



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 Dean's Email go to our web page and bookmark it! Drop Dean note or share your news & celebrations.

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(Checked it frequently as Dean is constantly reworking it)

Thanks for Newsletter articles, notes & photos:
Hutch News, Google, HCC, Hutch Post, Verne Ediger,
Houston Chronicle, NCAA, Harry Benjamin, Deeann Sheldon,
Penwell Gable, Elliott's Mortuaries & Wichita Eagle.

What's New?

THE 2014 NCAA GOLF TOURNAMENT

In spite of rain delays the first two days the tournament was huge success by all reports. I personally got to watch a bit of it and the course was beautiful! (am sure the rain helped a bit! HA!)

Winner – Alabama won 2nd Straight NCAA Title

http://www.hutchnews.com/sports/ncaa/alabama-wins-second-straight-national-title/article_1d57fb4c-1367-512c-9bf9-e82b40eca833.html



Seth Reeves – GA, on 18th Hole



Bobbv Shelton – AL, on 4th Green

It was most enjoyable to see 'The Dunes' & coverage was Fantastic!

For more info & pictures check out this Houston Chronicle Story:

(Photos are all by Travis Morisse of News News)

Houston Chronicle story n pics by Travis Morisse/Hutch News

<http://www.chron.com/sports/article/Stanford-leads-NCAA-men-s-golf-tournament-5503270.php#photo-6351257>

Editorial From Hutch News 5-28-2014

Collegiate golf

Prairie Dunes again Hutch's stage for big tournament

Hutchinson knows how to play host to world-class golf on its big stage at Prairie Dunes Country Club. So it was no surprise to see the community and the club smoothly pull off another big-time golf event.

This time it was the NCAA golf championship. Other than some weather snafus – the tournament got off to a soggy start late last week – a community that in 2002 was host for the U.S. Women's Open and in 2006 the U.S. Senior Open had little problem with this one.

While the names weren't as familiar as those who tackled the Dunes in the PGA tour events, the golf was just as spectacular. Many of those playing among the 30-team Division I field this past week in Hutchinson likely are to become familiar on the pro tour in the years to come.

Hutchinson has done well hosting tournament and championship play athletic events, especially for a relatively isolated community of 45,000. We are of course the long-time host of the national junior college basketball tournament and occasional host of other juco national championships. Plus our

baseball-softball and soccer venues made Hutchinson a regional tournament site well before other communities saw the value in that enterprise.

But with historic and iconic Prairie Dunes still consistently ranked among the best courses anywhere, Hutchinson has a special sporting venue that attracts national tournaments.

But it isn't just the golf course. It is the club that is willing to give up its facilities for such events. And it is a community that eagerly pitches in to support them.

It takes hundreds of volunteers to man the course, provide security, shuttle fans to parking and do everything else it takes behind the scenes to run the event. Hutchinson delivers. Many volunteers running various components for which the host is responsible spend long days all of the six days of the NCAA tournament, not to mention the time in advance to get ready.

These tournaments should not be taken for granted – not for the work involved nor for the impact on Hutchinson. It takes both a great venue such as Prairie Dunes and the enthusiasm of the community to attract world-class events. Hutchinson has both.



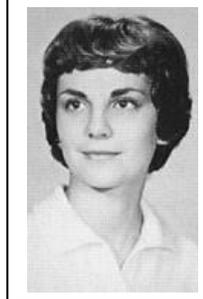
Wendel



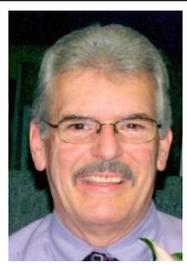
Class Loss

Wendel J. Strong
9-19-1943 ~ 5-4, 2014
Husband of
Norma (Gibbs) Strong

http://www.hutchnews.com/obituaries/wendel-j-strong/article_f1fee711-0672-5e31-a7b2-3ef5d8b52786.html



