you there!!!

Whitewater Fall Festival

October 3, 2009
Parade Begins 11:00 AM

PARADE ENTRY FORM

(Please Print Neatly)



Name(s) -or-
Organization: _____

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 Submit no later than - September 30, 2009*****

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

We look forward to hearing from you!





Come Spend the Day With Us!

Whitewater's Fall Festival

Saturday, October 3, 2009



An Old-Fashioned Day of Fun & Excitement Featuring a Parade, Outdoor Arts & Crafts Fair, Kids Games & Carnival, Car Show, Softball Tournament, Entertainment, Food Vendors, and much more!

Whitewater is centrally located just 20 miles East of Newton or
20 miles West of El Dorado right off of Hwy 196



If you are interested in having a craft booth please fill out the bottom portion
Craft Vendors hours are 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM – Set up between 7:00 AM to 9:00 AM

Questions? Contact Kathy or April at 316-799-2213 or ldwiebe@juno.com
We look forward to hearing from you!

Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Special Requests or Comments: _____

Booth Space to Reserve & Cost

_____ Booth Space (10X10) @ \$15.00 each
_____ Electricity @ \$5.00 additional

Make Checks payable to Whitewater Fall Festival
Send to Whitewater Fall Festival, PO Box 128, Whitewater, KS 67154

**Each Vendor will receive 5 chances to the Raffle Prize drawing which will be
given away throughout the day**

SORRY, NO REFUNDS!!!

X _____ Date: _____

-Signature-

Come test out you Detective Skills....

First Annual Whitewater Scavenger Hunt At the Fall Festival



**YOUR INVITED TO JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON
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**TEAMS OF 4 - 6 PLAYERS ON A TIMED
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**DATE : OCT. 3, 2009
TIME : 3 - 6 PM**

IT WILL BE FUN FOR ALL AGES

**ENTRY IS \$10 PER TEAM
1ST, 2ND & 3RD TEAMS WILL GET
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Teams can sign up at Hometown Express Store after the Parade

WHITEWATER LIONS CLUB 10TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW SATURDAY OCT 3 100 blk SOUTH MAIN WHITEWATER, KANSAS



**All proceeds go to the Whitewater Lions Club to help with the
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**For more infomation go to Wwlions67218@aol.com or Bob at
(316) 687 3009**

Registration \$15.00 beginning at 9am

OPEN TO ALL CLASSES

Goodie bags, Door prizes, 13 trophies

Hey, It's Almost Time for the Chili Cookoff!!!!

Do you have a secret chili recipe from grandma that can't be beat?

Do you have an invented recipe that no one can top?

Fall Fest Chili Cookoff

OCTOBER 3, 12 P.M., MAIN & TOPEKA

Chili cookoff entry form

Mild() Medium() Hot()



Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

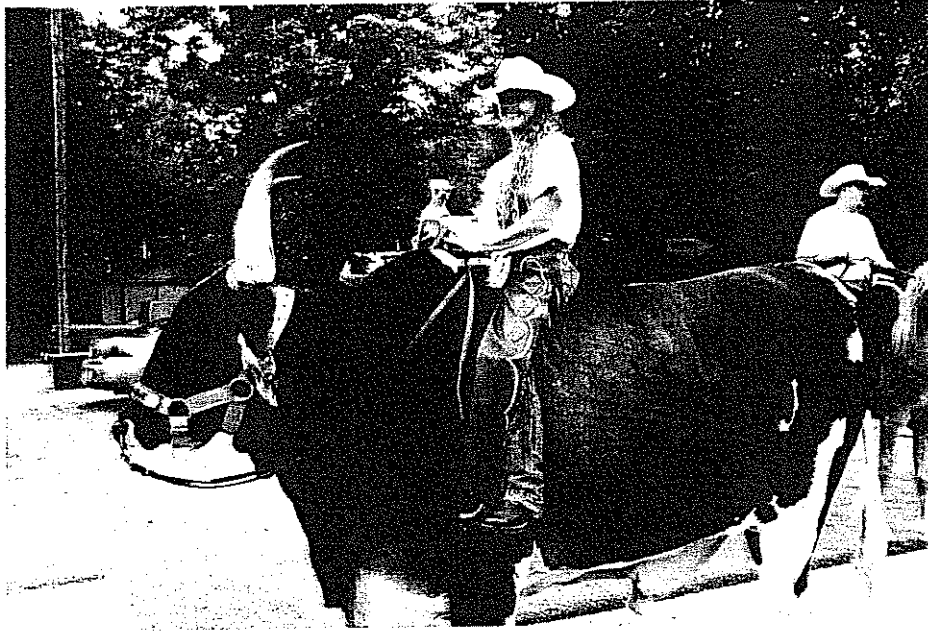
To assure a quality event, all contestants **MUST** pre-register by September 29th. The number of entries is limited to 20 due to power constraints-acceptance is on a first-come basis Fill out the entry form and mail with \$5 entry fee to: Chamber of Commerce to Parry Owen, PO Box 40, Whitewater, Ks. 67154 Or return form to The Bank of Whitewater. Questions? Call 799-2040. For complete rules see reverse. Proceeds support business-building activities of the Chamber.

GREAT PRIZES HOTTEST CONTEST IN TOWN BRAGGING RIGHTS FUN & ENTERTAINING

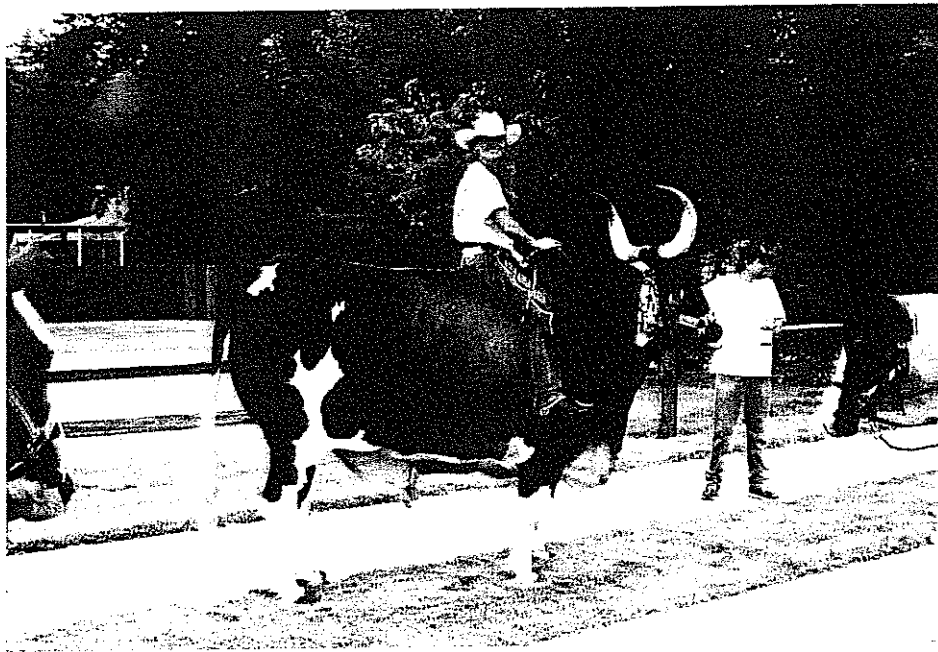
WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL

Saturday, October 3, 2009

Come and see Pueblo the Bull

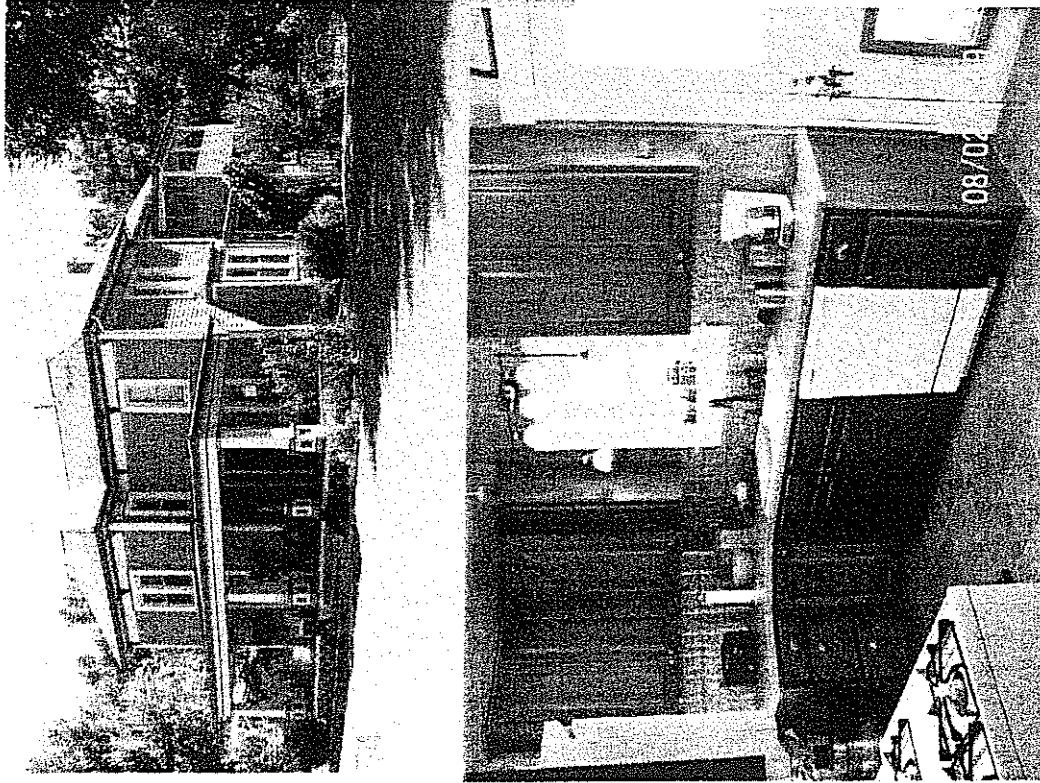


Time and additional information to follow in the
September Whitewater News Letter



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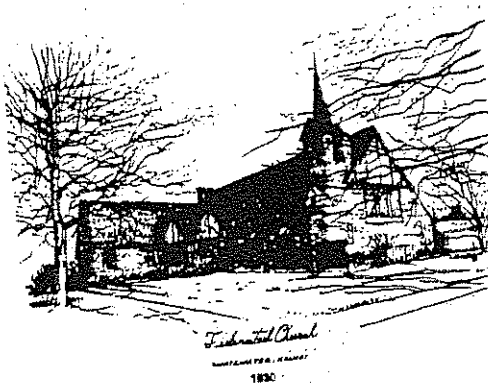
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August 16 and August 23 speaker will be Robert Calhoun

August 30 speaker will be Steve Anderson

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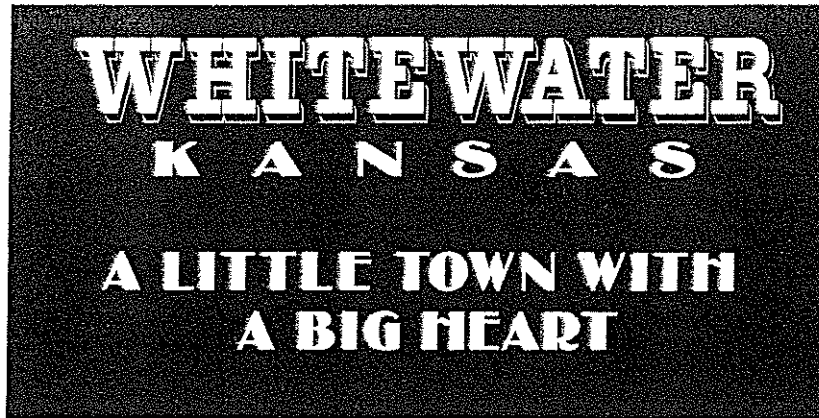
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3. Check Filters
4. Check the electrical wiring and connection
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Sunday Liquor Sales

August 4, 2009

Dear Citizens of the Whitewater Community,

The Board of Directors of the Whitewater Area Chamber of Commerce feel it is important to give strong consideration to the request for Sunday liquor sales as proposed by Hometown Express.

