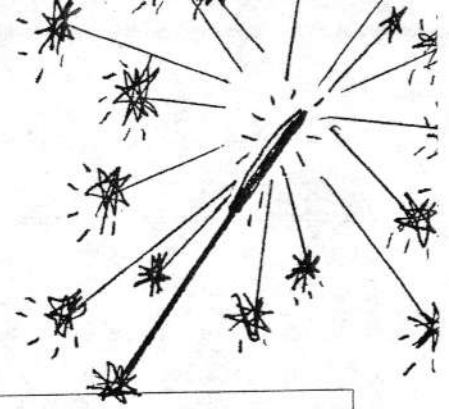




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FIRST WARD

Media Influences



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July 2006

Media. Let's talk about some of the good. I have enjoyed a lot of great movies over my lifetime. Isn't it terrific how we can purchase some of our favorite movies on DVD's! I remember my first experience with a DVD player at my brother in law's house. Sue and I along with Kim and Barbie Sanderson have always enjoyed finding obscure, non Hollywood movies. It is getting harder to do this lately...everyone now seems to look for these. Well we had just watched "Crouching Tiger Hidden Dragon" and told my brother in-law about it. He purchased it on DVD and he showed us how you could skip scenes and go directly to different scenes in the movie in a nano second. I was amazed by the fact you didn't have to hit a really big red button on a really big VCR to fast forward and watch the movie go by in fuzzy slow motion. How about TIVO and Satellite...I can watch Beckhams free kick bend over the Ecuador defense a hundred times in slow motion! Not even mentioning the fact I can watch World Cup soccer live from Germany on T.V. and the rotten umpire that stole Australia's world cup victory over Italy in the last second.

I can now watch my favorite movies from the 1930's and 40's in high quality DVD's. What are some of them you ask?

In no order: Casablanca, To Have and Have Not, Beau Gest, Love in the Afternoon (with the gorgeous Audrey Hepburn!!!) all the Thin Man Movies, Seargent York and How Green was my Valley. Glenn Miller, Artie Shaws sax section, Frank singing "Summer Wind", Nitty Gritty Dirt Band's acoustic album and Michael Crawford singing "Music of the Night"...all sounding perfectly clear on CD's. I bet you don't miss AM radio so much!

How about getting on the internet and getting up to date baseball, football and basketball scores. I think I am logged into every New York Yankee website!

And don't get Sue and Bob and Marie Thompson started on the Food Channel! Is mapquest cool or what? There are more good books than ever to choose from. I just finished James Herriott's books on his life as a Yorkshire Vet. How interesting was the book about George Washington and America titled "1776"! All the church sites on the web are incredible...although, sitting down and reading the Book of Mormon with a red pencil and pen is still my favorite way to study. I have bought clothes, tennis rackets and tennis balls on the net. You can register for classes, check your kids grades, e-mail their teachers, do your taxes, buy mountain home din-

ners for scouts and send photo's to family...all from the web. I am writing this message and e-mailing it to Sister Crapol! I can even block her reply if I want to! (HmMMMM)

So much good sometimes comes with some bad. This is true with some of the media advances. So we need to be careful. Wasn't it interesting in our Sacrament Meeting to hear Deanna, Megan and Bob talk about families and marriages. The thought that came into my mind as they were speaking was that quantity time is so much better than quality time. There doesn't seem to be too much time you can spend with your family. Although Bob's story about families being like gardens was interesting. Those of us with kids knew immediately what "invading insects" was a symbol for! I hope we can enjoy all that is good about the advances in Media outlets and enjoy all that is good about spending time with our families!

Your Bishopric

Gospel Doctrine Class

- July 2 1 Sam. 18-20: 23-24
- July 9-2 Samuel 11-12: Psalm 51
- July 16- Psalms
- July 23-1 Kings 3:5-11
- July 30-1 Kings 12-14: 2 Chronicles 17:20

. FYI UPCOMING EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALEN- DARS

If you have a FRS emergency radio; tune it to channel 11 and the stake private line tone #6. This is for emergency communication. More details forth coming.

Aug-12th Elders Party at Righys cabin, Bear Lake 2pm to 8pm. Water activities and barbeque.