Norma



Vaden

Vaden L. Daugherty
12-12-1945 ~ 5-23-2014
Brother of
June (Daugherty) Scott

http://www.meaningfulfunerals.net/fh/obituaries/obituary.cfm?o_id=2532818&fh_id=10406



June

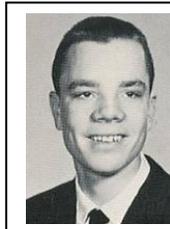
(no current information)



Linda

Linda Harrison-Burger
12-8-1948 ~ 5-22-2014
Sister of
Clark Harrison
(Clark passed 2-7-2018)

<http://www.newcomernet.com/obituaries/obitsearch.asp?selected=4&ObitID=85204&EMSessionID=-1&Source=choice>



Clark

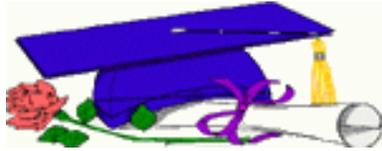
Thoughts & Prayers to all.

~“ Do illiterate people get the full effect of Alphabet Soup? ”~

Pay It Forward ~ Make A Donation

**Don't Forget HHS Memorial Scholarship Fund
Donations are Tax Deductible!
Our Scholarship Fund Needs Our Participation!
HHS '61 Memorial Scholarship Fund
Send checks to: % Hutch Foundation PO Box 298
Hutchinson KS 67504-0298**

~ Updates on Class '61 Memorial Scholarship ~



Scholarship Committee Update & Announcement:

The scholarship committee is pleased to announce that this year's recipient of the Class of 1961 Memorial Scholarship is David Simental. The HHS counselor said, "David is a dedicated and deserving student." He plans to major in Nursing. He has already received his certified nurse assistant certificate and certified medication certificate through the new medical science programs at HHS. His bigger picture is to become an Orthopedic Surgeon. While at HHS, he participated in sports, in community projects and worked part-time at Dillon's



David Simental
2014 Recipient

To Recap the first recipient:

Our first recipient, Siomara Duran, has received her Associate's Degree from HCC. She has transferred her studies to Friends University in Wichita where she is in the process of completing her degree in accounting. When Siomara graduated from HHS, she was graduating a year early at age 17. She has been working two jobs to help support her family and was the first in her family to go to college. Because of her commitments, it took her longer to finish her studies at HCC. She is a determined young lady!



Siomara Duran

The Class of 61 Memorial Scholarship Award is \$500.00 per semester, with potential of being renewed at a four year college. It is always subject to GPA and a minimum number of hours every semester.

Thanks to all that have supported our Class of 1961 Memorial Scholarship.

We as a class are paying it forward!

Scholarship Committee, Dee Sheldon, Janis Watson & Joan Tolar

**THANKS & KUDOS TO THE COMMITTEE
FOR THEIR DILIGENCE, CHOICES AND HARD WORK!**

This Weekend in Hutch: June 7-8

Fly-in brings vintage and experimental aircraft and gliders to Hutch AP

The event will be free and open to the public. Aircraft from across the state are expected to fly in throughout the day on June 7, with events to be held in front of Wells Aircraft from 7 a.m. until late afternoon.

The Commemorative Air Force from Wichita will base out of the Hutchinson Airport during the week of June 2 to June 8. During the Fly-In on June 7, those who are interested will be able to purchase rides in some of the historic aircraft, which will include the Lady Liberty, P-51 Mustang fighters, a Beech C-45 Expeditor and several World War II era training aircraft, the PT-17, a bi-wing military trainer built by Stearman in the '30's, and three single-wing military trainers, the PT-26 and PT 23, both built by Fairchild, and the twin-engine Cessna UC-17 Bobcat. Gliders will also be featured. Program to introduce children to aviation with free rides. ©

Class Updates:

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Deeann Freidenberger-Sheldon (Jack): Note from Deeann:
**I've been diagnosed with amyloidosis, a rare disease.
The Mayo Clinic is determining the treatment plan and
prayers are welcome.....Love, Dee**
(For now PRAYERS, cards, notes & 'short emails' please)
719 Wisconsin, Holton KS 66436
deeannsheldon@yahoo.com

**Downtown Hutch continues to draw Lofts
See more pictures from 14 W. 1st.**

http://www.hutchnews.com/news/local_state_news/conversion-of-catalyst-lofts-enters-home-stretch/article_4098ebbb-25a4-5af5-b556-bb45bf0a74dc.html?mode=image



(excerpts of original story)

Davis and Lauer gutted the building, removing most of the interior walls to create a large, open living room, dining and kitchen area, flanked by bedrooms, bathrooms & utility areas.