As an Economic Development issue, the current restriction puts city businesses at a competitive disadvantage. We ask you, the citizens of this community, to call upon your City Council Members to repeal the current prohibition to allow our member businesses to be competitive with their peers in neighboring municipalities.

Time is of the essence and it is our hope that the policy change can occur before the next general election to help preserve uninterrupted commerce in our community. Please assist us in our efforts to promote progress and vibrancy on Main Street for today and for our future generations.

Thank you for your support of our efforts to keep Whitewater a great place to call home.

Sincerely,

Board of Directors
Whitewater Area Chamber of Commerce

WHITE WATER SENIOR CENTER (KIDS CLUB)

**Come for some Fun & Laughs!!
Tuesday, September 8th at 11:30 am
Hearing Health Program**

Jeri, from Miracle-Ear will presenting a short
slide program on hearing health.

Door Prize Funny Stories

You will learn . . .

- . How many ears do you have?
- . How does one know if they have a hearing loss?
- . What problems do other folks encounter who have hearing loss?
- . How can communication be improved between those with hearing and those with loss?
(Many tips do not involve amplification)
- . What is it like to experience the new technology in hearing aids?

BRING A DISH AND ENJOY LUNCH

WHITEWATER SENIOR CENTER

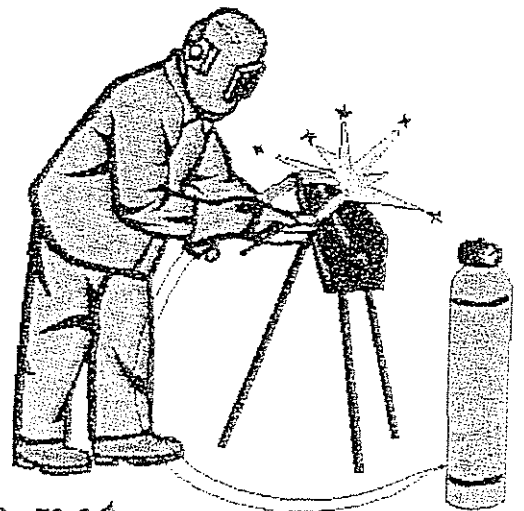
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SEPTEMBER 8 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
OCTOBER 13 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
NOVEMBER 10 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
DECEMBER 8 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)



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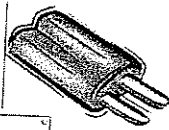
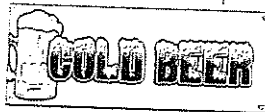
Sunday Football Special

1 - Craver Pizza

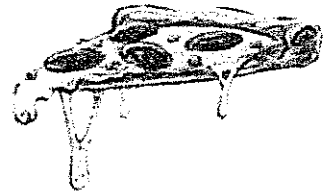
1 - Family Flat Stix

1 - 2 Liter Pepsi Product

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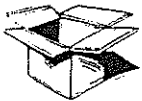
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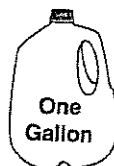


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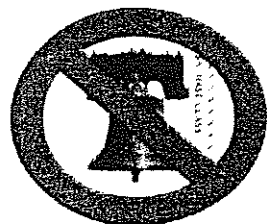
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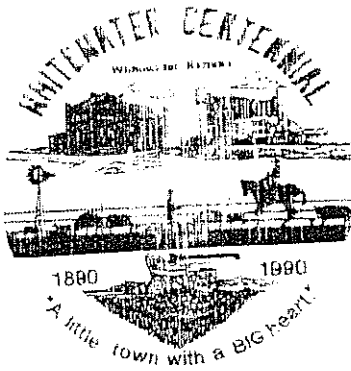
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Whitewater Community Newsletter September, 2009

Introducing Palmyra Baptist Church

When you drive down Butler Rd toward 254 and you pass that lovely brick church out in the middle of the country, you have arrived at Palmyra Baptist Church. This church has a rich heritage of serving the community for 134 years. We are American Baptist, Family-Orientated, Christ-Centered and Community Minded. Ministering in the country, Palmyra has men's ministry, women's ministry, children's and youth ministries.

Pastor Norman Tillotson has been with us for 4 ½ years. He is happily married to his wife, Jan. They have 6 wonderful children. The younger three are active in Remington schools.

Service times at Palmyra are Sunday morning fellowship time 9:30, Sunday school 10:00, Church 11:00, Sunday evening 7 pm Adult Bible study and Youth Group. Right now the adult group is studying the "Truth Project", produced by Focus on the Family. Triple T Youth group is a cooperative with several community churches. Wednesday evening has 7 pm prayer circle and then Bible study immediately following.

Address is 999 NW Butler Rd. 67017, Phone (316) 778-1816. For more information please check out our website www.palmyrabaptistchurch.org



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:** John Bumm, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth, Kara Zonnefeld

August 24, 2009

The budget hearing for the 2010 budget was held after which the budget was approved as presented.

Sunday Malt Beverage Sales were discussed next. It was reported that the next election will not be until November 2010 so the issue will be voted on by the city council members at the next council meeting in September.

A request to have a Beer Garden at Fall Festival was the next topic. It was reported that the Beer Garden would be in a controlled area with access in and out supervised. Discussion was received on both sides of the issue. A roll call vote regarding the Beer Garden was then called for and carried with 3 in favor and 1 opposed. An ordinance will be prepared to regulate the special event request and a license will need to be obtained.

A resolution was passed to authorizing temporary notes be issued for the Whitewater Lakes Addition.

Specials attached to the property at 117 S. Maple were discussed next. An agreement was reached with the new owner.

A bid for the installation of water at the new addition was received. The council approved the bid presented following the review of the city's engineer regarding issues involved with construction.

Standard Traffic Offense Code and Uniform Public Offense Code ordinances were presented the approved.

A special use permit had been approved by the Planning and Zoning board to Tim Stangohr, the council agreed to follow the boards recommenda-

tion.

Officer Baker reported next that there had been a couple break ins in the area lately. Evidence is being evaluated so that action can be taken. It was noted that since school has started again there has been an increase in speeding.

A bid for concrete work on the curbs at the grade school was presented and approved. Repairs will also be made to the asphalt street surface on Willow.

The need to chlorinate the water coming from El Dorado was discussed next. A notice regarding this will be in the September newsletter. The upkeep of the slew areas was discussed next. The possibility of moving the road to the scout house was also discussed. Bids will be obtained for this project.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:20.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like on the calendar please submit by the 10th.

September 16 - Recycling after 10 am

October 3 - Fall Festival

October 7 - Recycling after 10 am

October 13 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

October 21 - Recycling after 10 am

November - 4 - Recycling after 10 am

November 10 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

November 18 - Recycling after 10 am

November 26 - Thanksgiving Day

November 27 - Residential Refuse Pickup

December 2 - Recycling after 10 am

December 8 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

December 16 - Recycling after 10 am

December 25 - Christmas Day

January 1 - New Year's Day



**Recycling Trailer Schedule
(South Diamond)**

September 16, October 7, 21

AFTER 10 A.M.

(1st & 3rd Wed.)

WHITEWATER RIVER CONSOLIDATED FIRE DISTRICT

The Whitewater River Fire District experienced fifteen calls during August. We had seven medical calls, five vehicle accidents, and three fire alarms. Sixteen Responders volunteered time to act on these calls.

The Department received a new truck recently. It is a Pumper/Tanker unit which will be in service from the Elbing Station. The Responders have been giving extra time to learn the operation of this new truck.

On August 30, the Volunteers were treated to a fine supper at Mom's Cafe. Several Firefighters were recognized with awards for their time on the Department. This is an annual event of appreciation sponsored by the Fire District Board.

NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

The August meeting of the North Butler 4-H Club was held on August 10, 2009. The meeting was called to order by Samantha Claassen, President. Roll call was, "My Favorite Fruit is...", and was answered by 26 members. We had one visitor, Lavinia Petrizzi, who is an exchange student from Italy. Thomas Goebel led us in singing "On top of Spaghetti". The club will be helping with clean-up at Old People's day in Potwin. Shane Wallace showed the correct parliamentary procedure of making a motion. He was assisted by Hannah and Olivia Wallace. Arlen Newby showed us his belt that he made in leather craft. Lydia Newby gave a project talk on yeast breads. Elena Soto showed how to make German chocolate cake mix cookies and Cisco Soto entertained us with a demonstration on paper airplane folding. Renata Goossen led recreation. The meeting was adjourned. The September meeting will be held on September 14, 2009 at RHS. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m.

RECORD BOOKS ARE DUE

Submitted by: Elena & Julianna Soto

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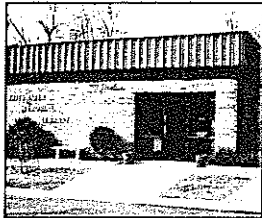
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Whitewater Memorial Library News

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Hours

Monday: 4:00 - 8:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30 - noon
Thursday: 1:30 - 8:00 pm
Friday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30 - noon

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Talk About Literature in Kansas this Fall

The Friends of the Library invite you to participate in a series of fall book discussions.

Thursday, Oct. 1

Holes by Louis Sachar
Leader: Marilyn Klaus, Lenexa

Stanley Yelnats is unjustly sent to Camp Green Lake where he and other boys are sentenced to dig holes to build character.

This discussion will be preceded by a potluck dinner @ 6:30 pm at the library. Call 316-799-2471 or email whitelib@sbcglobal.net for information and to RSVP.

Tuesday, Oct. 13

Life of Pi by Yann Martel
Leader: Sandra Weichert, Lawrence

The story of a boy, a boat and a tiger promises an adventure which some may find hard to believe.

A short business meeting will take place prior to the start of the discussion.

Thursday, Oct. 29

To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee
Leader: Marilyn Klaus, Lenexa

Scout Finch and her brother, Jem, grow to understand that

prejudice is a very real aspect of their world no matter how subtle it seems.

All discussions begin at 7:00 pm at the library and are free and open to the public.

These book discussions are part of the TALK (Talk About Literature in Kansas) program promoted by the Kansas Humanities Council. TALK is a program for every Kansan who loves to read and discuss good books.

Books may be picked up at the library around the middle of September.

Book Sale @ the Whitewater Fall Festival

The annual Friends of the Library used book sale will take place at the library Saturday, October 3, 2009, from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm.

Items for sale will in-

clude movies, new and used books, audio books and magazines, etc.

If you are needing to make room on your crowded bookshelves, at home, please con-

sider donating your extra books and magazines, etc, to the library sale.

Donation receipts for tax purposes are available upon request.

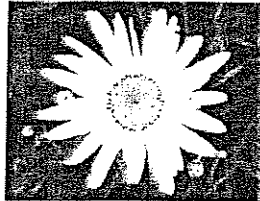


Small Business Spotlight

Kara Zonnefeld has always loved looking at photos. "As a child, I loved going through my parents wedding album."

As a teen and later as an adult, taking photos became a passion for this enthusiastic mother of two.

As the years progressed, Kara studied the art of photography and her equipment became more and more sophisticated. This



gave her the confidence and impetus to begin taking senior pictures for high school students.

Karat Creations Photography grew from a few senior pictures one year to a thriving business that now includes photographing local and school activities and families.

When taking senior pictures and family photos, one of Kara's goals is to stage the photos in

Karat Creations Photography

a setting that portrays the individuals' "unique persona." She also creates an enjoyable and relaxing atmosphere that lets people be comfortable with having their photo taken.

