

Girls State winners announced

Marilyn Warren and Carol Holtz have been selected representatives of Ione High School at Girls State, Willamette University, June 9-14, in Salem.

Cindi Martin was selected an alternate representative to the governmental seminar.

They are chosen and sponsored annually by the Ione American Legion Auxiliary. Selection is on qualities in leadership, character and honesty, physical fitness, scholarship and co-operativeness. The applicants were asked to write a short paper stating their reasons for wanting to attend the mock legislature.

Marilyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Warren, and is a life-long resident of Ione. She has been involved in GAA sports during her high school career and has been on

the girls teams for basketball, volleyball and tennis. She is sharing the honor of being head of sports for GAA with her co-representative, Carol.

Marilyn also works on the annual staff at school. Outside of school she is a member of Luther League and is a member of the Valby Lutheran Church. Bike riding, leathercraft and being "accident-prone" are just some of her hobbies. She plans to attend college but is undecided as to where she will further her schooling.

Carol has also been active in GAA sports at Ione High School, and participates in many school activities. Besides playing on the girls sports teams she is a member of chorus and band, the annual staff and pep band. Outside of school she is an 8-year 4-H

member in knitting and serves as counselor-at-large at the Ione United Church of Christ. She spends her leisure time playing tennis, skiing and horseback riding. Future

plans for Carol include studying cosmetology at a beauty school in Pendleton. She is the daughter of Mary Holtz.

Cindi is also active in sports at Ione, but fills her school

time with a variety of activities ranging from work on the school staff to GAA and chorus. Cindi is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Martin of Ione.



MARILYN WARREN



CAROL HOLTZ

DONNA WAIBEL HOSTS SORORITY

Donna Waibel was hostess for the April 9 meeting of Beta Omega chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha.

The business meeting was followed by a discussion of the changing needs of women in today's society. Karen Beck and June Lindstrom led the discussion.

The Ione Garden Club will hold its annual plant sale April 23 in the Legion Hall, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Pie and coffee will be sold.

SPECIAL MOVIE AT SCHOOL CAFETERIUM

The freshman class of Ione High School is sponsoring a movie, "Summer Tree," starring Michael Douglas and Brenda Vaccaro, April 19, 7:30 p.m., in the cafeteria. Two cartoons will also be shown. Concessions will be sold by the class.

Admission is \$1 for adults and high school students, 50 cents for Junior high and grade school students and 25 cents for pre-schoolers.

Garden club conducts tour

Eight members of the Ione Garden Club braved 50-mile winds to make the tour of the District Native Flora Preservation project in north Morrow County, where the Old Oregon Trail intersects the Bombing Range Road.

Leaders of the tour were Mrs. Fred Martin and Mrs. Van Hubbard.

The tour ended at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Palmer. They were joined by Mrs. Royal Cambers, Blue Mountain No. 10 District director, and Mrs. Don Fonda, district publicity chairman.

Mrs. Edith Nicholson was surprised with a birthday cake, which had been prepared by Mrs. Lee Pettyjohn, and birthday cards from Garden Club members.

Officers elected were: Mrs. Lee Pettyjohn, president; Mrs. Gar Swanson, vice-president; Mrs. Van Hubbard, secretary; and Mrs. Wilma Martin, treasurer.

Prairie City Garden Club will host the spring district meeting on April 20.

The May meeting program, "Growing Tomatoes," will be held at the home of Mrs. Cecil Jones.

Plans were finalized for the annual plant sale to be held April 23 at the Legion Hall, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

WAC'S WINTER CARD PARTIES END

Mrs. Donald Baker was hostess for the meeting of the Women's Activity Committee of Greenfield Grange Wednesday, starting with luncheon at 12:30 p.m.

Mrs. Rollin Bishop was a guest.

The last card party of the winter series held every Tuesday will be held April 16 and prizes will be given out April 23. Parties will be continued each week, but no hot food will be served at noon. Those coming are to bring a sack lunch.