"We know what we're doing in Hutchinson is leading edge," Lauer said. "No one else in Hutchinson is doing this. We're the first doing higher professional rentals."

Lessing scheduled to begin July 1, "But if somebody wants to buy one now, they can get a cut on price because they can do their own finish work," Davis said.

The apartments, one on each floor, range in size from about 1,500 to 1,700 square feet. Each will have two bedrooms and two bathrooms, stainless-steel kitchen appliances, espresso-colored kitchen cabinets with quartz countertops, a washer/dryer, covered parking and its own heating and cooling system. Original hardwood floors have been restored and refinished through most of the middle and top floors, and the basement or garden-level apartment will have new wood-plank flooring.

Apartments, available for purchase as condos or for long-term or short-term leases or extended-stay rentals for new residents who want to get to know the town before buying a home.

Monthly rent for a one-year lease will range from \$1,450 to \$1,900 a month. A furnished apartment for a short-term rental will be \$150 a night or \$770 a week, while a furnished extended stay would be \$2,250 a month. Short-term and extended-stay rentals would include all utilities, linens, towels, dishes, utensils, cable television, Internet and covered off-street parking.

For more details & pics of little building on the alley of the unit block west 1st, north side that sits beside park where the gas explosion took out Woody's & Decor Party Stores. Visit: www.cowcreekinvestments.com

~ " Whenever I feel blue, I start breathing again. " ~

**Update on Wiley Complex & Fox Garage:
Wiley Building renovation progressing;
preparation of site for parking garage begins**

If you haven't driven downtown on Walnut this past week, you may have missed workers ripping up the old parking lot east of the Historic Fox Theatre, where Key Construction will soon start work on the new Wiley Plaza parking garage.

Because most of the work on the Wiley Project has been going on inside, there hasn't been much for the casual passerby to see, other than the installation of replacement windows, which are now up to the fifth floor.

But the parking garage will be a tangible and visible measure of progress toward the late December target date of completing the renovation of the 100-year-old building into 73 apartments and two floors of commercial space.

Inside, away from the public eye, the demolition of interior walls on the upper floors is continuing, and new construction is rapidly following the demolition workers up through the building.

On the second floor, where a month ago new apartment walls were being framed with metal wall studs, most of the sheet rock has been hung. Workers are mudding and sanding the joints. A few apartments have had fiberglass bathtubs fitted into place.

Sheet-rocking is starting on the third floor, and framing has begun on the fourth. New windows are being placed on the fifth floor.

On the sixth floor, the only interior walls remaining are the walls flanking the central corridor, which will be retained. On each side of the corridor is a vast open space, awaiting the arrival of the framers in a few more days. "We're just now getting to where you can get a sense of the size of the space. This was all carved into offices. You had no sense of the space available," said Jack Manske of Manske and Associates, the company that put the project together using a combination of conventional financing, low- to moderate-income housing tax credits and historic tax credits.

In one corner of the sixth floor is a huge pile of old sheet metal duct work. The seventh floor has mounds of old wiring, pipes, lighting fixtures and large sheets of glass from interior partitions – much of it destined for sale to scrap metal dealers or architectural salvage.

"The goal from the beginning was to minimize the amount going to the landfill," Manske said. "So this is going to be used by somebody. It would be fascinating to know how many miles of wiring they are taking out of this place."

On the seventh floor, the interior walls haven't really been attacked yet. The story is the same on the eighth floor, though there are piles of rubble in various rooms.

