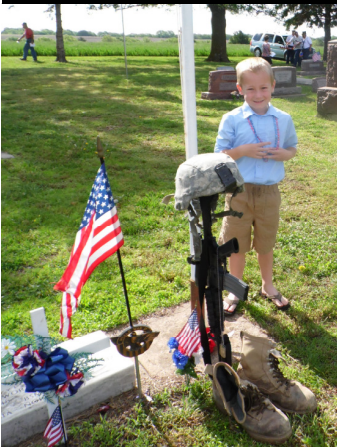


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Local Memorial Services

Odell's Legion and Auxiliary hosted services at 4 cemeteries on Monday, May 30. Photo at left is their Poppy Helper, Joshua Landon at the Bethlehem Cemetery. Joshua is the son of Anthony and Kristi Landon of Odell. Photo at right shows flags flying at half staff at the Lanham Cemetery.

Barb Zarybnicky Photos



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Odell Market Set to Close Its Doors on June 15

As most of you know, Odell Market will close Wednesday, June 15. (Unless someone comes along and buys it. There's still time.) An inventory reduction sale is going on



now. We do want to thank everyone for their support and friendship the last 9 1/2 years. We will miss all of you. Sharon & Perry

Mercy Meals Packing Event!

Monday, June 6 & Tuesday, June 7

3 shifts per day: 1-3 pm, 3-5 pm & 5-7 pm

Call Deb or Gwen at the State Bank of if

you have any questions or if you wish to donate to Mercy Meals—Their goal is to re-stock the container after each packing event! 402-766-3720



Odell's 11th Annual Run for Fun was held on Saturday, May 28. 65 Participants raced in the 1 Mile, 5K and 10K. Above photo shows Jacob and Jayna Novotny and Berkelee Beekman at the start line



The Odell High and Diller-Odell High Alumni Banquet was held on Saturday, May 28 at the High School. Shown above is oldest attending Alum, Olga Franzen—Class of 1939 and her sons, Ken—Class of 1965 & Don—Class of 1967.

(See page 3 for more on Banquet)

June Events

- Fridays: Summer Reading
- 5—Cards @ OWTC
- 6-10: VBS
- 6 & 7: Mercy meals
- 8—Bingo @ OWTC
- 11—Dairy Open House & Diller Town Clean Up
- 14-16—Griffin Youth Basketball Camp
- 15—OWTC mtg.
- 23-25: Diller Picnic
- July 5 & 6—Griffin Youth Volleyball Camp

Diller Picnic June 23—25, See page 5 for Event Details!

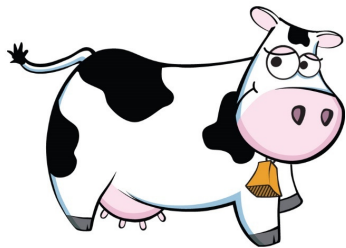


Memorial Day Services: Above left photo: Back row
l to r: Loren Wieden, Mike Riggert, Jim Bures, Duane
Weiner, Ron Wieters, Mark Billesbach, Larry Shoff,
Roger Stein, Duane Colgrove, Kevin Eggerling, Dan
Hackler & Colton Hackler. Middle Row, l to r: Jon
Knabe (Bugler), Howard Hill, Bill Scheele, Gary Bures,

Reynold Novotny & Walt Shanek. Front row, l to r:
Carter, Joseph & Dannie Eggerling, Joshua Landon &
David McCown. Above right photo: Legion Auxil-
iary: l to r: Barb Zarybnicky, Mary Ellen Maginnis,
Joshua Landon, Linda Weiner, Berniece Wieters,
Sharon Gydesen & Jeanette Bures.

