

Salt Hawk Talk '61

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Lost Us or Moved?

Be sure to let us know or you will miss out on the good news! Hint: If you forget Kay or Ron's Email go to web page and bookmark it! Then drop notes from either of the mail drops!

HHS CLASS OF '61 Web Page:

www.kansasconnections.com/reunion/reunion_time.htm

or to Kay: klmr@sbcglobal.net

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Thanks for Newsletter articles, notes & photos: Hutch news, What's Up Hutch, Hutch Magazine, Charles Hyter, Carol Friesen Chabin.

# Remembering in Sympathy



Deepest Sympathy to Judy Morris Stephenson & family in loss of her Brother Ralph Morris who passed 6-23-2010 in Nickerson KS. (see web notes for more info. See also below:

#### **Additional Cerncens:**

Please send cards, emails, thoughts & prayers to Judy for her recent health concerns. Judy had surgery the 16<sup>th</sup> & is currently taking chemotherapy.

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#### 'Think about giving to our Memorial Scholarship Fund!'

It sure would be nice to see a healthy balance so we can begin giving scholarships out on our 50<sup>th</sup>. Don't forget that's only 1 yr away!!! Also start sharing ideas as they come to you & start planning to be there!

We need You to make it a Great Event!

To make donations to our Class Scholarship Fund: Make checks to 'Hutchinson Community Foundation' and mark them for 'HHS Class of '61 Memorial Scholarship' Mail them to;

> Hutchinson Community Foundation 1 N. Main, Hutchinson KS. 67501 These donations are tax deductible.



#### Suggestions/Questions:

Juliet Coyne Cassady wrote 6-24-10, with some thoughts, questions & commented.

Regards Dates: 'I think Oct. would be a great time for the reunion'.

#### Suggestions:

'For one activity we could have a book swap, or even a book club (somehow) via the newsletter. Have no idea how! Or an online book club.'

(maybe someone would like to spear head this and start a blog we could access with a URL in Newsletter with brief updates?....l offered a column but Juliet declined – Would Anyone Interested in taking that on?)

'Perhaps include some little kid pictures in the newsletter. ...guess who this is?' (Good idea! ... Send photos via email preferably or self addressed stamped envelope for returns!)

#### More Reunion Suggestions Juliet shared:

- 1. Could we have some type of Hutch tour? A golf cart tour to see all the new houses, businesses, etc? (not in Hutch)
- 2. Could we highlight folks with interesting professions, unusual professions or very well known classmates?

My husband bought a book on the 10 best teaching golfers and there was 'Jim Hardy' featured. Mike couldn't believe I knew someone in his book!

- 3. Could we have the type of program where we submit a paragraph (& picture) about our life like we did years ago. Tho' perhaps we're not too interesting now that we're all retired!
- 4. Are there any classmates who still have parents in town? We could locate them and have a few people pay a visit.

(Yes there are many here who choose not to attend functions. I suggest you & others contact your old clicks/groups and see if you can fit in a mini reunion with them and enc. them to participate in our 50th Event! - side-bar, we do have several who gather like this and have great time. Know this as I have been invited to some in the past but was too much at last min. details.)

- 5. I like the idea of promoting the HHS Class of '61 fund through the community foundation.
- 6. Is there any kind of parade in October -- we could join it.
- 7. I still have my old reunion t-shirt. Perhaps some other type of reunion memento.
- 8. Could we join the current HHS kids at school for a pep rally .
- .. if such things even exist? Our cheerleaders vs. theirs! We'd know all the words to Allagaroo, if it's still allowed.
- 9. Give aways from local businesses were well received. Re location: the country club sounds wonderful.
- 10. Does anyone have a farm with some type of building where a meal could be catered? I really don't know what types of facilities Hutch has now -- too many years have gone by! (that is why thought the news letter with local stuff would be helpful to keep us in touch and help maintain a viable data base as well! All in-put is welcome!)
- 11. Does that Dillon Recreation Center have a large meeting place, or do they allow private groups?

Surely there are Dillon connections. With a big room, really big room, there wouldn't be so much noise.

It is always hard to shout to visit and I generally lost my voice after an hour or so.

12. Is there any new building at JUCO that could hold us all? Any new hotel or motel? Large church?

The sports arena? Building at the fairgrounds? I'll keep thinking and, of course, will be glad to help in any way. I'm a bit closer now being in St. Louis.