One floor up in the penthouse, which was built atop the roof more than 30 years after the original eight floors were constructed, workers were swinging sledgehammers to knock out brick and concrete interior walls. A brick and concrete roof structure that once held a large exhaust fan, used to cool the building before air conditioning came along, is being demolished and taken to ground level a few wheel barrows at a time on a construction elevator.

When it's all done, there will be four apartments on the penthouse level. "We've had quite a bit of interest in the penthouse apartments, more than we have availability, really," Manske said.

More about [Key Construction](#)

- **ARTICLE:** [Wiley Plaza plan showing results](#)
- **ARTICLE:** [Financiers tour Wiley Building, see progress firsthand](#)
- **ARTICLE:** [Wiley tour brings back memories for city officials, Landmarks Commission](#)
- **ARTICLE:** [Workers swarming over Wiley Building on target for December completion](#)

**Good news moment.
Congratulations to Lon McCurdy & Family...New Building Project:**



Jeff Krehbiel Architecture/ Illustration courtesy of Jeff Krehbiel Architecture

McCurdy Auction plans to build this 10,000-square-foot office building at the southeast corner of 13th and K-96 in northeast Wichita.

Read more here: <http://www.kansas.com/2014/05/15/3457818/mccurdy-auction-plans-northeast.html#storylink=cpy>



Charlene Moody-Lind
(12- 23-1932 ~ 5-6- 2014)
http://elliottmortuary.com/fh/obituaris/obituary.cfm?o_id=2515971&fh_id=10406
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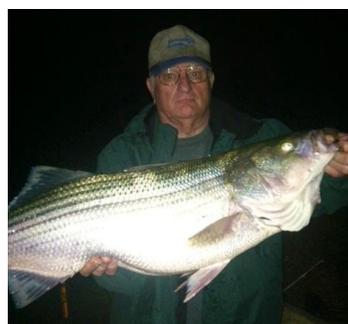
1961 Allagroo: Looking 'pleased as punch' with the latest bunch of typing testsshe is filing away, Miss Charlene Moody. A newcomer to HHS, helps sponsor Briney Birds. She also teaches clerical practice & stenography. '60-61 was her first yr, she married Robert R. Lind, 8-19-61.



Greater Hutchinson Convention Center ~ June-July Happenings:
<http://www.visithutch.com/events.php>



Thank You Note...
Mike & Carolyn Sims sent regards and thanks to class for all the cards received for they're 50th Anniversary Celebration on May 17th.



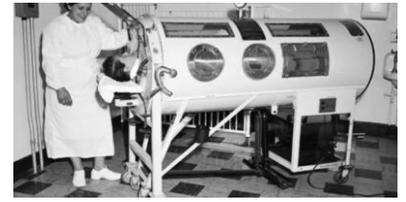
~ Making Memories ~
Gary Ralston shared a few pics of recent fishing trips to Beaver Lake and others w/friends & also g/sons...25 lb Bass? He also commented upon return from the 3 day trip w/Grandsons he was worn out and very much in need of lengthy R & R! ha!
Told him that kids would have many good memories! ☺
Gary: higar43@cox.net

~“ I finally figured out what I want to be when I get older...Younger ”~

Do You Remember?

A few things that might stretch your memory banks and bring back a few fond memories of good times!

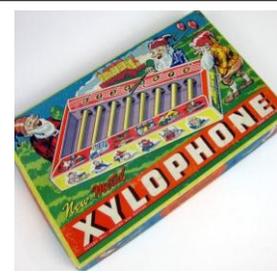
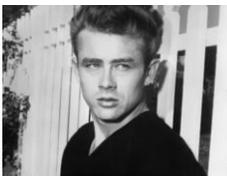
The Fabulous Fifties!



A Must See for Memories:
'In the Land That Made Me Me'
...a YouTube video:

<https://www.youtube.com/v/J55S38xwxnQ>

Thanks, Harry Benjamin for sharing. 😊



~“ Lost in the 50’s & ‘living in Black & White’ ”~