Classic Dairy

Family & Friends On the Farm



20th Anniversary Open House

71487 Hwy 103—Jansen, NE

Saturday, June 11, 2016

10:00 am – 2:30 pm

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OHS & DOHS Alumni Banquet—125th Anniversary

On Saturday, May 28, 2016, 260 people gathered to celebrate the 125th Anniversary of OHS. Alumni from the years 1939-2006 joined together at the Diller-Odell High School for a catered meal from Ricky's in Hanover, shared memories and catching up. Don Klecan—Class of 1975 gave the Invocation. President, Mary (Klecan) Placek—Class of 1991, President-Elect, Jennifer (Vitosh) Warren—Class of 1990, Secretary—Orville Klecan—Class of 1985 & Treasurer, Mary Jo (Scheele) Bures—Class of 1992 welcomed everyone, announced Class Roll Call, and conducted the Business Meeting.



Bruce Vitosh—Class of 1984, Brittny (Vitosh) Kotas—Class of 2002, and Gwen (Bures) Vitosh—Class of 1982 each spoke about Odell, our school memories and our community.

Thanks to everyone who made this evening possible—A lot of work goes into making it happen. Chair Committee: Jeff Humphreys—Class of 1994 & Allen Klecan—Class of 1983.

Chair: Eileen (Colgrove) Kostal. Host/Hostesses: Josh & Shannon Novotny—Class of 1994, Scott & Stacey Gydesen—Class of 1993 & Courtney (Bures) Scott—Class of 2004.

***Please visit the Facebook page OHS & DOHS Alumni Banquet** and “Like” the page. Updated address are needed for many people and some are listed as “not found” - so if you might be able to help with this it would be appreciated!



The Class of 1949 Stands as their Year is “Called”

Registration Committee



Diller-Odell Youth Volunteers at Banquet:

Back row; l to r: Kate Kostal, Sidney Gegg, Neleigh Weers, Ashtyn Humphreys, Kirsten Bures, Mackenzie Vitosh, Connor Klecan, Jacob Meyer, Madison Vater, Abby Vater & Erin Gegg. Front row; l to r: Daylon Crow, Dalton Bures, Melina Kostal, Michelle Klecan, Brianna Weers and Hannah Ebeling.

THANK YOU TO ALL THESE KIDS FOR THEIR HARD WORK!



Over 60 runners participated in the 11th Annual Odell Run for Fun. The 10K race had 22 runners that were Odell to as far as Tulsa, Oklahoma! The 5K had 31 runners and the 1 Mile had 21 runners. See pho-

tos below for the top 3 winners in each division/race. Thank you to everyone who volunteered their time that day and prior planning and set up!



10K 40+ Winners; l to r: Larry Jones (43:50), Dr. Eric Thomsen (52:49), Barry Schwab (59:54), Donna Nelson (49:26), Carla Harvey (53:18), Jill Allen (53:29) and at right Linda Larsen (50:30)



10K 39&U Winners; l to r: Zac Hartwick (40:36—Overall male 10K winner), Tanner Goldsmith (47:25), Shawn Hostetler (49:27), Karey Roberts (44:19—Overall female 10K winner), and Andi Koch (46:17). Not pictured: Hannah Brumbaugh (47:22)



5K 40+Winners; l to r: Kendra Weers (36:39), Terri Goldsmith (35:52), Gwen Vitosh (34:47), Brad Okamoto (21:54), Brian Harrifield (21:32), and Thomas Reeves (18:51)



5K 39&U Winners; l to r: Jacob Meyer (29:11), Korey Theye (29:11), Erich Tiemann (36:59), Taylor Koch, Robyn Gonzales (23:58), and Veronica Pinkerton (23:37)



1 Mile Winners; l to r: Myleigh Weers (7:28), Neleigh Weers (7:19), Haley Jones (6:42), Henry Linsenmeyer (10:02), Andrew Harvey (7:34), and Kai Okamoto (8:11)



Post Race:

The Linsenmeyer and Harvey kids enjoy their chocolate milk from Classic Dairy. Each participant received a medal donated by Ken Zarybnicky.