Kara is now taking appointments for senior pictures.

View Kara's photographs at her Karat Creations website <http://karatcreations.webs.com> and see her display at the library.



Fall Story Time Theme: Chicka Chicka Boom Boom

Miss Julie invites preschool children age three and older to come to Story Time on Mondays at 10:00 am.

Parents and caregivers are encouraged to stay and participate with their children. Register now at the library.



☺ **September 21**
A is for Apple

☺ **October 5**
B is for Bear

☺ **October 19**
C is for Cat and D is for Dog

☺ **November 9**
E is for Elephant

☺ **November 23**
F and G are for Thanksgiving

☺ **December 14**
H is for Holiday

No Library Services during Fall Festival

In a typical year, the library is closed on the following holidays.

New Year's Day

Memorial Day

Independence Day

Labor Day

Fall Festival (1st Sat. in Oct.)

Thanksgiving Day

Christmas Eve

Christmas Day

There will be no library ser-

vices offered during the Whitewater Fall Festival, but the restrooms will be open for public use. Friends of the Library will be hosting their annual used book sale outside the library, weather permitting.

STORY TIME RETURNS SEPTEMBER 21ST

A told B
And B told C
I'll meet you for stories
At the Library



Chicka Chicka Boom Boom
Will there be enough room?
Of course there's room for more
If you're age three, five or four!



Story Time Begins

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

All Story Times are held at Whitewater Memorial Library on
Mondays from 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Adults are asked to stay with their child(ren).

Sign up today at the library!

WHITEWATER LIONS CLUB

10TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW

SATURDAY OCT 3

200 BLOCK EAST TOPEKA

WHITEWATER, KANSAS



All proceeds go to the Whitewater Lions Club to help with the club's projects such as the annual 4th of July Celebration, other community projects, community aid and to help with seeing eye dog and the eyeglasses programs.

For more information go to Wwlions67218@aol.com or Bob at
(316) 687 3009

Registration \$15.00 beginning at 9am

OPEN TO ALL CLASSES

Goodie bags, Door prizes, 13 trophies



The 2009 Whitewater Lions Club Fall Festival October 3, 2009



7:00 a.m. 5K Run Regis. (Locust & Topeka)
7:00 Arts & Crafts Booth Set up
7:00 Food available: Mom's Café, Hometown Express,
The Pizza Place, American Legion Auxiliary & Vendors



7:00 Cinnamon Rolls & Coffee - Relay for Life Cancer Team

7:30- 8:30 5K Run

8:00- 2:00 Friends of the Library Book Sale

9:00 Car Show Registration (Swiss Church)

9:00- 3:00 Arts & Crafts Fair

9:30- 5:00 Car Show (Swiss Church)

10:00 Bill Dry & The Rhythm Riders (& after parade to 1:00 p.m.)

10:00- 4:00 Quilt Show & Cook Book Sale (Federated Church)

** Will close for parade*

10:30 Parade Line up (Central & Main)

11:00 Fall Festival Parade

12:00 p.m. Lions Club Raffle begins

12:00- 1:30 Chili Cook-Off (Bank parking lot)

12:00 New Fire Equipment on display (Fire Dept./City Bldg.)

1:00- 5:00 Children's Activities: Inflatables, Face painting, Petting Zoo,
Obstacle Course, Money in the Haystack (Swiss Church)

2:30 Scavenger Hunt Regis. (Hometown Express)

3:00- 6:00 Scavenger Hunt

5:00- 7:00 Gospel Sing (Swiss Church parking lot)

6:30 Hot Dog Eating Contest sign-up

7:00 Hot Dog Eating Contest (\$1.00 entry fee - 2 age groups)

7:00- 8:00 Karaoke at The Pizza Place courtyard (enter thru rear gate)

8:00-11:00 Street Dance (Main Street - Downtown Whitewater)

Featuring Music by: Rusty Rierson & His Country, Rock & Blues Band



Event Sponsors:

5K Run - Whitewater Chamber of Commerce

Arts & Crafts Fair - Whitewater Lions Club

Car Show - Whitewater Lions Club

Chili Cook-Off - Chamber of Commerce

Children's Activities & Gospel Sing - Area Churches

(Federated, Swiss, Grace Baptist, Palmyra Baptist, Furley Methodist, & Emmaus)

Hot Dog Eating Contest - Hometown Express & Chamber of Commerce

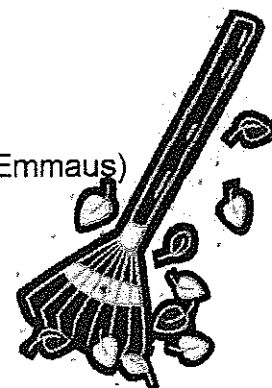
Parade - Whitewater Lions Club

Money in Haystack - Bank of Whitewater

Quilt Show & Cookbook Sale - Wheat State Manor

Scavenger Hunt - Hometown Express

Street Dance - Whitewater Fall Festival Committee



ENTRY FORM

**WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL 5K WALK, JOG
OR RUN FOR PRIZES!!! OCT. 3RD, 2009**

SIGN UP 7AM RACE STARTS 7:30AM

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

REGISTRATION FEE: \$10.00

**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. 3RD 2009 _____

_____ **MALE** _____ **FEMALE**

CIRCLE T-SHIRT SIZE

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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.

X _____ **DATE** _____

SIGNATURE (IF UNDER 18 PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST SIGN)

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WHITEWATER, KS 67154**

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Come Spend the Day With Us!

Whitewater's Fall Festival

Saturday, October 3, 2009



An Old-Fashioned Day of Fun & Excitement Featuring a Parade, Outdoor Arts & Crafts Fair, Kids Games & Carnival, Car Show, Softball Tournament, Entertainment, Food Vendors, and much more!

Whitewater is centrally located just 20 miles East of Newton or
20 miles West of El Dorado right off of Hwy 196



If you are interested in having a craft booth please fill out the bottom portion
Craft Vendors hours are 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM – Set up between 7:00 AM to 9:00 AM

Questions? Contact Kathy or April at 316-799-2213 or ldwiebe@juno.com
We look forward to hearing from you!

Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Special Requests or Comments: _____

Booth Space to Reserve & Cost

_____ Booth Space (10X10) @ \$15.00 each
_____ Electricity @ \$5.00 additional

Make Checks payable to Whitewater Fall Festival
Send to Whitewater Fall Festival, PO Box 128, Whitewater, KS 67154

**Each Vendor will receive 5 chances to the Raffle Prize drawing which will be
given away throughout the day**

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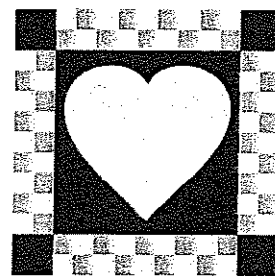
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-Signature-

Whitewater Fall Festival
October 3rd

Wheat State Manor
Quilt Show / 35th Anniversary
Cookbook Sale
10:00 AM—4:00 PM

Wheat State Manor is again
sponsoring the annual Quilt Show
at the Federated Church. If you
have a quilt you would like to display, please
contact Cindy at 799-2181.



We are pleased to announce the 35th
Anniversary Cookbook will be available for
sale that day at the church for
\$15.00. Cookbooks will
also be available online after
October 3rd.





**Whitewater Lions Club
Whitewater, Kansas 67154**

We Serve

**Whitewater Fall Festival
Saturday, October 3, 2009**

July 13, 2009

Greetings:

The Whitewater Lions Club would like to invite you and your group, or organization, to participate in the **Whitewater Fall Festival Parade** on **Saturday, October 3, 2009**. This is the one day each year when the members of our community come together to celebrate with one another and we would like you and your organization to join us!

The festival includes a parade, car show, carnival, craft fair, games, live entertainment, and much, much, more. Join in the parade and stay to enjoy the festivities!

We ask that you complete and **return the Parade Entry Form** provided no later than **September 30, 2009** so that we may have a well organized parade.

The parade begins at **11:00 AM** and will travel south on Main Street. **Please enter Whitewater on Elm Street, which is the first street to the East of Main from Highway 196 or enter from Butler Road, (which is one mile East of Whitewater).** If you enter on Elm Street it will be closed at Vine Street because of the craft fair. Please do not turn left because Main Street will also be closed. If you come early, please be courteous of any runners. The Parade will line-up at the intersection of Main and Central Streets where Lions Club members will be wearing bright yellow vests and will be happy to direct you.

Any entry wishing to throw candy: We all have safety concerns for our children. Please watch out for children during the parade. Be sure the candy is thrown to the curb, in order to keep small children from running in front of vehicles. Please be courteous not to hit the car show contestants when throwing candy in their area.

Your participation in our Fall Festival is truly appreciated and we look forward to seeing you and your organization represented. If you have any questions or concerns please contact **Leon Koehn** (*last name is pronounced Kane*) at **(316)799-1222**.

We look forward to seeing you there!!!

Whitewater
Fall Festival
October 3, 2009
Parade Begins 11:00 AM

PARADE ENTRY FORM

(Please Print Neatly)



Name(s) -or-
Organization: _____

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 Submit no later than - September 30, 2009*****

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

We look forward to hearing from you!



Hey, It's Almost Time for the Chili Cookoff!!!!

Do you have a secret chili recipe from grandma that can't be beat?

Do you have an invented recipe that no one can top?

Fall Fest Chili Cookoff

OCTOBER 3, 12 P.M., MAIN & TOPEKA

Chili cookoff entry form

Mild() Medium() Hot()



Name_____ Date_____

Address_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____

Phone_____ Email_____

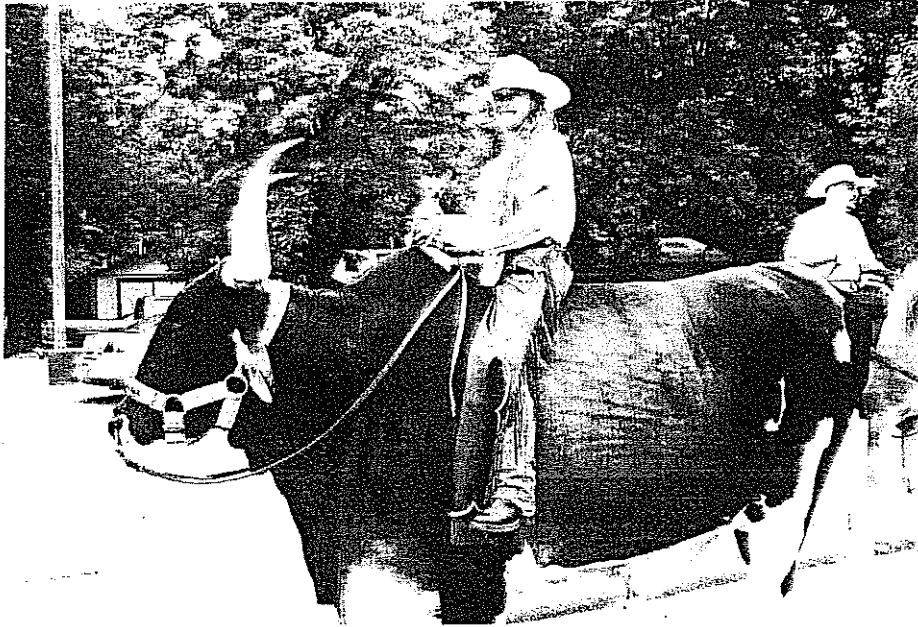
To assure a quality event, all contestants **MUST** pre-register by September 29th. The number of entries is limited to 20 due to power constraints-acceptance is on a first-come basis Fill out the entry form and mail with \$5 entry fee to: Chamber of Commerce to Parry Owen, PO Box 40, Whitewater, Ks. 67154 Or return form to The Bank of Whitewater. Questions? Call 799-2040. For complete rules see reverse. Proceeds support business-building activities of the Chamber.

