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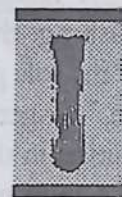
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Patti Shafer AUGUST CITIZEN of the MONTH



It has been said, "Home is where the heart is." Patti Shafer's heart is in the community. When Patti first arrived in Butte Falls, she asked herself, "Where do small children play?"

Following her heart, Patti made Butte Falls her home. She never gave up on the idea of a children's playground, either. "Thanks to a lot of folks, that dream became a reality this summer," says Patti.

Patti Shafer describes herself as "wife of Dan, friend to all." She is the mother of four. Her youngest is Kristen, age 2.

Perhaps no one loves children more than Patti. She proved this best by proposing a "safe" place for children to play. Patti carries that hope and dream that Butte Falls will always remain a safe and happy place for families

to raise their children.

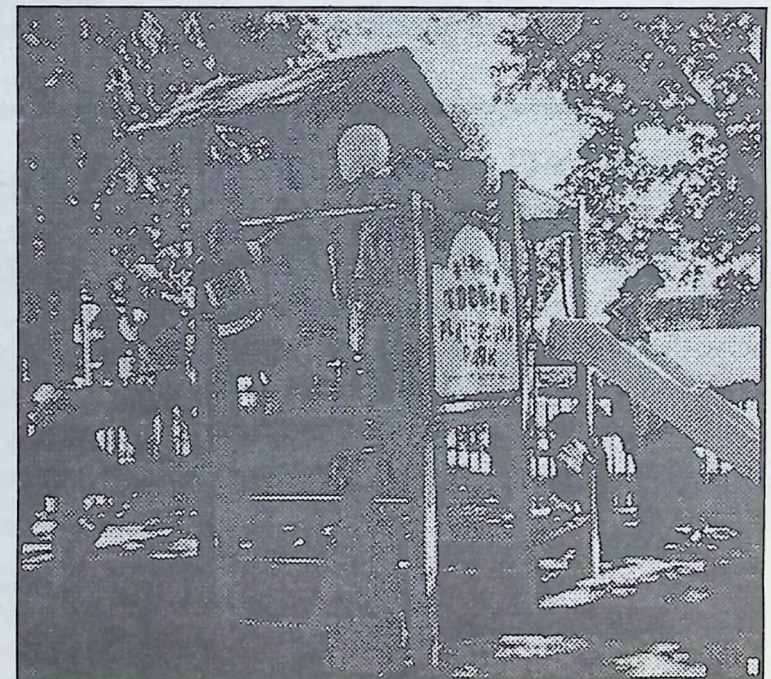
"One of my favorite things is going to school every year and teaching children what to do in case of fire, according to Patti. "The kids are great!" Neighbor and friend added, "Patti is a wonderful and caring person."

Patti's concerns about basic survival needs are motivating factors for her involvement in the community. Both Patti and her husband, Dan, have been active volunteers with the Butte Falls Fire Department and Ambulance.

When the need arises, Patti can be depended on to help. Whether it's a child who needs clothes or child care for a single parent mom, at no charge. Patti's thrifty and generous spirit has helped enrich the community. She has helped with lots of fund-raisers.

Besides her many hours of volunteer work, Patti worked at Willow Lake for six years and currently is an assistant cook at the Butte Falls School for the past three years.

Patti has put her heart in Butte Falls. "This is why I love small towns - because friends are always there when you need them."



Welcome to Butte Falls' new
Little Tucker Toddlers Playground.

Each month, **THE BULLETIN** is proud to profile contributions made by individuals in the community. We are grateful for our many fine community volunteers and for their continued contributions of time, skills and commitment to the Town of Butte Falls. If you have a nomination for such recognition please contact City Hall.