120TH DILLER PICNIC—JUNE 23-25

Thursday, June 23

- Carnival Armband Night with Thomas D. Thomas Shows
- St. Paul’s Lutheran Food Stand on Midway
- Nebraska Bush Pullers Tractor Pull & Lucas Oils Pro Pullers Tractor Pull—7 pm
- Bingo by American Legion Post 282—7 pm—Midnight
- The Field Sports Bar—open 7 am—2 am

Friday, June 24

- St. Paul’s Food Stand on Midway
- Carnival
- Micro Wrestling Downtown at 9 pm
- The Field Sports Bar—Open 7am-2am—Custom 20 Band @ 9 pm
- Bingo 7 pm-Midnight

Saturday, June 25

- 26th Annual Pasture Golf Tournament with registration at C & C Processing—402-793-5820
- Mid-States Mud Draggers at 11 am—register from 9:30-10:30 am
 - Chicken BBQ at the Opera House
- Our Savior Lutheran Church Food Stand at the Community Building— 5-9pm
 - St. Paul’s Lutheran Church Food Stand on Midway
 - “Back to the Future” Parade @ 7 pm
 - Free Entertainment in the Park following Parade
 - Carnival
- The Field Sports Bar—Bar open 7am-2am & Caleb Bradley Band 9pm-1am



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Saturday, June 11—16 oz. PRIME RIB SPECIAL—\$19.75—Includes Potato, vegetable and salad
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Diller Picnic—Serving Food and Cold Beer

Friday, June 24—Custom 20 Band @ 9 pm

Saturday, June 25—Caleb Bradley Band @ 9 pm

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News from the Rice Lodge & Conference Center in Odell.

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Local Women Receive Awards from Gage County Tourism/Beatrice Area Chamber of Commerce

Above, left: Marilyn Lytle receives award for “Gage County Friend of Tourism”. Above, right: Shelley Eisele receives award for “Gage County Outstanding Website” (check it out! www.odell-nebraska.us)



NEW HOURS FOR OWTC
APPOINTMENT ONLY!
Marilyn Lytle: 402-766-4275,
Barbara Zarybnicky: 402-766-3780,
Judy Bauman: 402-766-3247 or
Robin Stanosheck: 402-766-3725

At the Trails Center:
Sunday, June 5— 1 pm Cards
Wed., June 8 1-3 pm—BINGO
Wed, June 15 @
8:30 am—Mtg @ Coffee Shop

C&C's UPCOMING SPECIALS

June 2nd - 4th-----Marinated Chicken Breast

May 9th - 11th-----Flat Irons

May 16th - 18th-----Fresh Seafood & Filets
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June 30th - July 2nd-----Ribeyes & Hotdogs **Closed July 4th**

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7th Grade Fundraiser: The class of 2021 is sponsoring a Schwan's Food fundraiser. It starts on May 1st and will go until June 15. 20% of food orders and 40% of gift card orders will benefit the 7th graders on their 8th grade dance, junior prom, and senior trip. After June 15, 5% of sales will be donated until September 14. The information for online ordering is: www.schwans-cares.com/c/27174. To call and place an order: 1-855-870-7208 and when asked the ID # 27174 (**You can't give the id # to the Schwan's man when he stops by on his usual delivery day, the order must be ordered online ahead of time.)

IF YOU ORDER A GIFT CARD, 40% OF THE SALE GOES TO THE CLASS. GIFT CARDS NEED TO BE ORDERED ONLINE OR BY CALLING BUT CAN BE PRESENTED TO YOUR DELIVERY MAN WITHOUT PRE-ORDERING YOUR FOOD!!!!



Contact class sponsor Tiffany Schoenrock at school for any questions.
402-766-4210 or
tschoenrock@dillerodell.org



24 local Girl Scouts and 10 adults made a trip to the Henry Doorly Zoo in Omaha on Sunday, May 22. The Girls met at the zoo at closing time (7 pm). They moved their belongings into the Aquarium and took a 2 hour night hike through the zoo, including visiting the Kingdom of Night in the Desert Dome, the Big Cats and the Gorillas. When it was time for bed, the girls set up “camp” in the Shark Tunnel of the aquarium. When morning came, they had another hike through the zoo after breakfast. It was a great time!



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