GREAT PRIZES HOTTEST CONTEST IN TOWN BRAGGING RIGHTS FUN & ENTERTAINING

WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL

Saturday, October 3, 2009

Come and see Pueblo the Bull



Time and additional information to follow in the
September Whitewater News Letter



HOT DOG EATING CONTEST!!!

SIGN UP IN FRONT OF HOMETOWN EXPRESS @ 6:30PM, CONTEST STARTS @ 7:00PM, THERE WILL BE A FEE OF \$1.00 TO ENTER THE CONTEST, CATEGORIES – ADULT AND KIDS 18 & UNDER.

**ALL YOU CAN EAT IN 5MIN.
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Come test out you Detective Skills....

First Annual Whitewater Scavenger Hunt At the Fall Festival



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**TEAMS OF 4 - 6 PLAYERS ON A TIMED
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IT WILL BE FUN FOR ALL AGES

Teams can sign up at Hometown Express Store after the Parade

**DATE : OCT. 3, 2009
TIME : 3 - 6 PM**

**ENTRY IS \$10 PER TEAM
1ST, 2ND & 3RD TEAMS WILL GET
CASH PRIZES**



**COME JOIN THE FALL FESTIVAL FOR A
CONCERT & STREET DANCE
FEATURING – RUSTY RIERSON & HIS
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SAT. OCT 3RD**

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RECEPTION FOR RICH PARSONS

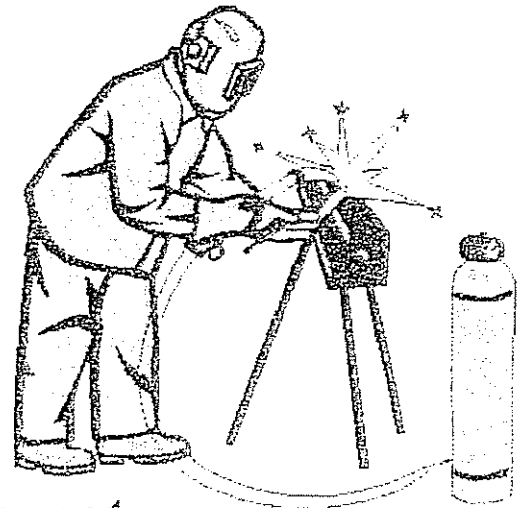
Rich Parsons Retires

September 1, 2009 was the last day of active duty on the Fire Department for Rich Parsons. For twenty years, Rich has made himself available to help mitigate emergencies in the Whitewater area. Over time, his leadership abilities were recognized and he became an Officer within the Department, ending his career as the Deputy Chief. His dedication to training and responding has been an excellent model to imitate. Rich's presence will be greatly missed.

A reception in Rich's honor is planned for September 21 at the Whitewater Fire Station. The public is encouraged to come by from 4:30 to 6:30 PM to greet Rich.

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September 19, 2009
November 7, 21, 2009
January 2, 16, 2010

March 6, 20, 2010

October 3, 17, 2009

December 5, 19, 2009

February 20, 2010

Feb. 6 - No Bingo - Groundhog Feed

April 3, 17, 2010

DOORS OPEN AT 6 P.M.
AUXILIARY SNACK BAR OPENS AT 6 P.M.
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3-\$15.00
4-\$20.00

5-\$15.00
6-\$15.00
7-85%

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9-\$15.00
10-\$15.00
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WHITEWATER PIZZA PLACE
FALL FESTIVAL SPECIAL



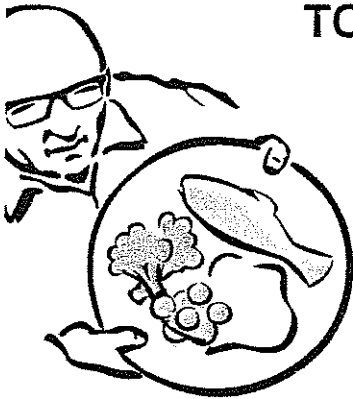
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FROM OUT OF OUR KITCHEN. DELIVERIES ARE
IN WHITEWATER ONLY. PLEASE CALL CINDY
AT 799-2181 TO VOLUNTEER.



Whitewater Fall Festival **Shop till you drop Sale!**

Multi-family Garage Sale

- Clothes for Fall and Winter (size 0-4T)
- Snow pants, coats and boots (toddler)
- Adult clothes (Womens 8-14, Mens XL)
- Piano—free tuning with purchase
- Amana Dryer
- Hoover vacuum
- Furniture—Rocking chair, tables, etc.
- Child's picnic table and outdoor toys
- Toys for all ages
- Books at bargain prices
- Lots of treasures!

Take a break from the schedule and
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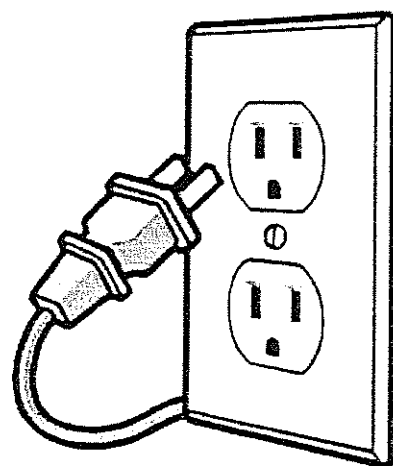
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Sunday 11am - 7 pm



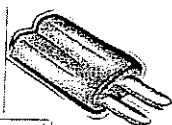
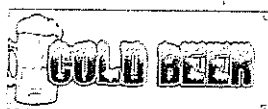
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1 - Craver Pizza

1 - Family Flat Stix

1 - 2 Liter Pepsi Product

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Federated Womens' Bible Study

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Breaking Free

an 11 week Bible Study that focuses on
making liberty in Christ a reality in your life

There will be two meeting times
to help meet your needs. Babysitter available

Meeting times will be

**Sunday from 9 am to 10:15 am
and Monday from 5 pm to 6:15 pm**

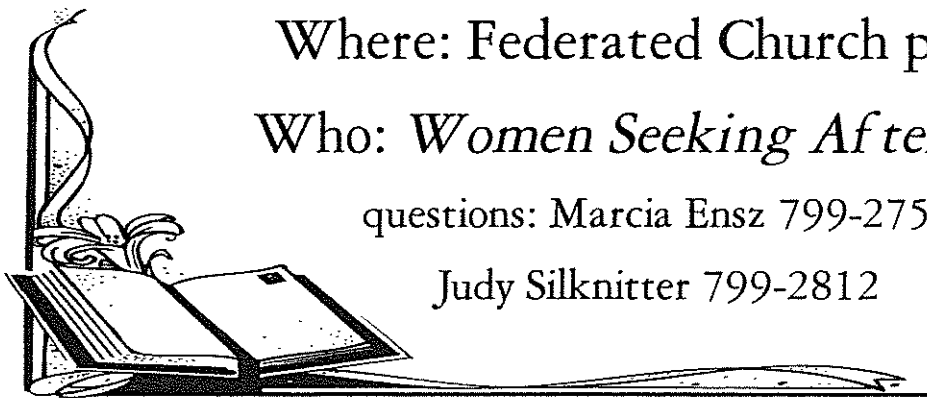
**Starts: Sunday, September 20 and
Monday, September 21**

Where: Federated Church parlor

Who: *Women Seeking After God*

questions: Marcia Ensz 799-2750

Judy Silknitter 799-2812



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New Massage Therapist

Kiley Miller (Dienst)

Tuesday and Thursday

30 minutes.....\$30

60 minutes.....\$50

90 minutes.....\$75

Call to make your Appointment



YOU ARE INVITED

Come join us Sept. 16, 2009 at the Scout House

Where: The Scout House (behind the ball diamond)

When: Sept. 16 @ 7:30 PM

Hosts: Scott & Melissa Lunsford

Scott & Shawna Hendrix

Contact: 316-799-2252 (Lunsford) or 316-799-2232 (Hendrix)

We will be having a product & opportunity overview of enlyten. Learn about a faster and more affective delivery of the same products you are already using. Enlyten's R.A.S.E.R (Rapid Acting Side Effect Reducing) technology enables you to get more active ingredients in your body in a much shorter time than drinks and pills.

We will also be having drawings for some products, so come on out and learn about enlyten!



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NOVEMBER 10 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
DECEMBER 8 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
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FEBRUARY 9 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)
MARCH 9 - CARRY IN LUNCH (BRING ONE DISH)



CHLORINE NOTICE

As you may know the City of Whitewater receives its water from the City of El Dorado. This water is treated to ensure the safety of each of their water customers. However, most summers, due to extreme heat, the level of chlorination in the water coming from El Dorado that has been treated drops. When this happens it is necessary for this water to be treated at the pump station belonging to the City of Potwin and the City of Whitewater in El Dorado. When it is necessary for this to be done you may notice a stronger than normal chlorine smell and taste in the water. If you notice a strong smell or taste it may be advisable for you to use caution in doing laundry, especially laundry containing colored items, at this time.

This treatment is necessary to ensure the safety of the water flowing in the pipes which is of utmost concern. We do not know ahead of time exactly when the water that has been treated at the pump station will arrive because the timing depends on the amount of water used prior, during, and after our treatment of the water. The chlorine level of the water is tested on a daily basis and as soon as this level drops measures are taken to maintain a safe drinking supply. Thank you for your understanding regarding this matter.

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Friday .9am – 2:00pm
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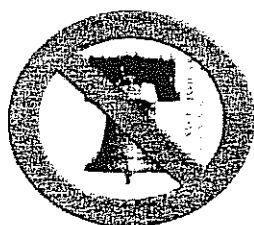
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Whitewater Community Newsletter October, 2009

Portable Pets motto, "We bring the farm to you" is exactly what we do. We transport animals normally found on the farm (goats, sheep, ducks, chickens, rabbits, calves, donkeys and horses) to your home or special event location and set up a portable petting zoo for young and old alike to enjoy. The petting zoo and optional pony rides are a popular attraction at birthday parties, schools, church outreach events, elderly care facilities, company parties and various types of festivals. Our family enjoys sharing our "pets" with a multitude of people who may have never had the opportunity to get "up close and personal" with animals. Our animals have "grown up" in the petting zoo environment and are very tame and used to children, providing a safe, enjoyable experience for close interaction, feeding, petting and holding. Most events are conducted in the Wichita area and surrounding communities however, our animals have traveled as far as Ponca City, OK. Portable Pets was started in 1993 by our neighbor who hired our two oldest children to work for them part time. In 1997, when our neighbors moved to Michigan, we purchased the business, continued to grow and expand, and currently have the capability to conduct multiple zoos in one day. This family business has also provided wonderful learning opportunities for our four children by teaching them responsibility and allowing them to gain valuable experience interacting with the general public. It has also provided the means by which to put our children through private school. Portable Pets continues to enjoy very profitable operation, even during our current economic environment, as it fills a unique niche market and we retain multiple repeat customers, some of which book a year in advance.

After 12 years of operation, our two oldest children are out on their own, the two youngest are in high school, very busy with all their activities, we both work full time, therefore we find ourselves at a bittersweet crossroads. Do we continue, sell, or simply shut down the business. It would be a shame to shut it down after witnessing first hand all the joy it has provided to various people over the years, especially the very young and the very old, however we cannot continue it by ourselves while working full time and operating our second business, therefore, Portable Pets is for sale. It's a great business opportunity for a family with young children, small acreage for pasture and growing hay, especially if Mom is a "stay at home Mom" and / or for home schoolers. We would love to pass it on to the "next generation".

You can find the petting zoo listed in the phone book under Portable Pets (316) 799-1234, and we are located close to Harvey County East Lake.

