



BICENTENNIAL DRESS-UP DAY AT Nyssa High School last week brought out many colorful costumes of past years, including these worn by Evelyn Wienke, left, and Marge Hust.

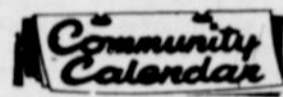
Youngsters Receive Letter From President Ford

The kindergarten class of Mrs. Mark Moncur, is participating in the Bicentennial program. In commemoration of America's 200th birthday, a giant birthday card was sent to the Kindergarten through the Weekly Reader. The children and Mrs. Moncur signed the card and sent it to the president of the United States. In return, the class received a thank you letter from President Ford that reads as follows:

"I warmly commend all who participated in plans for the celebration of our National Bicentennial. Your efforts are symbolic of your deep sense of patriotism and civic pride. They also reflect the vitality and spirit of America. I wholeheartedly welcome your commitment to help make our Nation's two-hundredth birthday a fitting and memorable occasion for all of us." Signed Gerald R. Ford.

The class plans to participate in the "Johnny Horizon" program "Plant a Freedom Tree for America. A gift that keeps on living." Mrs. Moncur feels that the children might best remem-

ber this once-in-a-life-time event if they truly share in the celebration.



Friday, March 19 - Men's Bowling Association Annual Meeting, Eagles Hall 8 p.m.

TV Rock and Gem Club, Christian Church Basement, South 5th Street, Nyssa. Visitors Welcome, 8 p.m. Job's Daughters Bowling Party, 8 p.m.

Monday, March 22 - Hospital Auxiliary, Malheur Memorial Hospital, 2 p.m.

Tuesday, March 23 - Yellow Rose Rebekah Lodge Chapter #202, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, March 24 - Senior Citizens, Clubhouse on Bower, Potluck, 10:30 a.m.

Job's Daughters-Joint meeting Bethel #25 and Bethel #33 at Ontario, 7:30 p.m. A potluck in the Masonic Hall preceding the meeting. Official visit of the Grand Guardian and Associate Grand Guardian.

ACTIVITIES

Spoons & Spools

Spoons & Spools 4-H Club practiced modeling. On March 12, we had each girl show how to model. Then the ones that did not have their projects done, worked on them.

Our leader Eddy Thiel should be back, next Friday, so Roberta Percy was still the leader. Her help Friday was her mother, Agnes Percy from Parma.

Everyone really enjoyed modeling, in front of the girls that judged.

Vonda Glenn, reporter

4-H Busy Bees

Mrs. Sisson's Busy Bees met for a meeting on March 4. We made coffee cake, and while that was baking we sewed on our projects. When the coffee cake came out of the oven, everyone had a piece. All agreed it was delicious.

On Saturday, March 13, we were invited to help in a country-wide 4-H sewing project at TVCC for Mary Kay School students. Some of our group made Bunny Puppets and some made vests which help the children learn how to button and zip. It was fun getting acquainted with other 4-H'ers and working on such a worthwhile project.

Laura Buchtel, reporter

Adrian Livestock Club

The Adrian Livestock Club met March 11. A rabbit demonstration was given by the Ontario Rabbit Club. New things were learned. Darlene and Carlene Carroll brought refreshments that were very much enjoyed.

Darlene Carroll, reporter

Tickets For "Carousel"

Tickets are now available for **Carousel**, the eighth annual musical presented jointly by Treasure Valley Community College and the community under the auspices of the TVCC Drama Department.

Carousel is a tender love story set in a New England fishing village around 1873. It will be presented Wednesday through Saturday, April 7, 8, 9, and 10, 1976, at 8 p.m. in the Ontario High School Auditorium.

Admission charges will be \$2.50 for adults (18 years and older), Senior Citizens (60 years and older) \$1.50,

Golden Rule Lodge Hosts District Meet

Golden Rule Chapter No. 131 hosted the District meeting Monday, March 15, with Cleta deBoer, worthy matron presiding, with approximately 100 in attendance. Golden Chain Chapter No. 103 of Vale and Star Chapter No. 69 of Ontario also participated.

The meeting was preceded with a banquet at 6:30 p.m. at the Methodist Church.

Escorted and introduced were: Dorothy Parrish, Worthy Grand Matron of Oregon, Waluga Chapter No. 146 of Lake Oswego, Oregon; Stella Miller, Associate Grand Conductress of Beulah Chapter No. 6, Coquille; Ree Oyler, Grand Warden, Holly Chapter No. 126, Sherwood, Oregon; Leon rosa, Past Grand Patron of Idaho, Hermosa Chapter No. 32 of Caldwell; George Strange, Associate Grand Patron of Idaho, Lorraine Chapter No. 20, Payette; Joyce Casper, Associate Grand Conductress of Idaho, Adah Chapter, No. 8, of Boise.

