

ANNIVERSARY



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Mr. and Mrs. Linderman note 50th anniversary

John Broadus and Frances Grant Linderman celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary November 14 at Oak View Baptist Church fellowship hall. They were married November 14, 1954 at First Baptist Church in Chester, SC. The anniversary reception was hosted by their son, John B. Linderman Jr. and wife Celia, and daughters Teresa Linderman Caldwell and husband David and Leigh Linderman Hord and husband Randy. The Lindermans have eight grandchildren, including Carey, Wesley and Hunter Caldwell, Dusty, Casey and Amanda Hord, and Grant and Jay Linderman; and one great granddaughter, Natalie Hord. Mr. Linderman worked as a meat cutter for A&P for 16 years, and worked 18 years for Lance Inc. He served in the National Guard for 20 years. Mrs. Linderman worked for Harris Teeter for 18 years and Eckerd's for seven years. The Lindermans are active members of Oak View Baptist Church.

KMHS softball team selling barbecue, turkey for Christmas

The Kings Mountain High School varsity softball team will be cooking Boston butts and smoked turkeys for Christmas. The Boston butt will come with free slaw and sauce. The cost of either the butt or turkey will be \$25. Checks should be made out to KMHS softball. The butts and shoulders will be cooked by Chris Johnson's Allnighters Cooking Team. Orders will be ready for pickup on Saturday, Dec. 18 from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. at the front entrance to the high school. Orders must be placed by December 3. For more information call Suzanne Grayson at 734-5647 ext. 34 or e-mail stgrayson@clevelandcounty.schools.org. Proceeds will go toward the team's spring break training trip to Florida.

CLUBS

Peggy Baird gives program at Open Gate Garden Club

The Open Gate Garden Club met November 10 at the Masonic Hall. Olivia Mayhew was hostess. Sixteen members and one visitor were present. Margie Bridges, president, gave the welcome and the Club Collect was read in unison. Bridges introduced Peggy Baird, who presented a program titled "Planning a Garden for Birds." Baird stated that planning a bird garden depends on the type of lawn and geographical location. Three elements are crucial in attracting birds - cover in the form of trees and shrubs, food in the form of native plants, and water for birds to drink and bathe in. Baird said shrubs for food from native plants should be the mainstay of a bird's diet. Food put in feeders should only supplement natural forage. Most coniferous trees attract insects and those provide food for many birds. Fruit bearing trees and berry bearing shrubs provide food for mocking birds, robins and wax wings. Many other birds make use of these in the winter. Use only native plants in gardens and native deciduous trees like maple, oak and dogwood, which provide better forage for birds than exotic plants. Eucalyptus can even be dangerous.

Many short beaked birds have trouble removing the pitch of the eucalyptus from their bills and may suffocate. Avoid using pesticides. They may not have an effect on humans but can be harmful to birds. Shrubs are useful for shelter as well as for food. Tea Viburnum, a native of China, has radiant red berries that open in September and October. Monks in China used the leaves of the plant for brewing their tea and they used the berries for a feast for birds. Rock Cotoneaster, a ground cover, produces a crop of red berries. This does well on slopes and in poor to average soil. The rose bush produces rose hips. These are seed pods. Some rose varieties bloom profusely and produce more hips. Rose hips are not only for birds, they are used for making tea and jelly. They are higher in Vitamin C than any citrus fruit. Berries are found in other plants like sumac, flowering dogwood, wild grape, Japanese honeysuckle, climbing bittersweet, pokeweed, nandina, hollies, some cedars, and many others such as white berries of poison ivy. When planting a garden for birds, shop for shrubs that provide food and color for the yard during growing time. Ask at the nursery, check plant tags,