Hostesses for the next four weeks are as follows: April 16, Mrs. Walter Hayes; April 23, Mrs. Rollin Bishop; April 30, Mrs. Hazel Carpenter; May 7, Mrs. Baker.

The next meeting will be May 8 at Greenfield Grange hall, starting with luncheon at 12:30 p.m., with Mrs. Frank Marlow as hostess.

Honor roll for Ione

The honor roll for the third nine-week period for Ione schools was recently announced by Principal John Edmundson.

The honor roll is divided into two classifications, the A honor roll and the B. The A roll is for students with a grade point average of 3.5 and above. The B roll consists of students with grade point averages between 3.0 and 3.5.

A Honor Roll

Grade 12: Kay Bergstrom, Doris McCabe, Cheryl Ployhar, and Donna Wilson.

Grade 11: Barbara Palmer and Sherri Wilson.

Grade 10: Catherine McElligott and Terry McElligott.

Grade 9: Vicki Edmundson.

Grade 8: Kristi Edmundson, Grace McElligott, Jeanie Piening, and Natalie Tews.

Ione Garden Club plans plant sale

The Ione Garden Club is preparing for its annual spring plant sale on April 23 at the Legion Hall.

The multiple purpose of the sale is not only to raise money, but to share excess plants with other members of the community and to guide newer gardeners as to when, where and how to plant them. Plants not sold are distributed to school children, and they are encouraged to use them for entries at the fair and flower show.

The garden club was organized in 1949. It has been a member of the Oregon State Federation of Garden Clubs from its start.

Edith Nicholson is one of the 11 charter members. Fannie Griffith and Vida Heliker both missed charter membership by only a few weeks. Helen Martin has been a member since 1952. All have been active members during these last 24 years.

The first project of the club was renewal of the Ione city park. It took seven years to

complete this project. It involved removal of 12 trees, building a tool shed, planting iris and painting park benches. Members kept the park watered until the city took over maintenance in 1957.

In 1961 and 1962 more than 100 old trees were removed from the streets of Ione. The Garden Club, realizing the need for shade, windbreaks, and city beautification, launched a project to replace the trees. A grant of \$240 from Sears, Roebuck & Company plus backing from Willows Grange, Ione Lions Club and the City of Ione, made it possible for the Garden Club to plant 14 varieties, totaling 105 trees, along the city streets. Each year the Garden Club has a pruning day to keep the trees in good health.

In 1962, the Richfield Award was granted to the Garden Club for landscaping around the United Church of Christ Education Building. The club also does all the necessary pruning on these shrubs.

The club presents a flower show each year and sponsors a booth at the Morrow County Fair.

An established custom in Ione is the Twelfth Night Burning of the Green after the Christmas season. The club sponsors this event which ends with the serving of cupcakes to those who attend.

Each year a contest is held for the school children which features posters, essays and poems on some topic related to the work of the Garden Club. The winners are awarded prizes in each of the divisions.

In 1971 a campaign was launched to alert the public to the obnoxious puncture vine weed. Members aided by pulling out plants in different areas, placing posters in business houses, and devoting their booth at the county fair to this topic.

The club has also been active in conducting anti-litter campaigns in the community. They placed attractively painted litter barrels on school grounds and awarded prizes for ideas on how best to curb the litter problem.

The club is now engaged in a project to preserve the native flora of the area. It is working on a site along the Old Oregon Trail where it intersects Bombing Range Road. They have catalogued all the species of plant life found there, recorded their blooming season, photographed their blooms, and also their seed pods.

The club has a current membership of 23. They are led by Mrs. Pat Pettyjohn, president; Mrs. Gar Swanson, vice-president; Mrs. Van Hubbard, secretary; and Mrs. Wilma Martin, treasurer.



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Sunday, April 21

7 a.m. to 9 a.m.

At the Club House

Family Kick-off Breakfast

Ham--Eggs--Hot Cakes--Coffee

\$1.75

MENS SUNDAY MORNING PLAY-
FIRST OUTING OF SEASON
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Women's Tee off at 10 a.m.

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Dance at 10 p.m.

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