

Celebrate 25th Wedding Anniversary



Shown above are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gruver opening some of their wedding gifts at their 25th wedding anniversary party recently at the Gates Community Hall. Mr. Gruver is on Santiam High teaching staff and Mrs. Gruver is a Registered Nurse at Santiam Memorial Hospital in Stayton.

Gruvers Honored on 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gruver were honored on Saturday evening, April 29, at the Gates Clubhouse at a Silver Wedding Anniversary party hosted by their children. Their daughter, Louise, is a sophomore at OCE

and was home for the occasion, and their two sons, Richard and Douglas, who both attend Santiam High School.

The hall was decorated in silver and pink and the anniversary cake was baked and decorated by their daughter.

Many friends and relatives from Portland and other communities, as well as the local area, were on hand to congratulate the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Gruver were married in Portland on May 2, 1947.

Mother's Tea Held At Gates School

A large group of mothers, relatives and friends attended the annual Mother's Tea held Friday afternoon at the Gates Primary school.

Tables were attractively decorated in the spring theme and work done by the students was placed about the walls.

Mrs. Gwen Schaefer, who is retiring this year, was presented a plant by Vern Peterman. Mrs. Schaefer has been in the teaching profession for 33 years.

Several songs were sung by the first and second grades and the third grade. A tap dance and song, 'Old Straw Hat', was presented by Lisa Syverson, a first grader.

For Mother's Day, Mill City Pharmacy has it.

Community Calendar of Events

Thursday, May 11—

IOOF Lodge #144 meets at Lodge Hall at 8 p. m.

Mill City Jayceettes will meet at the home of Mrs. Dale Edwards at 7:30 p. m.

Santiam Canyon Home Extension meets at the Gates Clubhouse at 10 a. m.

Santiam High School Girl's Style Show at 7:30 in the Auditorium.

FOE #3384 Aerie and Auxiliary meetings at 8 p. m. at the Lodge.

Monday, May 15—

Lions Club dinner meeting at 6:30 p. m. at the Frontier Inn. Jack Sumner will speak.

Women's volleyball 7 to 9 p. m. at the grade school gym.

American Legion meeting at 15 Parkside Drive at 8 p. m.

AF&AM #180 meets at the IOOF hall at 8 p. m.

Tuesday, May 16—

Mill City Woman's club meets at Fellowship hall for potluck at 6:30 p. m.

Wednesday, May 17—

Santiam Rebekah Lodge meets at Lodge Hall at 8 p. m.

Newcomer's Club potluck dinner at the Gates Clubhouse at 6 p. m.

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Garden Club Plans Luncheon in June

The Mill City Garden club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. O. K. DeWitt with Mrs. Clyde Phillips, Mrs. Marie Tolbert and Mrs. Elizabeth Cyr as co-hostesses. A complete luncheon was served with the last half of the membership furnishing the food. Cost of the luncheon was \$1.25 per person.

Mrs. Ervin Peterson presided at the meeting. The group voted to serve a complete luncheon again at the June meeting with the first half of the membership furnishing the food. The cost will be \$1.25 and the luncheon will be served at 12 noon instead of the usual 12:30.

A plant exchange was held and a contest on naming the plants. Mrs. Walter Thomas, Sr., received the prize for being able to name the most plants. A number was placed on each plant with the members each drawing a number and receiving the plant with the matching number.

The June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jennie Cauble with Mrs. Al Yankus as co-hostess.

Attending Thursdays meeting were Mrs. Else Allen, Mrs. Jennie Cauble, Mrs. Kenneth Corning, Mrs. Elizabeth Cyr, Mrs. Larry Doble, Mrs. Lloyd Girod, Mrs. O. K. DeWitt, Mrs. Martin Hansen, Mrs. Wendell Heller, Mrs. Molly Larson, Mrs. Erv. Peterson, Mrs. Clyde Phillips, Mrs. Mel Rambo, Mrs. Walter Thomas, Sr., Mrs. Marie Tolbert, Mrs. Faye Verbeck, and Mrs. Al Yankus.