Our family has truly enjoyed providing this service to our community over the past few years and we thank you for all your support.

Sincerely,

Wayne, Jennifer, Jeremy, Whitney, Joshua and Wynnette Sommerfeld

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:** John Bumm, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth, Kara Zonnefeld

September 28, 2009

The special event permit requested for Fall Festival by Hometown Express was presented for adoption. It was adopted by a vote of 4 to 1. This ordinance will be published before Fall Festival on Saturday.

The ordinance for Sunday Malt Beverage Sales was presented next. A motion was made to deny the request but failed for lack of a second. The possibility of granting the request until the next regular election was asked about as well. A motion was made to approve the ordinance and was passed by a vote of 4 to 1. This ordinance will be published twice and take effect affect 60 days from the last publication.

It was reported that the final inspection of the sewer at the Whitewater Lakes project has been completed. All pressures tests conducted were successful.

Members of the park board were present to report that they have scheduled a work day for October 10. The park requested the use of city equipment for their work day. Liability concerning this will be checked into. It was also reported that red shell will be delivered on both diamonds sometime next week. It was further reported that dug-outs were planned to be built at the small diamond by next season. The road going back to the scout house is in the process of being moved as requested in order to allow the outfield at the small diamond to be regulation size.

Updates concerning efforts to clean up various business properties on South Main were given.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If you have an upcoming event that you would like on the calendar please submit by the 10th.

October 13 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

October 21 - Recycling after 10 am

November - 4 - Recycling after 10 am

November 10 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

November 18 - Recycling after 10 am

November 26 - Thanksgiving Day

November 27 - Residential Refuse Pickup

December 2 - Recycling after 10 am

December 8 - Senior Dinner - Noon - Legion

December 16 - Recycling after 10 am

December 25 - Christmas Day

January 1 - New Year's Day



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ON THE WHITEWATER
PARK BOARD. ALL
PERSONS INTERESTED
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**Recycling Trailer Schedule
(South Diamond)**

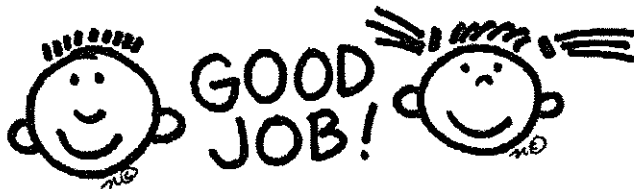
October 21, November 4, 18

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**WHITEWATER AREA
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

Meeting Schedule:

**Nov. 18 at 7 a.m. at
Mom's Cafe**

**Dec. 16 at noon at
Mom's Cafe**

*Important
DATE!*

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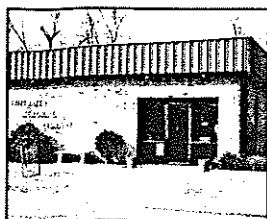
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THE WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL 5K RUN THIS YEAR WAS A BIG SUCCESS, WE HAD 52 RUNNERS, THAT IS DOUBLE FROM OUR FIRST YEAR. WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE CHAMBER, KRUEGER INS MGMT. KFC IN EL DORADO AND HOMETOWN EXPRESS FOR THE DONATIONS FOR ALL THE PRIZES. ANNABELL HEPHNER, BRANDON PATRY, BRAD JANTZ AND CHRISTINE TOEVS FOR HELPING WITH STOP WATCHES, TIMES FOR THE RUNNERS AND MAKING SURE IT WAS ALL A BIG SUCCESS. BELOW ARE THE WINNERS : 1ST PLACE OVERALL MALE - TODD LEHMAN 18.05, JEFF CLAASSEN 18.07, AND 3RD TYLER BIRKY 19.12. 1ST PLACE FEMALE - EMILY HARDER 23.52, 2ND LAVONNE BUSENITZ 25.21 AND 3RD RACHEL BUSENITZ 26.09. 1ST PLACE MALE OVER 50 - WOODY ENTZ 23.10, 2ND JACK DICKSON 26.24 AND 3RD JEFF TOEVS 29.07. 1ST FEMALE OVER 50 - NITA NEWBY 26.55 2ND CINDY BOONE 38.35. 1ST PLACE 18 & UNDER FEMALE - SYDNEY MATTHEWS 26.30, SYLVIA BUSENITZ 27.05 AND 3RD KAMI CLAASSEN 27.08. MALE 18 & UNDER - NICK HIRST 20.35 2ND BRITTON GRINSTEAD 3RD KYLE THIESSEN 31.46 AND PAUL CLAASSEN AT 31.47., THANKS AGAIN TO ALL YOU HELPED AND ESPECIALLY TO ALL THE RUNNERS WHO CAME OUT AND PARTICIPATED. WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO ANOTHER GREAT YEAR 10-2-2010, THANK YOU, VICKIE BECK

Whitewater Memorial Library News

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1928 - 2009

Hours

Monday: 4:00 - 8:00 pm
Tuesday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Wednesday: 9:30 - noon
Thursday: 1:30 - 8:00 pm
Friday: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30 - noon

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Small Business Spotlight

Whether your home has storm damage or just needs a facelift, you can call **Affordable Remodeling & Repair** for a **FREE** estimate.

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Patrick's children attend school in the Remington school system where his wife, Carrie, is the Technology Coordinator.

Customers can take advantage of special offers currently available:

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FREE ENERGY UPGRADE with the purchase of 10 or more windows;

\$1,500 ENERGY STAR TAX CREDIT until the end of 2009.

An example of the quality of work homeowners can expect from Patrick may be seen at the corner of 2nd and Locust streets in Whitewater.

In addition to being locally owned, **Affordable Remodeling & Repair** is licensed and insured and also has an "A" rating with the Better Business Bureau.

Call Patrick Whalen at 316-671-8901.

Plan for a "Hometown Christmas"



Mark your calendars: **Sunday, December 6, 2009**, for a holiday tour of homes.

Five homes in the Whitewater area will

be open for viewing from **1:30 - 5:30 pm** with refreshments being served at the library.

Tickets cost \$10 and

may be purchased at the library or from any Friends of the Library board member any time between now and tour day.

New Items for Fall

Check out these new selections at the library.

Adult Books

- ☞ *A Lifetime of Wisdom*
by Joni Eareckson Tada
- ☞ *Saks & Violins*
by Mary Daheim
- ☞ *Run For Your Life*
by James Patterson
- ☞ *The Lost Symbol*
by Dan Brown
- ☞ *Just Take My Heart*
by Mary Higgins Clark
- ☞ *Where the River Ends*
by Charles Martin

Playaway

- ☞ *The Last Lecture*
by Randy Pausch
- ☞ *Dewey: the Small-Town Library Cat Who Touched the World*
by Vicki Myron

Magazine

- ☞ *ShopSmart: Consumer Reports Quick & Easy Shopping Guide*

DVDs

- ☞ *We'll Meet Again*
Mary Higgins Clark

- ☞ *Superman Returns*
Brandon Routh
- ☞ *The Gin Game*
Dick Van Dyke
- ☞ *The Confessor*
Christian Slater
- ☞ *Effective Stewardship*
Wisdom on the Environment
- ☞ *Arctic Tale*
National Geographic Tale
- ☞ *Bonanza*
3 DVDs / 9 Episodes

Children's Books

- ☞ *Blue Moo (Book/CD)*
Sandra Boynton
- ☞ *Soap! Soap! Don't Forget the Soap!*
Appalachian Folktale
- ☞ *Delilah D. at the Library*
Jeanne Willis
- ☞ *Why Explore?*
by Susan Lendroth
- ☞ *Wild Horse Winter*
by Tetsuya Honda

Youth Books

- ☞ *Just Another Girl*
Melody Carlson
- ☞ *Along for the Ride*
Sarah Dessen
- ☞ *Rebecca*
An American Girl

Save the Date!



Tuesday, Oct. 13

Friends of the Library
Annual Meeting
with Book Discussion
A Life of Pi

Wednesday, Oct. 14

New Rotating Books

Monday, Oct. 19

Story Time

Thursday, Oct. 29

Book Discussion @ City Bldg
To Kill a Mockingbird



Monday, Nov. 9

Story Time

Monday, Nov. 23

Story Time

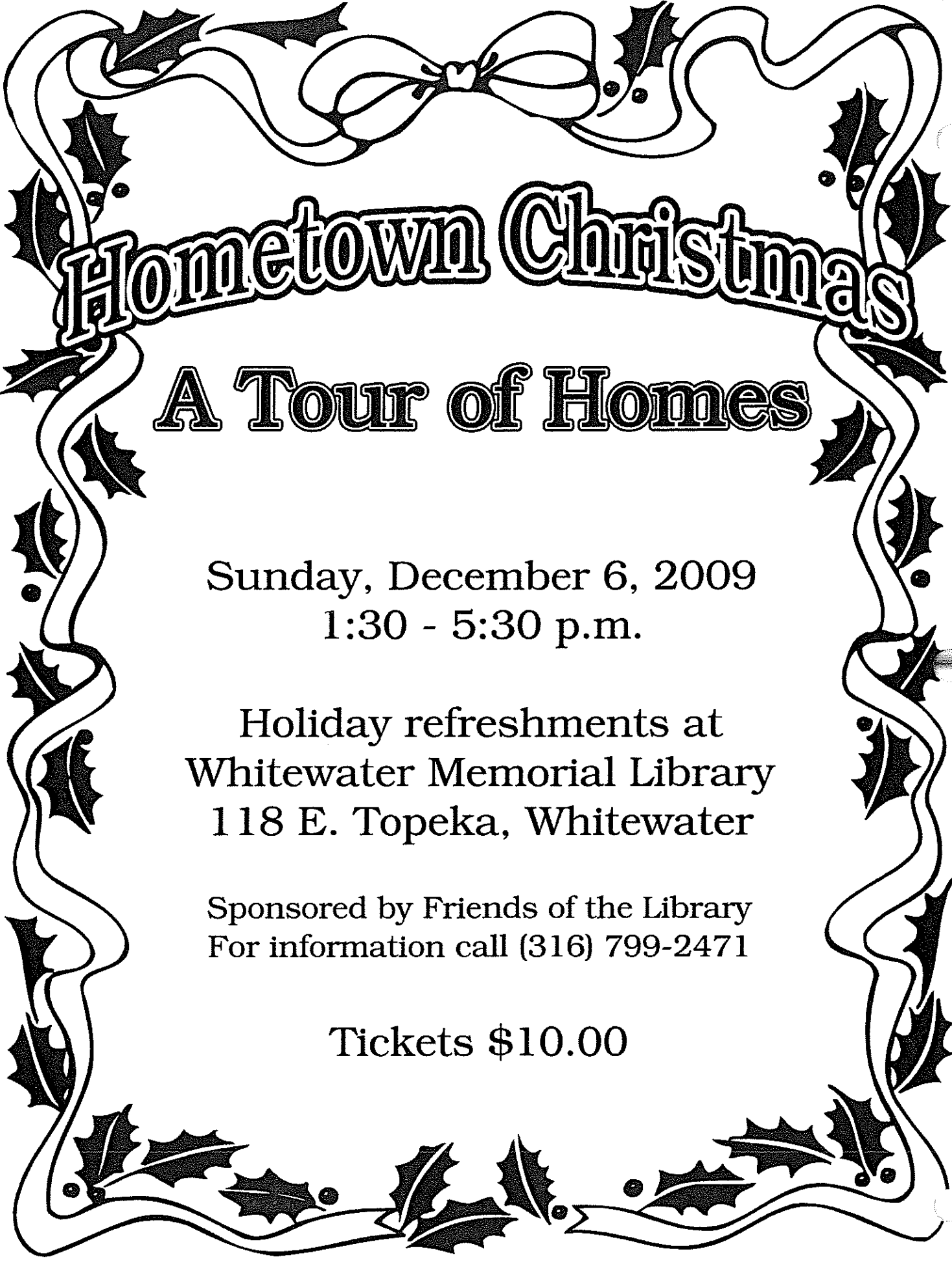
Thursday, Nov. 26

Thanksgiving Day
Library Closed



Sunday, Dec. 6

"Hometown Christmas"
Holiday Home Tour



Hometown Christmas

A Tour of Homes

Sunday, December 6, 2009

1:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Holiday refreshments at
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Tickets \$10.00

American Legion Auxiliary Annual

Chicken-Noodle Supper

Saturday October 24 at

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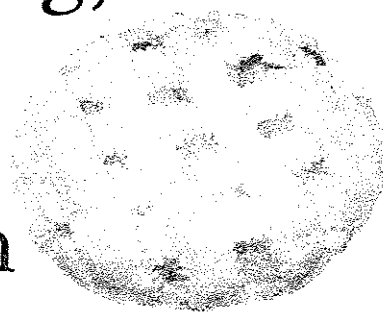
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Hometown Express
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Federated Church**

**AND THE LOCAL COMMUNITY FOR THEIR
SUUPORT OF THIS ENDEAVOR**

These businesses and organizations donated money and food items to help Troop 225 sell Indian Tacos at the Fall Festival to raise money to purchase new camping tents. Thanks to all those individuals, parents, and boys who made this event a success.

