



New Seating for the Dorothy Moses Morrison Chapel



The Foundation recently purchased 80 new chairs for the Dorothy Moses Morrison Chapel. The new seating replaces the original chairs (inset photo at left) that were purchased when the chapel was built. Funds were provided by the Dorothy Moses Morrison Chapel renovation fund.

Changing Lives - One Gift At A Time

The Academic Enrichment Fund (AEF) Campaign is a direct-mail campaign where present and potential donors are solicited for their annual gifts to the Foundation, which fund academic scholarships and program enhancements. This campaign is unique in that each donor can specify where their money will be used.

The Foundation Board of Directors look to an individual or couple from the surrounding communities who have given support to many of the events and financial initiatives of the Foundation and College. It is with great pleasure to honor Gary and Anna Burke as co-chairs of the 2015 AEF campaign. Coordinator of Fundraising and Special Events Coleen Cape said the Burke's were chosen because they have always been great stewards for the college. "Gary and Anna are respected and influential individuals in the community. They are wonderful spokespeople to encourage the community and to educate the community on why they should support the Foundation," she said.



Anna and Gary Burke

"A lot of people will never have the opportunity to a higher education if they don't have some help to get there," Gary said. "The Foundation does a wonderful job, not only with traditional students but also with the non-traditional population." Gary and Anna recognize the positive impact of the college. "I think the college is a great asset to Barton County and the surrounding areas. The Foundation in particular does such a great job with helping people to get an education, which will better their lives," he said.

Our campaign committee set the financial goal for this year at \$40,000 but more important than the goal is

to let our friends donate whatever amount they want. Cape stressed that every donation is important. "The Foundation appreciates each and every donation, regardless of the size. Each and every dollar combines to make our mission possible. Every donor should feel pride and gratification knowing that through their generosity they have been an integral part of changing the lives of our students - one gift at a time."



BARTON FOUNDATION SPORTING CLAY SHOOT

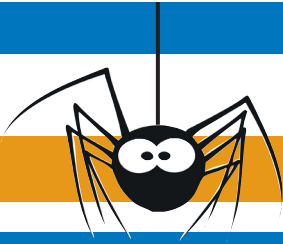


**See YOU At the
SPORTING CLAY SHOOT
APRIL 17, 2016!**

As you are aware, the 2014 Foundation Sporting Clay Shoot was canceled due to the fire at Camp Aldrich last April. We hoped the Camp would be ready this fall; however, it will not be completed by that time. We have re-scheduled the event for April 17, 2016 and look forward to giving you a great experience with the new amenities in the dining hall.

Mark your calendars and we will see you **SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2016** at **CAMP ALDRICH!**





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37th Annual Big Benefit Auction

**Saturday
August 22
2015**

Great Bend Knights of Columbus Hall

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2014 Memorials

*“What the caterpillar
perceives as the end,
the butterfly sees
as a beginning.”*

Anonymous

*Lives well lived
remembered by loving
family and friends...*

Grace Conard

Rufus Fimple

Amy & Samantha Harter

Bill J. McKown

Glenn & Elaine Mull

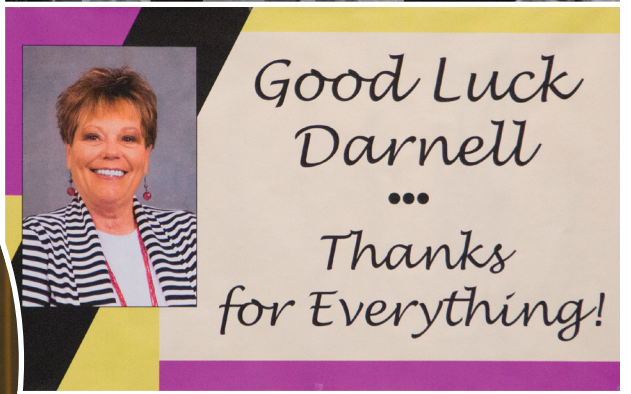
Judy (Murdy) Weinacht

Don Whelan



A memorial gift to the Barton Community College Foundation, regardless of size, stands as a visual tribute that ensures a life lives on.

Thanks for the Memories



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The Barton Community College Foundation exists to raise private sector funds by providing leadership and to prudently manage gifts to benefit educational opportunities and initiatives of the College.

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