



# Comings & Goings

for the months of March/April 2011

Activities and Events for Silver Cougar Club Members!



## COLD WAR TO WORLD GUERILLA WAR 1945 TO 2010

World War II dramatically changed the world. Much of Europe and Japan were destroyed, millions of people were displaced, and former allies were bitter enemies. The year 2001 also dramatically changed the world with the terrorist attacks of 9-11. This class, taught by Linda McCaffery, will analyze the historic events between 1945 and current issues facing the American people and the world. Contact Coleen Cape at (620) 786-1136 or [capec@bartonccc.edu](mailto:capec@bartonccc.edu) to enroll.

Tuesdays & Thursdays

March 31 – April 28, 2011

1:30-3:30 p.m.

Barton Campus – U-219 – upper level of the Student Union

\$30 for Silver Cougar Club members

\$84 for non-members



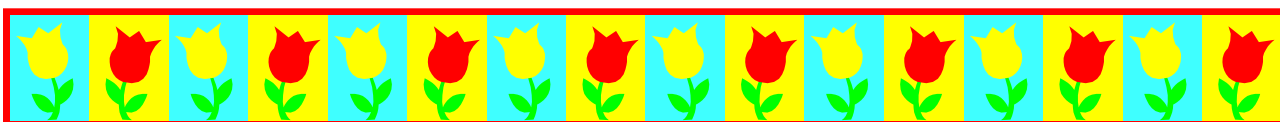
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## WICHITA HOME AND GARDEN SHOW

By March 3<sup>rd</sup> we will all be completely stir crazy, cabin fever will be raging, and we will be ready for something upbeat, fun and completely carefree. Join us for a day at the Wichita Home and Garden Show – spend the day enjoying beautiful flowers, landscaping, and all of the newest bells and whistles for your spring and summer gardening needs. The cost will be \$20.00 per person which covers your admittance to the show and transportation. Meals will be on your own. When we leave Great Bend we will proceed directly to the show arriving around 11:30. There will be food vendors available for lunch and we will stop at the Carriage Crossing for dinner and pie on the way home (if enough of you are interested we will stop at Yoder Meats and the Kansas Station before dinner so you can take some goodies home). The bus will leave Great Bend at 9:00 a.m. and should be back by 8:00 p.m. We will stay at the home show until 4:00 p.m. The day will be as laid back or as fast paced as you choose to make it. The Home Show is expansive and will require considerable walking, but you will be on your own and can proceed at a pace that is most comfortable for you. **Reservations with payment are due by Monday, February 21, 2011.** RSVP to Coleen Cape at [capec@bartonccc.edu](mailto:capec@bartonccc.edu) or 620-786-1136. This trip is limited to 45 with a minimum of 20 required.



## TULIP TIME IN TOPEKA

In mid-April the tulips are absolutely gorgeous in Topeka. The Tulip Festival runs the entire month, but I have planned a day for us to enjoy this beauty of nature on Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup>. We will leave bright and early for Topeka and enjoy four locations to view the tulips and enjoy lunch at the Great Overland Station just as the Harvey Gals did way back when the railroad was in its glory days. The cost is \$40.00 per person and **we must receive reservations and payment by Monday, March 28<sup>th</sup>.** The price covers all tour costs and lunch. RSVP to Coleen Cape at or 620-786-1136 or [capec@bartonccc.edu](mailto:capec@bartonccc.edu). Each tour will require some walking. It will be at your own pace, so please wear comfortable shoes. This trip is limited to 45 with a minimum of 20 required.

Itinerary:	7:00 a.m.	Leave campus - load bus in south Kirkman Parking Lot
	10:00 a.m.	Tour Historic Building and Tulip Tour at Old Prairie Town
	12:00 p.m.	Tour and Lunch at Great Overland Station
	1:45 p.m.	Tour of Gage Park with Doran Rock Garden/Mini Train Ride
	2:45 p.m.	Tour Lake Shawnee Gardens
	3:45 p.m.	Load bus for return to Great Bend

\*Old Prairie Town at Ward Meade Park. Walk through the 2.5 acres at Botanical Gardens. Peaceful setting includes a classic garden pavilion, decorative walkways, water garden with a foot bridge, gazebo, water features, tulips, daffodils, and other shrubs and trees.

\*Ted Ensley Gardens at Lake Shawnee. These gardens are located on the west side of Lake Shawnee. The gardens span 9 ½ acres with 50,000 tulips and daffodils surrounded by a covered bridge, rock gardens, gazebo, pergola, waterfalls, streams, several ponds and the lake.

\*Doran Rock Garden at Gage Park. Small area at Gage Park with 12,000 tulips and daffodils in an 80 year-old rock garden with stone walkways and a stone bridge. Free to view. Groups can ride the mini train around Gage Park which drives by the gardens.