**IT'S SCOUTING FOR FOOD TIME
BOYS SCOUT TROOP 225 AND PACK 225
WILL BE PLACING BAGS ON THE DOORS
OF THE WHITEWATER AND POTWIN COMMUNITIES
ON OCTOBER 15
AND PICKING UP THE NON PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS
ON
OCTOBER 17.
THE FOOD COLLECTED WILL BE DONATED TO THE
FOOD BANK AT
THE FEDERATED CHURCH IN WHITEWATER
THE POTWIN METHODIST CHURCH IN POTWIN
AND
THE SAFE HOUSE IN EL DORADO**

Butler County Democrats

The Butler County Democrats committee adopted the following: We are committed to putting people first. Our government should serve all people equally without discrimination. Democrats recognize that the well being of Butler County children and their families are the responsibility of all of us.

Priority issues identified are:

- The right to be Safe
- Affordable Health Care
- Lead the Nation in Education
- Support Law Enforcement, Military, and Veterans
- Invest in Alternative and Renewable Energies
- Fairness in Taxation
- Protect Natural Resources
- Promote Rural Kansas
- Good Jobs Good Pay
- Support and Maintain Independence and Dignity of Senior Citizens

If these issues are important to you also, come join us the fourth Tuesday of each month.

October 27, 2009– Pizza Hut 729 N Main, El Dorado

November 24, 2009– Pizza Hut 307 N Andover Rd, Andover

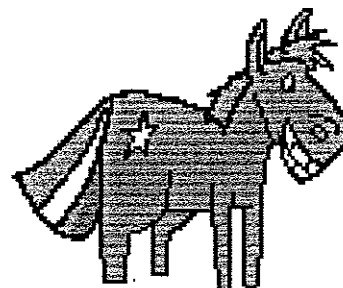
January 26, 2010-Pizza Hut 718 W 7th, Augusta

Meet in the "Party Room" from 6:00-8:00

Business meeting starts at 6:30

Contact Bill or Glenda Reynolds 799-2707

for additional Information.



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PROGRAMS FOR 2009-2010**

Monday, October 5, 2009, 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
"Wildlife in Kansas: Impact of the European Settlements."
Presented by Jim Mason, Naturalist from the Great Plains
Nature Center, Wichita, Kansas

Monday, November 2, 2009, 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
"Caring for Your Family Treasures Now and in the Future."
Presented by Mary Nelson, Special Collections and University
Archives, Wichita State University Libraries

Monday, February 1, 2010, 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
"The Origin and Development of the Gerhard and Catherine
(Wiebe) Regier Farm – 1885-Present" Presented by Daryl
Regier, owner of this Regier Farm, Whitewater

Monday, March 1, 2010, 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
"From Fibers to Fabrics: Clothing for Kansans in the Late
Nineteenth Century." Presented by Rachel Pannabecker,
Director, Kauffman Museum, North Newton

Monday, April 5, 2010, 7:30 P.M. Remington High School
"Home Remedies and Patent Medicines." Presented by Milton
Claassen, M.D., Retired, Walton, KS.

Saturday, May 1, 2010 Historical Guided Trip to Council Grove,
Kansas. Details pending.

Web site for FREDERIC REMINGTON AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY
<http://skyways.lib.ks.us/towns/Brainerd>

NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

The September meeting of the North Butler 4-H Club was held on September 14, 2009. The meeting was called to order by Samantha Claassen, President. Roll call was, "My favorite project is ...", and was answered by 26 members. We had two visitors in attendance. Meghan Nipper led us in singing "The Star Spangled Banner" in memory of Patriot Day. The club had election of officers for the new 4-H year which begins in October. We will be helping with clean-up after Old People's Day in Potwin on September 26th.

The next meeting will be held on October 12, 2009.

Submitted by: Elena Soto

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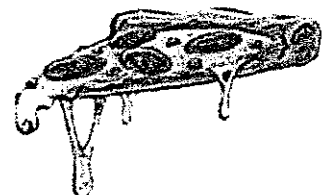
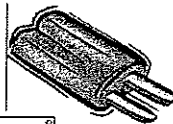
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Wheat State Manor News

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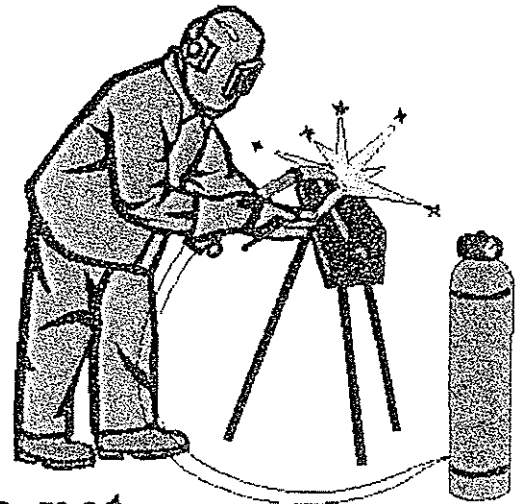
Mr. Ralph Garrison, Interim Administrator, joined us on October 6th to fill the position vacated by Lori Shryock. Mr. Garrison is from the Burlingame area and will be living in Whitewater during the week. We invite you to drop by and meet Ralph.

A big "thank you" to all those bringing quilts to the Fall Festival Quilt Show. They were all beautiful. It was hard to pick a favorite. Thanks to all those that helped set up the displays.

A position is available in the administrative office. Knowledge of Accounts Payable and Payroll is preferred. Stop by the office and apply.

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Schedule

October 17, 2009
December 5, 19, 2009
February 20, 2010

Feb. 6 - No Bingo - Groundhog Feed

November 7, 21, 2009
January 2, 16, 2010
March 6, 20, 2010
April 3, 17, 2010

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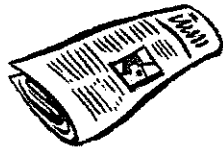
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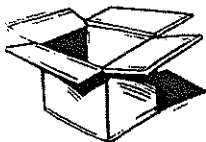
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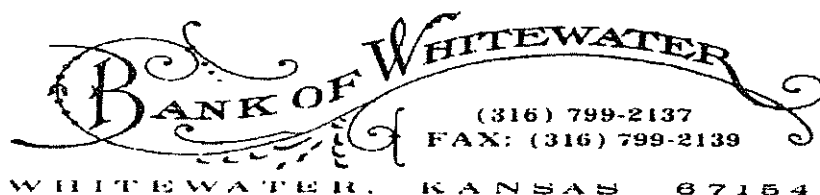
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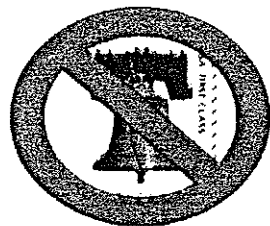
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WHITEWATER, KS 67154

Precision Cuts (located next door to the American Legion Building) is a hair salon for the whole family. Kara specializes in coloring, high-lights, low-lights, perms, cuts, waxing, and shampoo and sets.

Kara Jensen Sweazy has lived in Whitewater nearly all her life. She attended Whitewater Grade School and graduated in 1998 from Berean.

Upon graduation from high school she went to Omaha, Nebraska to attend college. She majored in elementary education, but after two years decided to pursue a different degree. She graduated from Xenon School of Cosmetology of Wichita in the spring of 2001. In July of that year she married Dallas Sweazy. Kara and Dallas have two boys - Taylor 5 and Logan 3. They have made their home in Whitewater.

Stop by and see Kara for all you hair needs or just come by for coffee and a visit! Call for an appointment at 799-2110. Precision Cuts is open

Wednesday afternoon, all day Thursday & Friday
and a half day on Saturday.

Have a Blessed and Thankful Thanksgiving.

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:**
John Burm, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds,
Ken Roth, Kara Zonnefeld

October 26, 2009

Will Johnson, Butler County Administrator was present regarding the proposed 1/4% sales tax that Butler County residents will be voting on in November 2009 (by mail in ballot.) This proposed tax would be used to pay for the change over from broad band to narrow band radio equipment mandated by 2013. This would be for a period of 10 years.

Martin Goedecke presented a bid for street work on Cottonwood Drive in the Whitewater Lakes Addition. The bid from Vogts-Parga Construction was accepted. This project will be done in the spring of 2010.

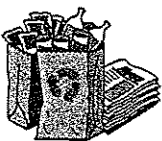
The milling and overlay of East Central and South Main was discussed with Bruce Harris Butler County Commissioner.

Expenditures for October were presented and approved.

Willard Wiebe addressed the council regarding the Whitewater Lakes Addition.

Sidewalks downtown were discussed.

Council was adjourned at 9:00



**Recycling Trailer Schedule
(South Diamond)
November 18, December 2, 16
AFTER 10 A.M.
(1st & 3rd Wed.)**

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WHITEWATER AREA

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Meeting Schedule:

**Nov. 18 at 7 a.m. at
Pizza Place**

**Dec. 16 at noon at
Mom's Cafe**

*Important
DATE!*

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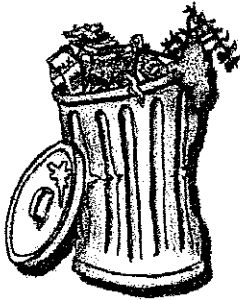
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**Residential refuse
pick up will be
Fri., Nov. 27th
due to the
Thanksgiving
Holiday.**



NORTH BUTLER 4-H CLUB NEWS

The October meeting of the North Butler 4-H Club was held on October 12, 2009. Cole and Brittany Claassen started the meeting off with "The Breakfast Menu of North Butler". This was for the new officers. They are: President Lydia Newby, Vice President Cisco Soto, Secretary Grant Claassen, Treasure Samantha Claassen, Council member, Elise Toevs, Alternate Council member Cole Claassen, Parliamentarian Lydia Newby, Song Leaders Meghan Nipper, Zach Thornberg, Sarah Thornberg, Reporter Elena Soto, Recreation Leaders Thomas Goebel, Mady Tanner, Kyle Goebel, Parent committee Russ & Gail Toevs. The meeting was called to order by Lydia Newby, President. Roll call was, "My name is...", and was answered by 23 members. We had two visitors in attendance. Refreshments were served by Ty & Peggy Henley family, Chris and Amy Motter family, and Kevin and Kim Opat family. The next meeting of the North Butler 4-H club will be November 9th it is the club achievement banquet and it will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Submitted by: Elena Soto

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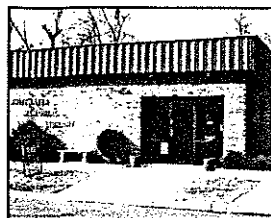
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Member: Martina Bumm



Small Business Spotlight

While the **Whitewater Area Food & Clothing Bank** is not a for-profit business, it is an organization that directly benefits all of us.