Have a fun summer, Julie

To Contact Julie: jjmlcassa@att.net

See page 2,

Where I included a few comments and questions.

~ Time was... Ham & Eggs...'A day's work for a chicken, a lifetime commitment for a pig' ~

### Have you got news or photos to share? This is your corner!



# Happy 95th Birthday Milda Friesen

(mother of Carol Friesen Chabin 5-30-2010) < Carol Friesen

Below, Carol & Boc's son, Steve Chabin

(from Colo)







Was terrific party & celebration! Milda Friesen 95. Wow! There was a large turn out but also seen there was Rozanne Crupper-Robinson from Overland Park, KS. & Charlotte Banks Summers of Hutch.

Was to meet oldest son Steve from Co. Nice young man, just like his mom and gma...and the 'Boc' dad that I remember... Milda Friesen Carol Friesen - Chabin

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## More Renovation reveals more treasures in Hutch: **Finger Print to The Past:**

http://www.hutchnews.com/Todaystop/ghost-sign--3



Above: Items found in the building: include a Lewis Cleaner Pamphlet, a Bayer Aspirin box, and a match book from the former Airway Tavern which says located at 21 A N. Main St. R/Top: Buildings Front R/Bottom: Mural Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery Ad on N/side of Smith's Mkt. building during renovating the store next door. The sign will be preserved & sealed. He will feature it in the new upstairs loft.





#### **Comments & Questions: Continued**

Kay Comments: (these are all good suggestions but need more in-put here! In the past our class pretty much wanted their adult beverages. Most of these buildings restrict alcohol & have also stipulate early closer times and some of these listed do not

have enough space available, some also req. insurance fees! How about some in-put on things YOU feel is important? Places you would enjoy? Think we are too large of group to have a city tour...nothing in local area to help with it & have to rent separate bus and still likely not accommodate for one tour... How a about page of things to do & sites to see in free time, besides the obvious: Cosmosphere & Salt Museum which have new displays added frequently. In the past we supplied fliers from Chamber of Comm. of things to do in area when you checked in)

Also to consider we have tried really hard in past to keep fees as low as possible. Ii is doubtful they will remain at \$50 again this yr!!! We know it is important to keep fees low, as you will have increased expenses. (Travel, motels & eats).... maybe locals could offer to put up a few of their old friends a few davs...

More comments & suggestions Welcome! Especially what you would like to do for the 50<sup>th</sup>.

**Bikes for Downtown - Community Effort** http://www.hutchnews.com/Localregional/Public-Bike-project--1

Bikes Meant for Rides, Stolen:

http://www.hutchnews.com/Publicsafety/Public-Bike-Project--4

Bikes were returned & are back in service!





**Hutchnews.com connects to Police scanner broadcast:** http://www.hutchnews.com/Publicsafety/wed--scanner-switch News Web has Police Scanner Access - Live Streaming:

Access: http://www.hutchnews.com/Publicsafety/

Hutch JUCO Men made it to the National NJCAA Basketball Tourney In Grand Junction Co & earned respect:

www.hutchnews.com/Todaystop/HCC-baseball-feature--1 Hutch JUCO Star Treatment... Hutch took 3<sup>rd</sup> in Nation for NJCAA BASEBALL: www.hutchnews.com/Jucodaily/hcc-for-news--5 Looking back in History: www.hutchnews.com/Localregional/MON-yesterday-June-7--1

**More From Local News:** 

New eateries, retail springing up offer signs of recovery hope:

http://www.hutchnews.com/Progress/PROGneweateries Helping local economy article:

Gauging the Siemens effect on housing need:

http://www.hutchnews.com/Progress/PROGgaugingseimens

Grocery war of sorts helps with budget woes,

Low grocery prices? It depends on where you shop: http://www.hutchnews.com/Progress/PROGlowgrocery

Community finds art's lasting value in frugal era: http://www.hutchnews.com/Progress/PROGlastingvalue

HCC helping to re-educate the unemployed & prepare others for work force:

Learning the skills of manufacturing:

http://www.hutchnews.com/Progress/PROGlearningskills

HCC & HHS offer Technical Training & help boost local economy: Enrollment growth fuels centers during downturn:

http://www.hutchnews.com/Progress/PROGenrollmentgrowth