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...more D.A.R.E. winners


Winners of the Avid Reader's Club award at Seiler are, Stettler, Lisa Greiner, Brian Pickell, Mike Shelly, Diane from left to right; front row- Robin Koser, Donna Rusnock, and Dana Yingst; back row- Deb Zeller, Yingst, Greg Roberts, Cheri Leatherman, Kim Roe and Stephanie Ricedorf; middle row- Brian Edye, Stacey


The Introductory Award winners of the PM Kindergarten at Riverview were: front row-left to right; Stacey Heiserman, Karen Boger, Eddie Forrey, Regina Jaco, Erik Winters, and Tonia Cromer. Back row-left to right; Angela Bowles and Warren Sload. Kneeling-left to right are: Christopher Lee Sipe (Interim) and Ricky Bensinger (In crim), and Chris Raudabaugh (1st grade).

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Avid Readers Club at Riverview: front row-left to right; Joey Edgell, Sharon Jordan, Christine Garber, Rosemary Kennedy, Grace Henderson, and Deane Portner. Back row-left row; Joe Brady, Dean Harnish, Mike Bosley, John Edgell, Michael Rineer and Stacy Nein.


Miss Sue Baker, special reading teacher, came up with a unique project for her DARE reading classes at Seiler. The kids made a hot air balloon from garbage bags. There was some consternation amongst those watching the attempted take-off when it was learned that a propane stove would be used to inflate the balloon. "Will it explode?" one bystander asked. "And if it does, will it smell bad?", In fact, there was no danger whatsoever -the propane did not go into the balloon, but was merely used to heat air. The flight would have been a smashing sucess, except that the balloon leaked through its seams. It rose almost off the ground, but then sagged to earth. Apparently the tape used to join the seams was not strong enough. It was a noble try. With improved technology, maybe the DARE balloon will be elevated as high as the kids' improved reading levels.

## Missionary to address Marietta Assembly of God

The Rev. Gordon J White, a newly-approved Assemblies of God missionary to Ivory Coast, West Africa will be guest speaker Wednsday, June 1, 7:00 p.m. at the Marietta 7:0 p.m. at the Marietta
Assembly of God, Route Assembly of God, Route
141 and Oremine Rd., the Reverend E. Leroy Hoover, pastor, has announced.
During their first term of missionary service, Mr. White and his wife Faye will be engaged in literature distribution, evangelism, and church planting. They will also be assisting the national church wher ever possible.
A nation with over four
million people, Ivory Coast is the richest and most economically self-sufficient state in former French West Africa. It is located on the south side of the African bulge and is slightly larger than New Mexico. Sixty percent of the people are animists and over twenty percent are Moslems.
The first resident Assemblies of God missionaries to Ivory Coast were appointed in 1968. There are now 3 Assemblies of God missionaries in that county, working with 45 national ministers in 93 churches. An estimated 4,061 people regularly at-
tend the Assemblies of God churches in Ivory Coast. Prior to their missionary approval, the Whites pioneered the Assembly of God church in Manchester, Pennsylvania, and pastored the Northeast Assembly of God church in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Mr. White holds a B.S. degree from Temple University in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Mrs. White holds B.S. and M.S. degree from the University of Arizona in Tucson.
Mr. White will be sharing his plans for the work in Ivory Coast at this special missions rally. The public is invited to attend.