The "bank" operates year-round out of the Federated Church and assists area families by providing non-perishable food, diapers and new or gently used coats and clothing.

The Whitewater Chamber of Commerce has now made it very easy to donate to the bank. Currently, donations

may be brought to the following Whitewater locations:

- Bank of Whitewater
- Hometown Express
- Krueger Insurance
- Whitewater Memorial Library

As an added bonus at the library, any patron who donates to the **Whitewater Area Food & Clothing Bank** during the months of *November* and *December* will have their overdue fines forgiven.

For more information, call Sandra Rutschman at 799-2198.

Flavor
of the Month



Autumn Harvest Blend
Coffee

Pumpkin Spice Coffee

Holiday Library Closings

November 26, 2009
Thanksgiving

December 24 - 26, 2009
Christmas

January 1, 2010
New Year's Day

New Media Shelving Installed at the Library

Stop by the library and see the new media shelving purchased in large part by the Friends of the Library.

The double and single-sided shelv-

ing occupies less area but provides more display space.



New shelving was also installed in the Young Adult area.

The "like new" shelving was purchased from the Derby Public Library, which is set for the grand opening of its new facility on Saturday, November 14, 2009.

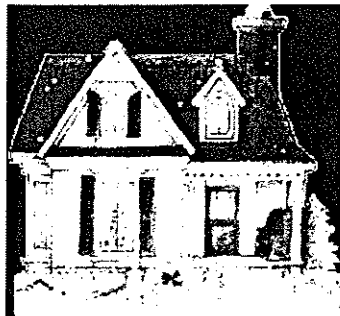
Enjoy a Musical "Hometown Christmas" RHS Students Provide Ambience

Tickets are now on sale for the "Hometown Christmas" holiday home tour sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Thanks to the generosity of the hosts listed below, the following homes will be open for touring on **Sunday, December 6, from 1:30 - 5:30 pm:**

- ♦ Bill & Nancy Benefiel
- ♦ John & Martina Bumm
- ♦ Rick & Chris McNary
- ♦ Perry & Sandy Owen
- ♦ Kevin & Liz Vogel

The Remington Singers, led by Kathleen Pool, will add to the festiveness of this year's tour by serenading tour



goers with holiday music.

Tickets cost just \$10 and are available now at the library or from any Friends of the Library board member.

Tickets may also be purchased at the library on Sunday, December 6.

Be sure to experience Vivian Smith's **nativity collection** at the library while enjoying delicious **refreshments** served by the Friends of the Library.

The proceeds from the holiday home tour benefit the library directly.

The Friends of the Library is a 501c3 organization that

provides support to the library in a variety of ways, including purchasing items not included in the library's general budget.

Save the Date!

Monday, November 23

Story Time

Thursday, November 26

Happy Thanksgiving!
Library Closed

Sunday, December 6

"Hometown Christmas"
Holiday Home Tour

Monday, December 14

Story Time

**Thursday - Saturday
December 24 - 26**

Merry Christmas!
Library Closed

Friday, January 1, 2010

Happy New Year!
Library Closed

Nativities Open Holiday Season at the Library

Do you remember the expansive Christmas stocking collection displayed at the library during the holidays last year?

Vivian Smith from Furley shared those stockings with us and

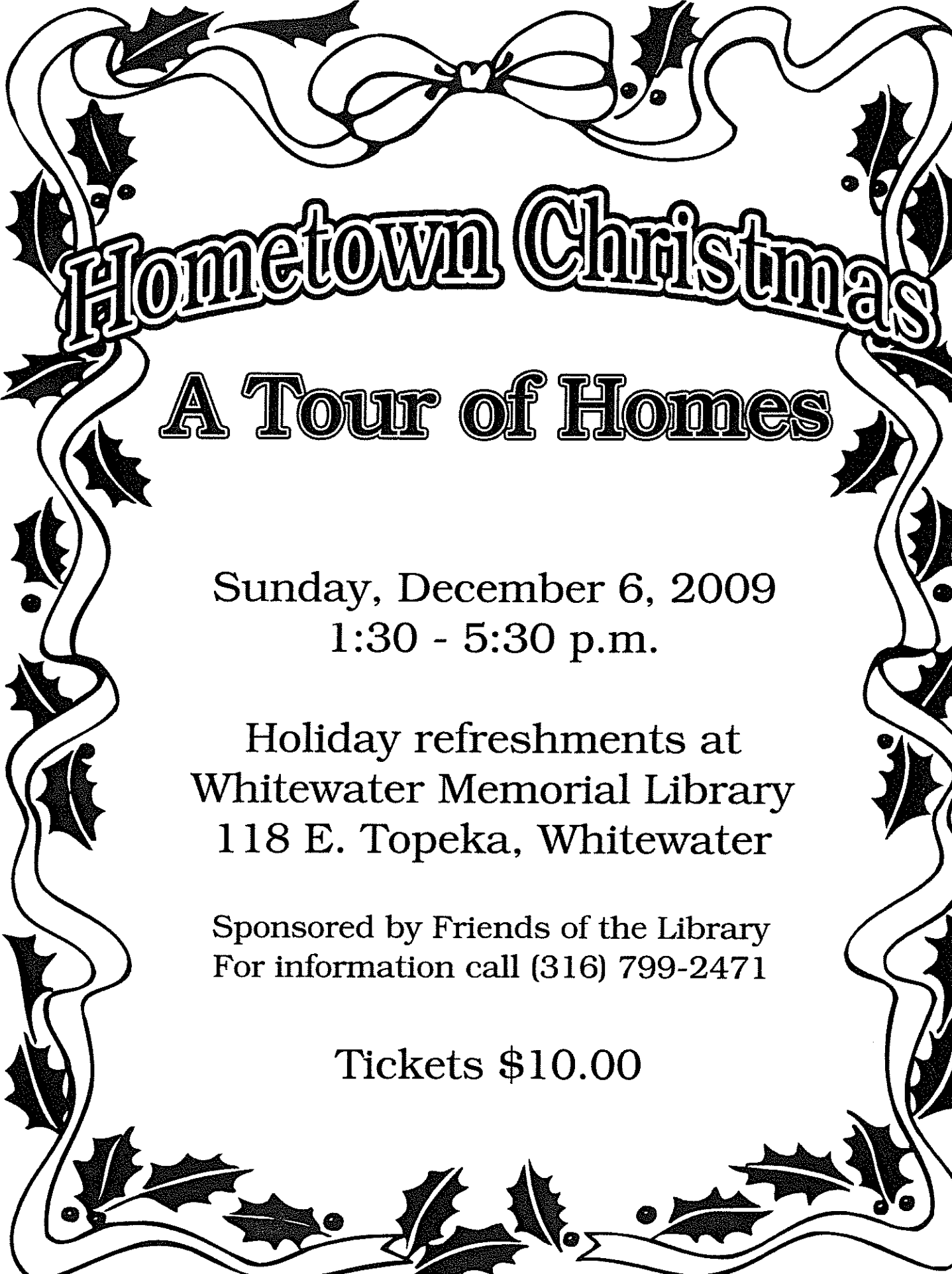
is ready to "wow" us again this holiday season with a portion of her nativity collection.



Vivian began collecting Christmas items 20+ years ago and says, "Christmas is

my thing!" Her nativities come in all shapes, sizes and materials. There is something for everyone.

See them at the library beginning Monday, November 30, 2009.



Hometown Christmas

A Tour of Homes

Sunday, December 6, 2009

1:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Holiday refreshments at
Whitewater Memorial Library
118 E. Topeka, Whitewater

Sponsored by Friends of the Library
For information call (316) 799-2471

Tickets \$10.00

WHITEWATER KANSAS

A LITTLE TOWN WITH
A BIG HEART

“We Care” Campaign

In partnership with the Federated Church the Whitewater Area Chamber of Commerce is seeking to assist local families who may find themselves in need this Holiday Season. We are asking for your help in collecting food and clothing donations to provide for this ever-increasing need. Donations will be accepted at the locations below during regular business hours.

Drop-Off Locations:

- Bank of Whitewater
- Hometown Express
- Krueger Insurance Management
- Whitewater Memorial Library

Items Accepted

- Non-Perishable Food Items
- Coats
- Clothing Items
- Diapers

Whitewater Area Food & Clothing Bank



Your generosity is greatly appreciated in this time of increasing need!

If you or someone you know might benefit from this service, please contact:

- Darryl Claassen (316) 799-2782
- Joel Ensz (316) 799-2750
- Sandra Rutschman (316) 799-2198

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FOR THE**

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Furley Coop not responsible for injury or lost/stolen items.

Federated Church Annual Christmas Eve

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Candle-Light service

Thursday, December 24 at 11pm

ushering in Christmas Day

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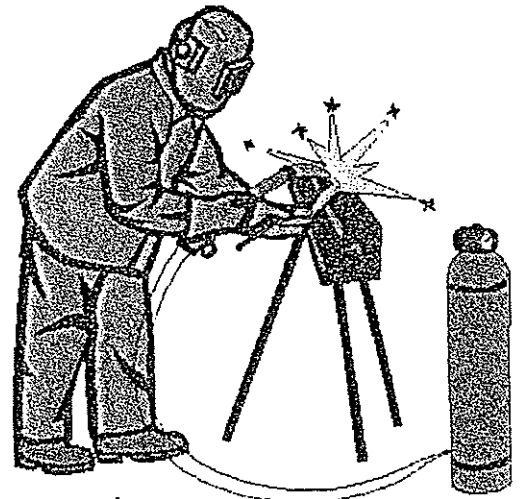
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Alexander Carr
Ellie Entz
Kylee Schunn

7TH GRADE:

6TH GRADE:

Blaine Cody
William Graham
Bethany Jenkins
Hayley Nelms
Abby Tyson

5TH GRADE:

Braden Allmond
Coleton Crisp
Ty Hendrix
Mikayla Hill
Kelcey Hinz
Kevin McKaughan
Kenton Rocheford
Jon Ross
Baylee Tice
Judson Tillotson

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

8TH GRADE:

Rachelle Claassen
Deanna Ingalsbe
Austin Miller
Audrey Orr
Kiplee Richards
Cody Shinkle
Rachelle Thiessen
Zach Thornburg
Heather Wilson

7TH GRADE:

Austin Entz
Justin Entz
Brogan Gillmore
Dakotah Gillmore
Caleb Snider
Kristyn Wedel
Casey Westerfield

6TH GRADE:

Carine Claassen
Morgan Claassen
Joel Eck
Jasmine Ingalsbe
Billie Orr
Declan Reeves
Yiselda Rivera
Hannah Thornburg

5TH GRADE:

Chase Beckner
Todd Ensz
Ana Harms
Brandon Kirby
Horacio Martinez
Casey Shinkle
Jarrett Sommers

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

8TH GRADE:

David Dellinger
Emma Hilgenfeld
Hunter Hill
Alyssa Hinz
Madison Janzen
Myrella Lopez
Kaitlyn Nash
Julianna Soto

7TH GRADE:

Alex Curless
Kadie Martin
Josiah Wright

6TH GRADE:

Kyle Burns
Micah Carey
Catherine Graham
Ashley Jost
Preston Meeks
Blake Thunberg
Mack Tribble
Summer Wise
Mark Wright

5TH GRADE:

Natalie De La Rosa
Devin Hendricks
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Community Thanksgiving Service at the Manor: Tuesday, November 24th at 7:00 P.M. Every one is invited

Residents' Christmas Party: Monday, December 21st at 7:00 P.M. Come share the holidays with the residents

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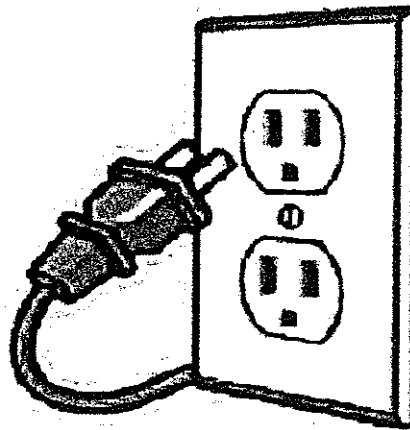
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**With the effort of club members, community volunteers,
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it a great celebration, the festival brought the
community together for another year of fun.**

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WHITEWATER FALL FESTIVAL COMMITTEE**

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Whitewater Community Newsletter December, 2009

PROVIDENCE PROJECT

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Providence Project's products include CalcuLadder math drills, as well as materials in penmanship, language arts, and Bible. For more information, visit SchoolMadeSimple.com

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Mayor: Patrick Ryan, **Council Members:** John Bumm, Danny Ravenscraft, Bill Reynolds, Ken Roth, Kara Zonnefeld

November 23, 2009

The council discussed the illegal j-turns being made on Main Street as well as other traffic issues. Officer Baker was asked about tickets for these and other infractions.

