MARION PRIDE VICE-CHAIRMAN PRESENTS BEAUTIFICATION AWARD

Mrs. Dorothy Varenhorst, Vice-Chairman of the Marion Pride Committee, presented the first of five awards to businesses in Marion for their outstanding landscaping and beautification efforts. The awards are sponsored jointly by the Marion Chamber of Commerce, the Marion Pride Committee, and the Marion City Council.

KANSAS PRIDE COMMITTEE
Chairman - Roy A. Best, Upland Industries Corporation
Vice-Chairman - Robert A. Bohannan, Cooperative Extension Service, R.S.U.
Vice-Chairman - James H. DeCourcey, Kansas Department of Economic Development
Treasurer - Lou Athereon, Kansas City Power and Light.

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3rd ANNUAL REGIONAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS AND LUNCHEONS

Shown at top and sides are the luncheon speakers and resource leaders for the Third Annual Regional Community Development Workshops and Luncheons to be held for community leaders interested in improving their cities and towns. The dates, locations, and luncheon speakers are:

Wichita, November 27, Elks Club, Ernie Husher.
Great Bend, November 27, Highland Manor Hotel, Carl Nordstrom.
Garden City, November 25, Wheatland Motor Inn, David C. Owen.
Colby, November 29, Ramada Inn, Dr. Robert A. Bohannan.
Beloit, December 5, Highway 24 and 66 Restaurant, David C. Owen.
Topeka, December 9, Downtown Holiday Inn, James H. DeCourcey.

Invitations will be mailed to leaders in: Chambers of Commerce; city, county, and state government; civic and service clubs; businesses; and community services.

The sessions are sponsored by Kansas Association of Commerce and Industry, Kansas Department of Economic Development, League of Kansas Municipalities, and Kansas State University Extension Service. (Continued)
STATE PRIDE COMMITTEE APPROVES 21 FOR BLUE RIBBONS

Twenty-one categories or sub-categories were approved for blue ribbons at the State PRIDE Committee meeting on September 4. Blue ribbons were presented at the Kansas PRIDE Awards Program at Emporia, October 16, at 6:30 p.m.

Those approved were:

- ARKANSAS CITY, Tourism
- BURRITON, Beautification and Tourism
- CEDAR FALLS, Tourist and Agriculture
- CLIFTON, Tourism and Beautification
- GLENWOOD, Agriculture
- GREENFIELD, Planning
- HOUSTON, Tourism, Airports, and Agri-business
- MARION, Tourism, Library, Cultural and Agriculture
- OPALENE, Tourism
- TRIBUNE, Airports, Streets and Highways
- WATSLOVILLE, Library and Cultural

Four categories or sub-categories were not approved in housing and water. Check sheet applications from the PRIDE Workbooks may be submitted or re-submitted at any time to Extension Community Resource Development, Umberger Hall, Room 115, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas 66506.

INCREASED NUMBER OF PROJECT BOOKS

Fifty-four project books were reviewed this year in the PRIDE Cash Award Program, an increase of seventeen over last year. KEED arranged for judges to look at project books and select winners. The awards were based on status of goals, community awareness, values, community involvement, and accomplishment.

Those submitting books were:

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