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COURTESY PHOTOS

Telling a "Hairy" Tale

Toni Oberg (left) portrays a witch in last week's Arnold Public School production of "A Hairy Tale" by Charlie Lovett. Twenty-three elementary cast members performed in the play, directed by Berni Crow and Ashley Meyer. Wearing a very large and colorful bowtie, Matthew Corbin (right) was cast as narrator. Please turn to page 8 for more highlights from the annual production.

Arnold Teacher Wins 2011 Educator Scholarship

By Janet Larreau

Berni Crow, fourth grade teacher at Arnold Public School, has been selected for the 2011 White-Reinhardt Fund for Education 2011 Educator Scholarship, and will be attending the 2011 National Agriculture in the Classroom Conference, June 22-25, in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

The purpose of the National Agriculture in the Classroom Educator Scholarship Program is to provide travel expense funds to educators employed by a school system to attend the national conference for the

purpose of using the information gained from the conference to expand their outreach to students regarding food, fuel and fiber.

Mrs. Crow became eligible for the scholarship by winning the "Ag Teacher of the Year" award last year. She was honored for this award at the 2010 conference held in Baltimore.

Much like a senior in high school, Mrs. Crow filled out a scholarship application for the 2011 award. In it, she wrote: "I grew up on a farm and was in 4-H for many years. I feel a strong need to keep my students informed of how their

lives are intertwined in Agriculture, even though they don't live on farms."

Mrs. Crow and her students Skype with a class in Bellevue and have Skyped with Papillion the past two years. The students research and share agriculture and economic information. It is a student led program, where students ask and answer each other's questions.

"This project is called 'Connect Nebraska,' and I think it is 'one of a kind,'" she wrote.

Another of her students' favorite projects is the making

of an iMovie, where each movie spotlights a local family who has had their farm in the family for over 100 years. Through this project, the students discuss the changes in agriculture over the years. A third project is "Wheat Berries to Bread," completed after studying the entire life cycle.

Mrs. Crow said she will use the information she gains from the 2011 conference to help keep the students informed of the important part they play in a rural community, and show them how they are actually involved in the "ag process." She also



Berni Crow

Lohmiller is New Owner of Suzy's Pizza



KENDRA VEIRS PHOTO

Keane Lohmiller (back, far right) has purchased Suzy's Pizza from Jimmy Pelton (front, far left). Working at the establishment will be: (front, l-r) Pam Eggleston and Amy Merritt, bartenders, and (back, l-r) Cash Brewer, master chef, and Ed Tullis, bartender.

By Kendra Veirs

After 32 years of owning Suzy's Pizza and 48 years in the bar/food industry, Jimmy Pelton handed over the keys to new business owner Keane Lohmiller on Monday, March 28. The official name of the establishment is now Keane's Suzy's Pizza, Pub and Grill.

Keane, who is the son of Buzz and Kay Lohmiller of Arnold, has always liked the Arnold community and thought it needed a good place to eat with great and fast service. "Get in and get out" is his motto for the restaurant.

The business will be open on Monday through Saturday, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m., with the kitchen open from 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. each day.

The full menu includes burgers, salads, appetizers, Friday ribeye steak dinners, Saturday ribeye/prime rib dinners and daily lunch specials.

"We would like to also be open on Sundays with the grace of the Arnold community and village board," Keane commented. "I think the town has been waiting and needs a good, fast place to eat on

Sundays."

Keane's roots are in Wisconsin, and he is a die-hard Green Bay Packers fan, but he moved around as a child because of Buzz's military career. He graduated high school in Clay Center, Kansas.

"I have been visiting Arnold for the last 29 years, through John Rhodes (who previously worked with Buzz)," Keane said. "It all started when Buzz and I came pheasant hunting and then got into deer and turkey."

Keane, who is also the owner of Sunset Bar and Grill in

Shawano, Wisconsin, spent last year in management at Shooters in North Platte, knowing that he wanted to have a restaurant/bar in Arnold permanently.

Keane's family includes four beautiful daughters: Lindsey, 25, who is a child life specialist in Tucson, Arizona; Kendra, 23, a fifth year student at UW in Steven's Point, Wisconsin; Courtney, 19, first year student at NWTC at Green Bay; and Brooke, 16, a high school junior.

plans to share the information with other APS teachers and students during enrichment days. During these days, each teacher takes turns organizing activities for the entire elementary, focusing on a specific theme. Through enrichment days, Mrs. Crow also won the state "Keep America Beautiful" contest and received second place honors nationally for her "Thinking Green" activity.

At the Florida conference, Mrs. Crow will be attending several workshop sessions, including the traveling workshop "Orchids, Tropical Wine, Bromeliads," where she will learn how grapes and tropical flowers are grown. The afternoon will end with a trip to the Everglades.

Mrs. Crow will be traveling with her husband, Dave, on their motorcycles to Florida, and will visit several states on the way to help accomplish her personal goal of visiting all 50 states.

Weather Summary

Kendra Veirs
Cooperative Weather Observer
WEATHER STATION
LOCATED AT MILLS' SHOP, ACROSS
FROM ALL POINTS CO-OP

DATE	H	L	M
21	53	39	0
22	62	37	0
23	44	22	0
24	42	21	0
25	32	28	0
26	30	26	S
27	28	25	S
28	29	26	S
29	39	25	0
30	39	27	0
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1	60	39	0
2	75	33	0
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Snow totaled three inches and brought .75 of an inch of moisture. Total moisture for the month of March was 1.26 inches.