Stake Lagoon Day July 28th. See Craig Fairclough for tickets

Relief Society Summer Social: August 17th in Faircloughs yard, Authentic Chinese dinner .by the Dongs

August 26th Stake Family Food Fair

Demonstrations on how to use food storage items. Watch for details.

High Priests Party Sept 9th in Arnolds yard. Brazilian Barbeque by the Sagebins

RELIEF SOCIETY

Thanks to Terrie Neiswender and her Enrichment Committee with all you did to make our "Service Auction" a great success. Our ward has a lot of very talented sisters, we are grateful to everyone who donated a service of their time and talents. The night was a lot of fun! A special thanks to Elizabeth Rawlings for tending the kids in the nursery, we appreciate your service. Don't forget to redeem your coupons for the services you bought.

Our next Enrichment Night will be our Adult Summer Social. Mark your calendars for this event on August 17th. This will be a FUN night. More details to come later.

As many people have heard Enrichment Night are to be held quarterly now. As well as Enrichment Activities or Groups that can be held monthly, weekly or daily depending on the desire and need. We are trying to start up Enrichment Groups, sign-ups are going around in Relief Society, these groups are to help us get together with other sisters in the ward. We would love to get started with some of these activities. If any one has some ideas or wants to help lead a group let Chyrel Cook know.

We want to welcome Shirstine Day as a new teacher. We are looking forward to learning from her. We appreciate all the guest teachers we have had the last few months. Thanks to Shirstine Day, Carolina Allen, Terrie Neiswender and Becky Easton. Thank you for stepping in while we try to fill our teacher positions.



Have a happy and safe 4th of July!

NEWSLETTER:

Get all information to Marilyn NO LATER THAN JULY 25TH, Because I will be gone for the week after that day. Call 571-2114 If I do not answer, leave a message on the machine. or e-mail: marilyn@toplinepromotions.com. Please notify me of any news in your neighborhood. Thank you for your help. Remember the date - 25th- TUESDAY

PARENTS OF MISSIONARIES

PLEASE CONTACT: DOROTHY SCHMIDT WHEN YOU HAVE A NEW MISSIONARY ADDRESS. 571-0616 FOR THE BULLETIN BOARD, AND MARILYN CRAPO 571-2114 FOR THE NEWSLETTER. THANK YOU!

ELDERS QUORUM

We would like to thank all those who volunteered and or participated in our inaugural Stake Fun Run. We had over 80 participants and approximately 20 volunteers. The event went more smoothly than anticipated and could not have been a success without you.

We would like to thank Jack Nydegger and his team for automating our event and for the use of his equipment to score and track the progress of the runners. We would like to thank Bob and Joyce Frederickson for the hours spent in preparing for the event via food preparation and registration and judging the race

We would like to thank Rod and Jennifer Mitchell and their achievement day girls for funding and serving the Gatorade and water. Also we would like to thank my sweetheart Rachelle Wells for the hours spent making the numbers and judges labels.

We would like to thank the wonderful ward Activities committee and ward newsletter editors who did such a fabulous job of publicizing our event to the various wards in our stake as well as our friends of other faiths throughout our neighborhood.

Finally we would like to thank President Dabl and the Stake for your support of this event. We would like to reiterate his words of encouragement to stay active and keep our bodies healthy. Sincerely Stefan Wells

Editorial: The Fun Run was a great success due to the tremendous organizational skills and dedication and hard work of STEFAN WELLS and his whole family. We all owe a great deal of thanks to them for all they do each year to get this event off the ground. He still has lots of Tee shirts if anyone is interested in a nice shirt. (\$5).

PRIMARY

Shirstine Day has been released as one of the achievement day leaders in Primary. She has been called as a Relief Society teacher. We have enjoyed having her on our Primary staff and wish her the best in her new calling. Thanks to everyone who participated in the Primary Activity Day Parade and Picnic. A fun time was had by all. A big THANK YOU to our Sunbeam class with Allison Milne and Kaitlin Jensen as teachers and also to Richard Clegg and Lee Guest's class for doing sharing time this month. The children really enjoyed their presentations and learned about keeping the commandments.