consult reference books and catalogs before purchasing. Wait until nesting has finished and berries have been eaten before pruning plants. Members were reminded that it is time to plant tulip bulbs and pansies, time to rake leaves and clean garden spots and mulch where needed. Polly Phifer gave the treasurer's report, noting that \$216 had been spent for calendars and there was a balance of \$593.68 in the treasury. The arrangement was "Harvest Moon," and a basket with mums and other fall flowers. Jessie Collins gave a report on the District III meeting held Oct. 21 in Mooresville. Six members attended the meeting, and two of them won door prizes. Bridges gave a report on the "back lot" project. Betty Alexander gave a list of plants needed to complete the project. The City will be asked to help with the project. Jessie Collins made a motion to complete the work, Melba Boyles seconded and the motion passed. Betty Alexander won two blue ribbons on specimens that she had on exhibit at the recent Woman's Club Floral Fair. Dot Ham won the friendship basket.

Toy drive underway for soldiers' children

Organizers of a toy drive for soldiers' children say more donations are needed. Rev. Moses Nueman of World Care Ministries is working with the North Carolina National Guard and the City of Kings Mountain to collect Christmas presents for children ages infant to 17.

"The Lord laid it on my heart," Nueman said. He first publicized the drive in mid-October but has received minimal donations. "We've extended the deadline so we can have enough," he said late last week. New toys and other gifts,

phone cards, gift certificates and vouchers for services are all needed. Items may be dropped off at the Kings Mountain or Shelby police departments, World Care Ministry located at 144 West Trade Street, Dallas or at the NCANG office on Morris Field Drive, Charlotte. Nueman is encouraging

churches, civic organizations, businesses and individuals to participate. Checks may be made to World Care Ministry, designated Home Front Heroes, 144 West Trade Street, Dallas, N.C. 28034. For more information, call 704-923-0777.

FOOD INSPECTIONS

Cleveland County Health Department inspected the following food handling facilities during the week ending November 12. **Denotes 2 extra points when an employee attended an approved food handling course.

Restaurants

- El Paso Mexican Rest., E. Dixon Blvd., 90.5
- Griffin Drug, W. Mountain St., Kings Mountain, 98.5
- KFC #8, E. Dixon Blvd., 92.5**
- Kings Mountain Country Club, 92.
- Minit Grill, Battleground Ave., Kings Mountain, 97.
- Sub Factory, W. Gold Street, Kings Mountain, 99.
- Wiener Works, Kings Mountain, 96.5**
- Wendy's, S. Lafayette St., 93**
- Papa Johns, E. Marion St., 97.

Food stands

- Fastop Market, E. Dixon Blvd., 92.5.
- Gasland USA #3, S. Lafayette St., 96.
- Shell #271, Linwood Rd., Kings Mountain, 93.5.
- Winn Dixie Deli, KM Plaza, Kings Mountain, 98**
- Winn Dixie Seafood, KM Plaza, Kings Mountain, 97.5.

Meat market
Winn Dixie Meat Market, KM Plaza, Kings Mountain, 97.

School cafeterias
Boiling Springs Elementary, 99.5**
Graham Elementary, 98.5**

Marion Elementary, 97.5**
Springmore School, 99**

Cold Nights and Mornings and Christmas Are Here!

Children's and Ladies' Pajama Sale
Thursday, November 18th & Friday November 19th
8:30am - 4:30 pm

Universal Manufacturing
318 Gidney Street, Shelby, N.C.
704-487-4359

Cleveland Regional Medical Center
Spirit of Women
Balancing Life and its challenges.

Saturday, November 20 — 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
T.R. Harris Center - Cleveland Regional Medical Center
Refreshments will be served.

Join us to learn different ways to balance your life and the challenges you face daily. The Mental Health Association in Cleveland County and The Diabetes Center of Cleveland Regional Medical Center will share information along with

Keynote Speaker
Stephanie Marston
author of *Chicken Soup's Life Lesson's for Women: 7 Essential Ingredients for a Balanced Life*

Stephanie has appeared on numerous radio and television programs such as the Oprah Winfrey Show, The Early Show, CNN Headline News and Women-to-Women. She is a regular columnist for *ivillage.com* and *powersurge.com*.

Door Prizes and Book Giveaways signed by Stephanie Marston!

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