Rainbow Girls To Help With Cancer Drive

The 1972 American Cancer Society Crusade will get underway in Mill City this weekend when the Rainbow Girls conduct the house-to-house campaign and distribute informational material. Between that time and the end of May, the local American Cancer Society committee will be calling on local businesses and organizations in the community for contributions.

With more money from the government going into research, new scientists are expected to be attracted and applications for grants will increase. For this reason the American Cancer Society will be called upon to raise more money for funding these new applications. As new developments in chemotherapy, radiation, and surgery put additional types of cancer on the curable list, and thousands of patients are saved, overwhelming need for rehabilitation, informational and educational programs will exist. The Society offers these services, a great majority of which are through volunteer service aimed at wanting to Wipe Out Cancer in Your Lifetime.

Marilee Lyness To Head Eastern Star For Next Term

Marilee Chapter No. 145 held the May meeting Monday evening at the IOOF hall with several out of town visitors attending.

Mother's Day was observed with a short program given by Suzy Wilson, who sang two solos accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Birdie Wilson and Patty McClintock, who gave a Mother's Day reading. Both girls are members of Marilyn Assembly Order of Rainbow for girls.

Mrs. Wilson Stevens received a gift for being the oldest Past Worthy Matron in Chapter years, serving the chapter in 1943 and again in 1961-62. Mrs. Verne Clark was the oldest chapter member present, affiliating in 1941 and Mrs. Danny Moore the newest member, by dual membership just before the presentations. Both were presented gifts. Each one present received a Mother's Day pin and each lady a handkerchief.

A number of members were reported ill and several were reported as having deaths in their families.

A special meeting will be held Monday evening, May 22 at 8 p. m. for the purpose of conferring the degrees on four candidates.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Moore, Sr., were welcomed into the chapter by dual membership.

One petition was read for conferring of degrees.

Election of officers for the ensuing year was held with Mrs. William Lyness, Worthy Matron; William Lyness, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Donald Carlson, Associate Matron; Donald Carlson, Associate Patron; Mrs. Lowell Cree, Secretary; Ervin Peterson, Treasurer; Mrs. Murry Moore, Conductress, and Mrs. William McClintock, As-

Fishers Return from Trip to East Coast

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fisher returned last week from a four-week trip in Iowa and on to the East Coast. They flew to Des Moines where they stayed with the Larry Burdens, longtime friends of Mr. Fisher. The Burdens are both professors at Drake University. From Iowa they went on to Virginia Beach, Va., where they visited a week at the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Voorhies.

With the Voorhies they drove to Washington, D. C. with stops at Williamsburg and Jamestown. They spent three days there with friends, the Jess Eberdts. Mrs. Fisher said the highlight of their trip was visiting the Smithsonian Institute which was outstanding.

From D. C. they flew to Montreal and then took the Canadian train to Vancouver. Their last stop was Seattle to visit friends enroute home.

Conductress.

Mrs. Clarice Rossner, Grand Chaplain of the Grand Chapter of Oregon spoke briefly and made the announcement that Mrs. Lowell Cree, the present Worthy Matron had been selected by Mrs. Mary Ristola, Associate Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Oregon, to serve on the Estar! Committee for 1972-73. Mrs. Cree will represent District 14 which includes Falls City, Dallas, Independence, Stayton, Mill City and the five Salem chapters.

Mrs. Cree's appointment is the sixth committee member since the chapter was organized 50 years ago. She will represent Marilyn Chapter at Grand Chapter in Portland, June 19, 20, and 21.

Mrs. Ethel McNeil, Worthy Matron of Junction City Chapter spoke briefly as did Howard Nichols, Worthy Patron of Salem Chapter. Mrs. Floyd Hastay, Worthy Matron of Salem chapter was also present.

Following the meeting refreshments were served in the dining room by Mrs. Murry Moore, Mrs. Merle Garton and Mrs. Jack Gulliford.

Mrs. Charlie French and Mrs. Clyde Phillips decorated the chapter room with baskets of rhododendrons.

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