### **ADVISORY BOARD MEETING**

The Silver Cougar Club Advisory Board will meet on Wednesday, March 16<sup>th</sup> in room 219 of the Student Union. This room is down the hall from the bookstore on the upper level of the Union. The meeting is from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. and lunch will be provided. If anyone has suggestions or questions they would like addressed, please let me know by Tuesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>. The advisory board currently meets twice a year and they are invaluable to our club. They help guide us in our planning process for classes and trips and help provide input on future initiatives. We still have room for several members so if you are interested contact Coleen Cape at 620-786-1136 or capec@bartonccc.edu.

### **BARTON BOOKSTORE PURCHASES**

One of your membership benefits allows you to purchase items at the Barton Community College Bookstore and receive a discount. The bookstore employees must see proof of your membership before they can give you 15% off, so please remember you must show your SCC membership card at the time of your purchase.

### **THE SHAFER GALLERY NEEDS YOUR ASSISTANCE**

The Shafer Gallery will be writing a couple grants to help fund exhibits, educational guest speakers or seminars, receptions and some operational costs. One issue that is very important to the grant reviewers is to show community support. We are always required to document matching funds and in doing so we can allow for non-cash gifts or in-kind gifts. For example, when the SCC donated homemade baked pies for the “New Quilts from an Old Favorite” reception that would be a non-cash gift and if you would volunteer to assist in some way to promote the gallery that could equate to an in-kind gift. Grantors, whether state or federally funded, want to know how important it is to the people who can take advantage of our service. They want to be assured that there is local event support before they give to our cause. Please consider donating items or assisting us in any way you can so we can apply for these grants and be successful in receiving extra funding. Please contact David Barnes (620-792-9342) if you are willing to get involved with the Shafer Gallery and make our future more successful. Thank you for your consideration.

### **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

On Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> the Shafer Gallery will be hosting a reception for the opening of the Barton County High School Art Show. The reception is from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. and David Barnes would love to have all kinds of homemade cookies for the reception. If you would be willing to put your exceptional baking skills to work, he would be most grateful. If you are willing to donate cookies, just contact David at 620-792-9342 or barnesd@bartonccc.edu and let him know how many you will be bringing. You may deliver them to the gallery between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. on Sunday the 6th.

### **RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES**

Barton Community College is proud to boast that due to the generosity of a donor, it is one of only three colleges in Kansas to acquire a Micro-Fish Reader. This reader makes previously tedious or impossible research not only manageable but very exciting. Linda McCaffery will be available from 1:00 – 4:30 p.m. each Wednesday in the Cohen Center for Kansas History in the Learning Resource Center on campus to assist anyone in their efforts to use the Micro-Fish Reader for research. Also remember that the Cohen Center has a digital scanner that can be used to scan any of your important documents or those special letters, certificates or articles that you want to preserve. No appointment is necessary and there will be no charge for this service.

**LUCKY LIME SALAD**

- 1 pkg (3 ounces) lime gelatin
- 1 C boiling water
- ½ C cold water
- 1 pkg (3 ounces) cream cheese, softened
- ¼ t lemon juice
- 2 C whipped topping
- 1 can (8 ounces) crushed pineapple, drained



- Shamrocks:
- 1 pkg (6 ounces) lime gelatin
  - 2 ½ C boiling water

In a small bowl, dissolve 3 ounce pkg of gelatin in boiling water; stir in cold water. Chill until slightly thickened. Meanwhile, in a small mixing bowl, beat cream cheese, lemon juice and whipped topping until smooth; stir into gelatin. Fold in pineapple. Pour into a greased 9-in square dish. Refrigerate until set, about 3 hours.

For shamrocks dissolve 6 ounce pkg of gelatin in bowling water. Pour into a greased 11x7x2-in pan. Refrigerate until set, about 3 hours. Using a 2-in shamrock-shaped cookie cutter, cut the gelatin into nine shamrocks. Cut the gelatin/cream cheese mixture into nine squares; and top with a shamrock.

Yield: 9 servings.

**PASTA WITH ASPARAGUS**

- ½ lb of spaghetti or your favorite pasta
- butter
- garlic
- parmesan cheese



- 1 lb of fresh asparagus cut about 1 ½ in pieces
- olive oil
- onion

Cook pasta according to package directions. Saute onion and garlic in oil and butter add asparagus and cook just until tender. Pour over pasta and toss mixture to coat. Sprinkle with grated parmesan cheese. Serve with garlic bread.

**IRISH FRECKLE BREAD**

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| 1 pkg (¼ ounce active dry yeast)                   | 8 T sugar, divided |
| 1 C warm water (110 to 115 degrees)                | ½ C butter melted  |
| ¼ C warm mashed potatoes (no milk or butter added) |                    |
| 2 eggs   | ½ t salt           |
| 3 ¼ to 4 C flour                                   | 1 C raisins        |



In a large mixing bowl, dissolve yeast and 1 T sugar in warm water. Add the butter, eggs, potatoes, salt, remaining sugar and 2 C flour; beat until smooth. Stir in raisins and enough remaining flour to form a soft dough. Turn onto a floured surface; knead until smooth and elastic. Place in a greased bowl, turning once to grease top. Cover and let rise in a warm place until doubled, about 1 hour.