Shirley Butler, Grand Committee member of Juris Prudence Committee of Ida.; Kay Ernest, Estral Committee Member of Oregon,

Star Chapter No. 69, Ontario; Marie Klunder, Cancer Research Committee Member of Oregon, Esther Chapter No. 11 of Baker; Myrtle Sasser, Grand Representative of Utah in Oregon, Golden Rule Chapter No. 131, Nyssa; Worthy Matrons, Linda White, Star Chapter No. 69, Ontario and Katherine Williams, Golden Chain No. 103 of Vale; Norene Perssa, Rainbow Chapter No. 80 of Nampa; Celesta Russell, Hermosa Chapter No. 32, Caldwell; Ellen Paton, Esther Chapter No. 11, Baker.

Worthy Patrons, Darrell Lang, Vale; Blaine Casper, Boise; Dean Lewis, protem, Star Chapter No. 69 of Ontario.

Balloting was exemplified by Golden Chain Chapter No. 103, Vale and the initiatory Degrees were exemplified by Star Chapter No. 69 of Ontario.

An addendum was presented by the hostess chapter and a monetary gift was presented to the Home Parrish Scholarship Fund.

Following the close of the evening the hostess chapter served cookies, punch and coffee.

AAUW Plans Book Fair

Books, magazines, records, music, educational materials, are needed for the Annual American Association of University Women Book Fair. The Fair will be held at the West Park Plaza during Bazaar Days, Saturday, April 10, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in front of Hatch's Bookstore. Books will be sold and proceeds will go to the scholarship fund.

AAUW is looking for books in such categories as: children's (under 10), mysteries, romance, science fiction, history, poetry, political science, sports, religion, humor (comic books), arts and crafts, and textbooks. AAUW

Students (14 to 18 years of age) \$1.50, and children (ages 6 through 13) \$1.00. No charge will be made for children under 6 years of age, but a ticket must be reserved for them. Tickets may be arranged for or picked up at the college. To avoid errors, patrons are urged to pick up their tickets as soon as possible. Reserved tickets must be picked up by 7:30 p.m. on evening of performance.

is also asking for old magazines, records, sheet music, or any other educational materials that could be recycled.

Donations are tax deductible and a receipt will be given naming the materials donated provided the individual requests it.

Materials will be picked up or can be delivered to AAUW members. For pick-up please call Laura Ure, 372-3230 or Sylvia DeKalb 889-8358, co-chairwomen for the event.

BIRTHS

Malheur Memorial Hospital

March 11 - Mr. and Mrs. Orville Root, Nyssa, twin boys

Holy Rosary Hospital

March 10 - Mr. and Mrs. Rod Calkins, Payette, a girl

March 11 - Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wherry, New Plymouth, a boy

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hylton Ontario, a girl

Mr. and Mrs. George Fanning, Nyssa, a boy.

Nyssa FFA Wins At Tri-District

Nyssa's Future Farmers of America parliamentary procedure team emerged in first place Tuesday in tri-district leadership skills competition at Eastern Oregon State College, La Grande.

As a result, the Nyssa team will compete in the state contest to be held in conjunction with the state convention at Bend, March 21-25.

Derryl Leggett, chapter advisor, said members of the chapter farmer team winning the highest honors are Mike Parker, Leslie Linegar, Barbara Holmes, Renae Simpson Greg Thiel, Ross Durfee and Bruce Goodell.

The contest at La Grande was for all FFA chapters in northeastern Oregon from Condon eastward to the Idaho-Oregon border.

Brian Maag, member of the Vale chapter, won first place in the creed speaking contest. Parker was fourth in the public speaking competition with Cindy Allen of the Ontario chapter placing sixth.

Leggett said that Parker and Ross will receive state farmer degrees at the convention.



PRESENT FOR THE DISTRICT MEETING IN Nyssa which was hosted by Golden Rule Chapter No. 131, were Charlie Wernick, left, Worthy Patron of Golden Rule Chapter No. 131 and center, Dorothy Parrish, Worthy Grand Matron of Oregon, Waluga Chapter No. 146 of Lake Oswego and Cleta deBoer, Worthy Matron of Golden Rule Chapter No. 131 of Nyssa.



ADRIAN THIRD GRADERS dressed for the Pirates Reading party are from left: David Wall, Mary Emma Leos, David Osborn and Mike Rotter.

Culminating activity for the unit was the Treasure Hunt in the rooms of Mrs. Mary Joyce and Miss Carol Hansen.

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