Just so you'll know...

Willow Canyon First Ward

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

October 1996

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Oct 5-6	General Conference					
Oct 8	Sr. Primary Girls Achievement Day					
Oct 9	Relief Society Homemaking Night 6:30 p.m. (new time)					
Oct 11-12	2/Ward Council Retreat					
Oct 13	Choir Practice 12:05 pm					
Oct 16	YM/YW Joint Activity					
Oct 18	Ward Temple Night					
Oct 20	Brett Johnson Mission Report					
Oct 20	Ward Council/Welfare Meetings					
Oct 20	Choir Practice 12:05 pm					
Oct 22	Sr. Primary Girls Achievement Day					
Oct 22	Pack Meeting					
Oct 25	Stake Cultural Arts Night					
Oct 27	Choir Practice 12:05 pm					
Oct 27	Stake General Priesthood Meeting 7am					

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO THESE WARD MEMBERS:

Oct 1	Samantha Milne
Oct 1	Natalie Nielsen
Oct 1	Mckenna Nuckles
Oct 2	Annemarie Dzierzon
Oct 2	Sharie Hubbert
Oct 3	Elizabeth Johnson
Oct 8	Joann Hanson
Oct 10	Tara Lynne Johnson
Oct 11	Stephen
	Horstmanshoff
Oct 13	Austin Jones
Oct 17	Helen Baker
Oct 18	Bruce Sullivan
Oct 19	Douglas Milne
Oct 22	Mark Jones
Oct 22	Brent Parsons
Oct 24	David Lau

Oct 27	Bill Murri
Oct 27	Dale Nuckles
Oct 28	Darlene Visser
Oct 30	Charity Scott
Oct 30	Ashley Thompson
Oct 31	Nelson Lesher
Oct 31	Emily Lloyd
Oct 31	Barbara Sanderson

Oct 25 Chris Powell

A copy of the 1996-97 "Know Your Religion" class schedule has been posted on the Ward Bulletin Board. All interested members are encouraged to attend. Additional information can be obtained by calling Brother Frank Santiago of the CES at 1-800-345-6218.

Bishopric's Message

In Alma Chapter 60, Alma gets a bit upset with Pahoran because of the government's neglect of his army. Among his words he tells Pahoran that perhaps "the inward vessel shall be cleansed first . . ." However, the words in verse 24 are what I like, ". . . except ye do repent . . . and begin to be up and doing . . ."

We encourage you to not neglect our brothers and sisters and be "up and doing" good to all. Combine actions with your prayers.

"And in doing these things thou wilt do the greatest good unto thy fellow beings, and wilt promote the glory of him who is your Lord. Wherefore, be faithful; stand in the office which I have appointed unto you; succor the weak, lift up the hands which hang down, and strengthen the feeble knees." How much money do you have to have to be considered rich in today's society? Some say about \$1.3 million per family member. Others say about \$5 million per family. Some individuals have told me you should have unearned income of about \$500,000 per year to be considered rich.

But I keep thinking of how many people I know with far more than that who do not seem happy. On the other hand, I know many people who have trouble paying their bills yet are really well-off.

If you can share any problem with your wife, you're rich. If you can face your parents and believe you have given back to them even a hint of what they gave you, you're rich. If you can take an afternoon off to go boating with your pal, you're rich. If you can honestly say you have nothing to hide, you are really, really rich.

by Benjamin J. Stein

Our Stake Theme for 1997 is found in Psalms 1:1-3:

- 1. Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful.
- 2. But his delight is in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night.
- 3. And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper."

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The next CES Young Adult Satellite Broadcast Fireside will be November 3rd. Elder Robert D. Hales will be the featured speaker. The Fireside will be at 7:00 p.m. in our Stake Center (17 East bldg.)

Senior Primary Girls Achievement
Days this month are October 8th
and 22nd. Remember, Achievement
Days are on the second and fourth Tuesdays of
every month. They will move to the first and
third Tuesdays in November and December.
Be sure to come!