Punch dough down. Turn onto a lightly floured surface; divide into eight portions. Shape each into a ball. Place dough balls in a greased 10-in spring form pan. Cover and let rise until doubled, about 30 minutes.

Place on a baking sheet. Bake at 350° for 25-30 minutes or until golden brown. Remove sides of pan. Place on wire rack to cool.

Yield: 1 loaf.

## **SHAFER GALLERY EXHIBITS**

### **Barton County High School Juried Art Exhibition**

March 6 – 20, 2011 & March 27, 2011

Reception: March 6, 2011 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

### **Central Kansas Prairie League Art Day**

April 27, 2011

Awards Reception: April 28, 2011

## **SHAFER GALLERY CLOSINGS**

Spring Break

March 21 – 26, 2011

Easter Break

April 22 – 25, 2011

## **TOO MANY SOPRANOS**

Barton Theatre Department's First Student-Directed Opera

March 4 & 5, 2011

7:30 p.m.

Fine Arts Auditorium

**\$5.00 General Admission**

## **SUNFLOWER SPELLING BEE**

Over eighty county spelling champions compete for the opportunity to advance to the Scripps National Spelling Bee in Washington, DC in May.

March 12, 2011

1:00 p.m.

Fine Arts Auditorium

Free Admission



## **BABY WITH THE BATHWATER**

Barton Theatre Department's Spring Play

April 15 & 16, 2011

7:30 p.m.

Fine Arts Auditorium

**\$5.00 General Admission**

## **INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT**

March 17, 2011

7:30 p.m.

Fine Arts Auditorium

Free Admission

**COMMUNITY CHOIR CONCERT**

April 11, 2011  
 7:30 p.m.  
 First United Methodist Church, Great Bend, KS  
**\$5.00 Admission**



**4<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL FOUNDATION SPORTING CLAY SHOOT**

April 17, 2011  
 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  
 LaSada Sporting Clays & Hunting Service, Russell, KS  
 Individual & team registrations are available.



**DANCING WITH THE BARTON STARS**

Come watch as community members dance to win this fundraising event. Cast as many votes as you want with \$1.00 per vote. Proceeds go to the Performing Arts Development renovation of the Fine Arts Auditorium. A bus will be available for SCC members and will leave the Great Bend Senior Center at 7:00 p.m. Call Coleen Cape at (620) 786-1136 to reserve your spot. Reservations (maximum of 46 and minimum of 15) must be received by April 12<sup>th</sup>.

April 19, 2011  
 7:30 p.m.  
 Fine Arts Auditorium  
**\$5.00 Admission**

**VIP DINNER**

Purchase a \$50.00 per person VIP ticket and receive dinner (served in the Shafer Gallery), reserved seats to the Dancing with the Barton Stars fundraiser, and valet parking. Call Coleen Cape at (620) 786-1136 to make these reservations. Reservations and payment must be received by April 1<sup>st</sup> and is limited to 80 people. This is a public event and not only for SCC members, so bus transportation is not available for the VIP dinner.

**CAMPUS CLOSINGS**

Spring Break	Easter Break
March 24 & 25, 2011	April 22 – 25, 2011

**DON'T FORGET!**

Daylight Savings Time begins March 13, 2010.  
 Remember to set your clocks forward one hour.



Celebrate

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to our Silver Cougar Club Members who will celebrate another year in March and April.

**MARCH**

Betty Banks  
Joyce Barker  
Phillip Bartholomew  
Jolene Boys  
Carol Cook  
Paula Davis  
Ron Ensle  
Reva Everett  
Vivian Evers  
Luanne French  
Maurice Hammeke  
Dee Holman  
Robert Ingersoll  
Lois Ann Johnson  
Dusty Jones  
Gary Kenyon  
Guy Knipe  
Richard Kultgen  
Donald Learned  
Marion Lightfoot  
Betty Loewen  
Barbara Logan  
Sharon Mauler  
Rosie Meier  
Kathryn Miller  
Virgel Miller  
Gene Mull  
Michael Niedens  
Robert Parrish  
Lavina Scheuerman  
Frances Siefkes  
Christina Smith  
Judith Stieben  
Joyce Strecker  
Larry Teichmann  
Gilbert Wenz  
Kay Wondra  
Theresa Younker

**APRIL**

Wayne Banks  
Rosalyn Borchers  
Mike Boys  
Bill Brack  
Richard Butler  
Jamee Dannebohm  
Delaine Dietz  
Judy Fox  
Vicki Gillett  
Jo Green  
Roger Hallenbeck  
Dean Hanken  
Eileen Ingersoll  
Robert Joy  
Ersa Keenan  
Dennis Keenan  
Rose Kelly  
Joe Larkin  
LaVerne Lessor  
Leslie Logan  
Pauline Mong  
Mary Anne Mull  
Robert Myers  
Marilyn Redetzke  
Max Reed  
Judy Reed  
Connie Sickbert  
Gary Sidman  
Sandy Smith  
Debby Steffan  
Terrance Stieben  
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