We have a wonderful staff of teachers in our Primary. They love the children and put much time and effort into preparing and teaching them the gospel. They also give up the opportunity to attend Priesthood, Relief Society and Sunday School. We want them to know how much we appreciate what they do. Remember to say "Thanks" to our Primary Teachers.

The Primary theme for the month of July is *Heavenly Father promises to hear my prayers and answer them.* The scripture for the month is taken from the Doctrine and Covenants section 112 verse 10; ***"Be thou humble; and the Lord thy God shall lead thee by the hand, and give thee answers to thy prayers."***

Families are encouraged to help their children memorize these scriptures. As they do this their testimonies are strengthened. Remember to bring your scriptures to Primary.

YOUNG WOMEN

****Yeah its Girls Camp Time****

Now that summer is really here, we need to make sure everyone is **planning on going to our Girls Camp.** It is going to be **super fun!!!** Our Stake leaders have lots of activities planned for us.

- We are so excited for **Girls Camp.** It is a wonderful time for girls to become close friends and make fun memories for years to come! Those stories are the best! **July 5, 6, 7, 8**

Congratulations to our graduating seniors.

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YOUTH CONFERENCE

All Young Women and Young Men 14 and older are invited to a super fun Youth Conference. It guarantees to be a blast! Plan now for a great time. Date: July 27, 28, 29th Place : Rigby's Cabin

EMPTY NESTERS WILL MEET MONDAY JULY 10 AT THE HOME OF BILL & MANETTE MURRI AT 7:00PM. WE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE MORE PEOPLE JOIN US FOR AN ENJOYABLE EVENING. !*!*

EMPTY NESTERS ARE PLANNING TO GO TO THE MARTIN HARRIS PAGENT ON AUGUST 11TH. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN GOING WITH US PLEASE CONTACT KILA LACKAY FOR TICKETS. THE PAGENT IS FREE BUT TICKETS ARE REQUIRED

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JULY BIRTHDAYS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

2	Jennifer Milne
5	Ethan Pendleton
6	Richard Clegg
8	Steven Leshner
10	Susan Alexander
11	Jaxon Olsen, Nancy Williams

13	Carson Clegg
15	Robbie Morris
16	Kent Nunley
17	Marilyn Crapo-Kristin Rico
18	Larry Kershaw
19	Margie Guest

20	Brian Morris
21	Teri Grayson
23	Megan Pasker, Madison Easton
25	Robert Rawlings
26	Jerry Farr
27	Craig Fritzsche,

27	Brent Gardner
29	Monica Jensen, Gerry Visser, Donna Mae Lewis
30	Brooke Tuft, Robert Reynolds
31	Wanda Warner

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS	
3	Greg Miles
5	Gayle Hansen
6	Al Walkenhorst

JULY 2006

MEDIA INFLUENCES



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 4:30PM Elders Quorum Presidency Roundtable	31 Welfare Assignment (Deseret Dairy) FHE					1 9:00AM - 1:00 PM Dry Pack Canning
2 Fast Sunday 7:30 am Mission Prep Class SIBA	3 Welfare Assignment (Deseret Dairy) FHE	4 Independence Day	5 Stake Girls Camp at Red Spur Property	6 Stake Girls Camp at Red Spur Property SIBA	7 Stake Girls Camp at Red Spur Property	8 Stake Baptism Stake Girls Camp at Red Sput Prop. Philmont BSA/LDS Training
9 Philmont BSA/LDS Training 4:15 pm Missionary Correlation SIBA	10 Empty Nesters Philmont Training to Friday/ Welfare Assignment (Deseret Dairy) FHE	11	12	13 7:30 pm Scouting Roundtable Cubs only SIBA	14 Last day of Philmont BSA/LDS Training	15
16 Missionary Prep Class 7:30 AM SIBA	17	18	19	20 7:00 PM Aaronic Prsthd Committee 8:00PM Melchizedek Prsthd Com. Mtg. SIBA	21	22
23 7:00AM Stk. PEC 4:15 Missionary Correlation Pioneer Day Commeration Broadcast	24 Pioneer Day Celebration Welfare Assignment (Deseret Dairy) FHE	25	26	27 SIBA	28 Stake Lagoon Day See Craig Fairclough for tickets	29

SIBA = Stake temple interviews by appointment call 576-2991 every Thursday and Sunday