A request was made to look into the cost involved in replacing one of the water pumps. The possibility of trading in the old pump or getting it rebuilt will also be looked into.

The Animal Control Report, Court Docket and Expenditures were presented.

The selection of the official City Newspaper - The ElDorado Times, and Bank for City - Bank of Whitewater was approved.

Employee Reviews were conducted.

The council adjourned at 8:29.

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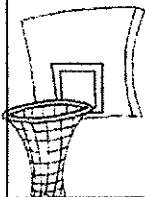
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KSU 106

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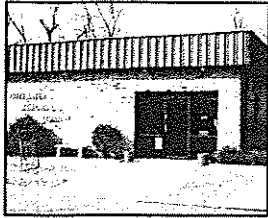
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Christmas Gifts - Shop Locally!

Let's create our own community economic stimulus package this Christmas - shop locally!

All kinds of gifts and gift certificates are available in town.

Bright blue, heavy-

weight, nylon book bags are just \$8 at the library. Obviously, they are great for books but they are also strong enough for groceries.

Buy more than one and we'll deal!

Winter/Spring Story Time

Miss Julie invites all children age three - Pre-K to the winter / spring session of Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Story Time.

All sessions take place at the library on designated Mondays at 10:00 am (or after the siren stops!)

January 11 & 25
I & J / K & L

February 8
M / N & O

March 8 & 29
P & Q / R & S

April 12 & 26
T & U / V, W, X, Y, Z

Flavor
of the Month



Sweet Raspberry Black
Tea

Wild Blueberry Coffee

Jane Austen
Fans:
Stay Tuned!

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Nativities Impress Viewers

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Small Business Spotlight

M O N A · V I E

In 2008, Jeff and Jeni Klaassen were introduced by a nurse / friend to a company that markets products that promote overall good health. That company, **Mona Vie**, is the focus of the December Small Business Spotlight.

Mona Vie is a company that has formulated several wellness products from a variety of fruits backed by extensive science. The 19 different fruits* were scientifically selected because of their known benefits and spectrum of pigmentation, antioxidants, and phytochemicals.

Active is the product that includes plant-derived glucosamine for joint health. Another, called **Pulse**, includes resveratrol and, if taken as directed, will lower your cholesterol level.

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and are safe for people of all ages.

A growing body of research shows that fruits and vegetables are critical to promoting good health. According to the CDC (Centers for Disease Control), eating a diet rich in fruits and vegetables every day will promote good health and may help reduce the risk of stroke, heart disease, arthritis, high blood pressure, diabetes, and many cancers.

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It takes just four ounces per day of Mona Vie juices to get the antioxidant equivalent of 10-

13 servings of fruits and vegetables.

Each of the Klaassen families listed here live with their families in Whitewater and

have personally experienced significant health improvement drinking **Mona Vie** juices. Some of these include migraine relief, reduced swelling, asthma relief, increased joint mobility, lower cholesterol and immune system improvement.

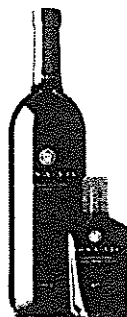
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Mona Vie offers financial opportunities in addition to the health benefits of its juices. If you are interested in learning more, please call any of us listed below. We will be happy to answer questions and share the fantastic results our family members have experienced by using these products.

Calvin & Joann Klaassen:
316-799-2744

Jeff & Jeni Klaassen:
316-799-2702

Jason & Kiley Barnes:
316-799-1205



*Açaí, white grape, apple, acerola, aro-nia, purple grape, cranberry, passion fruit, prune, kiwi, blueberry, bilberry, wolfberry, pomegranate, lychee fruit, camu camu, pear, banana, and cupuaçu

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Schedule

December 19, 2009
February 20, 2010 (Feb. 6 - No Bingo -
Groundhog Feed)

January 2, 16, 2010
March 6, 20, 2010
April 3, 17, 2010

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WHITEWATER KANSAS

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“We Care” Campaign

In partnership with the Federated Church the Whitewater Area Chamber of Commerce is seeking to assist local families who may find themselves in need this Holiday Season. We are asking for your help in collecting food and clothing donations to provide for this ever-increasing need. Donations will be accepted at the locations below during regular business hours.

Drop-Off Locations:

- Bank of Whitewater
- Hometown Express
- Krueger Insurance Management
- Whitewater Memorial Library

Items Accepted

- Non-Perishable Food Items
- Coats
- Clothing Items
- Diapers

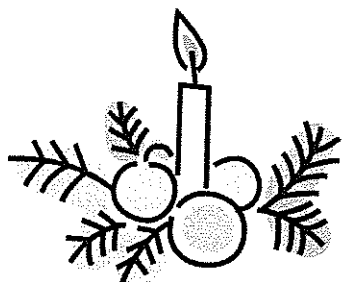
Whitewater Area Food & Clothing Bank



Your generosity is greatly appreciated in this time of increasing need!

If you or someone you know might benefit from this service, please contact:

- Darryl Claassen (316) 799-2782
- Joel Ensz (316) 799-2750
- Sandra Rutschman (316) 799-2198



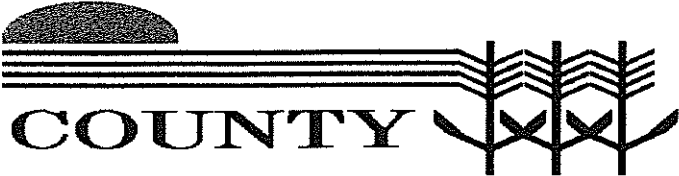
Wheat State Manor Celebrates Christmas

The residents of Wheat State Manor will be celebrating Monday evening, December 21st, with a special party for friends and family. The biggest event of the year will include Christmas Carols, gifts, refreshments and a visit from Santa and Mrs. Claus. (If you have never seen Mrs. Claus, she is very pretty)

Interim Administrator, Ralph Garrison, collapsed on December 7th at the Manor and was pronounced dead at the Newton hospital. Mr. Garrison stepped in to the position here at WSM on October 7th and desired to continue here until a permanent administrator was named. During his stay, he became a friend to the residents and a help to the staff and board. He saw several areas where improvements were needed and suggested ways that this could be accomplished.

The board is currently interviewing several interested persons for the interim administrator position and for the permanent position. We covet your prayers during this transition period.

*Wishing Everyone a Very Merry
Christmas and Happy New Year!*



BUTLER COUNTY

FROM:

Will Johnson

County Administrator (322-4327)

For Immediate Release:

December 10, 2009

Butler County Tax Statement

El Dorado, KS—Butler County residents have asked for information regarding the recent tax increases by the State, County, College, USD 490 and El Dorado. County residents received tax statements indicating increases for the above entities.

“The increase shown on the statements is the result of a pending state tax exemption on improvements at the El Dorado Frontier Refinery, said Will Johnson, Butler County Administrator. “The statements do not reflect the actual budgets adopted by the entities as a result of the pending exemption.”

Tax statements mailed in November did not reflect the actual tax increases, which were less than one percent by the taxing entities.

The complexity of this issue is the result of contradicting statutes in the budgetary process for local governments. When local governments develop their budgets they are allowed by the State to adjust their estimated assessed valuation for pending exemptions when calculating their budget, allowing them to accurately project future revenues.

However, when the County Clerk certifies budgets and assessed valuations to the State, the Clerk is required to include these pending exemptions in the certification. When large exemptions are pending and not yet approved by the State this inflates the estimated revenues collected by the taxing entity on the tax statement while the mill levies are accurately published. The situation is unique to Butler County where the pending exemption to the refinery is large compared to the overall valuation of the County and other taxing entities.

The following summary shows the actual estimated revenue that will be collected for 2009 and 2010:

	2009	2010	Percent Change
County	\$21,230,979	\$21,405,509	0.8%
College	\$10,564,812	\$10,663,328	0.9%
USD 490	\$7,634,795	\$7,663,299	0.4%
El Dorado Township	\$1,304,741	\$1,255,277	-3.8%

Mr. Johnson went on to further state, “All of these entities went through a tough budget process in order to produce a flat budget during this economic downturn, and while the tax statements are technically correct by state standards they do not reflect the true intentions of the taxing entities. In the future, the County will be more proactive in educating citizens about these issues.” Should residents of Butler County have questions concerning their tax statements they are encouraged to contact the Butler County Treasurer’s Office (316-322-4210) or the Butler County Clerk’s Office (316-322-4239)



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Federated Church Annual Christmas Eve

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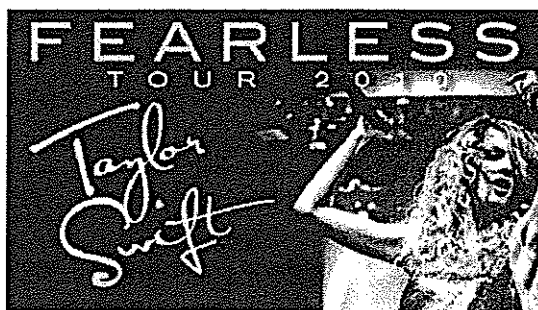
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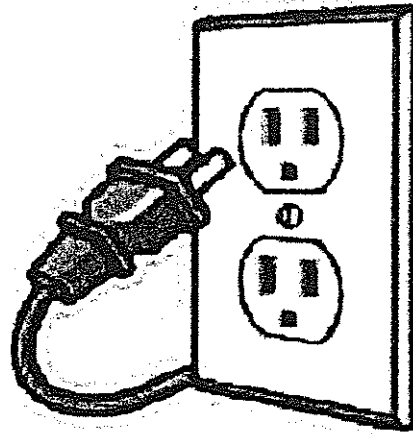
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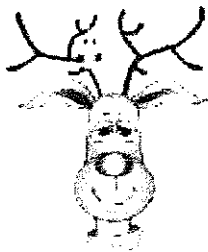
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HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!!!!!

Wellness Products Available in Whitewater

Almost Everyone Needs to Eat More Fruits and Vegetables

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Claassen Chiropractic

NOTICE: There will be some changes coming soon to Claassen Chiropractic. We will most likely be changing locations', however, the new location has yet to be determined. I intend to continue offering chiropractic services to the Whitewater area and to my many loyal patients. It may be with more limited availability, but details are still undetermined. I would encourage you to call and set up appointments by phone, rather than walk in. Look for more information in next months newsletter.

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Salvation Army Angel Tree Toy Drive

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Questions? Please call us at (316) 799-2137.



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