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Photo of Patricia at Wahoo High School circa 1954
Sports King and Queen



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Journey Of A Lifetime From 1954 to 2008



*To my wife Sunshine
who has music
in her heart and
cycling in her soul*

Love you always, Gabriel



2008 Sr. Queen Of Nebraska Patricia Eliason Starr At Age 71



*Is pedaling 1,400 miles
For Music scholarships
for students*

**71 year old Ms. Sr. Nebraska
is pedaling her bicycle 1,400 miles from
Wahoo Nebraska to Atlantic City New Jersey
to raise funds for local high school music students
and compete in the Ms. Senior America Pageant**

Patricia Eliason Starr is once again making headlines. She was Miss Wahoo in 1957 and represented her home town in the Miss America Pageant. Now, in 2008, she will make a "Journey of a Lifetime" as she pedals over 1,400 miles from Wahoo to the Ms. Sr. America Pageant held in Atlantic City on October 19-25. She is truly an amazing woman who in 2004, at the age of 67, pedaled 3,622 miles from Astoria, OR to Portsmouth, NH. That journey established a perpetual music scholarship at Santa Barbara



Patricia at her home in Wahoo



Route Of Patricia's Bike Ride From Wahoo To Atlantic City

City College. Her book "Angel on My Handlebars" that chronicles the adventures on the road is being published. This time she will be pedaling to raise money for students at Wahoo's Public High School. Her route will take her through Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Kentucky, Virginia, Delaware and New Jersey. Giving back is what it's all about, according to Ms. Starr. She not only has the inner strength to prevail over the obstacles during such a ride, she has an hour glass figure that still makes heads spin.



Patricia is a musician, concert pianist, singer and teacher. She plays trombone in the "Prime Time Band", an 80 piece band for musicians "over 50". She occasionally directs the group, part of a network of almost 100 bands across America under the name of "New Horizons".



Ms. Starr, who is Ms. Sr. California of 2006 and a proud member of the National Senior American Cameo Club performance group, also has the privilege of performing with Sue Arko's "Free Spirit Performers". She recently entertained in Nashville at the Grand Ole Opry the Ryman Auditorium, in Laughlin, NV where she was crowned Queen of Winter Break and has most recently appeared in Branson, MO.

Won't You Please Help Patricia Help Others?

Your tax free donation will enable students to continue their music education with these scholarships
Music and the arts play a vital role in the development of our children. The programs receive little government funding, leaving the local community to fill the gap.

Can we count on you to encourage Patricia and help us establish better music programs?

If so, please fill out the enclosed card along with your check or money order and mail it to:

Greater Wahoo Development Foundation,
640 North Broadway, Wahoo NE 68066
Care of Doug Watts (402) 443-4001

Patricia will be pedaling millions of strokes to raise funds on her journey to the National Ms. Senior America Pageant. She will need your prayers and support. Follow her progress on her website:

www.PatriciaStarrNebraska.com

Or contact Patricia at:

E-mail pstarr18@cox.net Phone: 805-966-1019 or 805-455-0969

www.SBStarrsView.com

YES, I'd Like To Help!

Please complete this card and

Insert into the pre-addressed envelope.

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State ____ Zip _____

Gabriel & Patricia are working directly with the pledge process, students and faculty.

100% of the money raised goes to the Wahoo High School Music Department.

Suggestion For Donations (check one)

- 1¢ a mile.....\$14 total
- 2¢ a mile.....\$28 total
- 3¢ a mile.....\$42 total
- 4¢ a mile.....\$56 total
- 5¢ a mile.....\$84 total
- 10¢ a mile.....\$140 total
- 15¢ a mile.....\$210 total

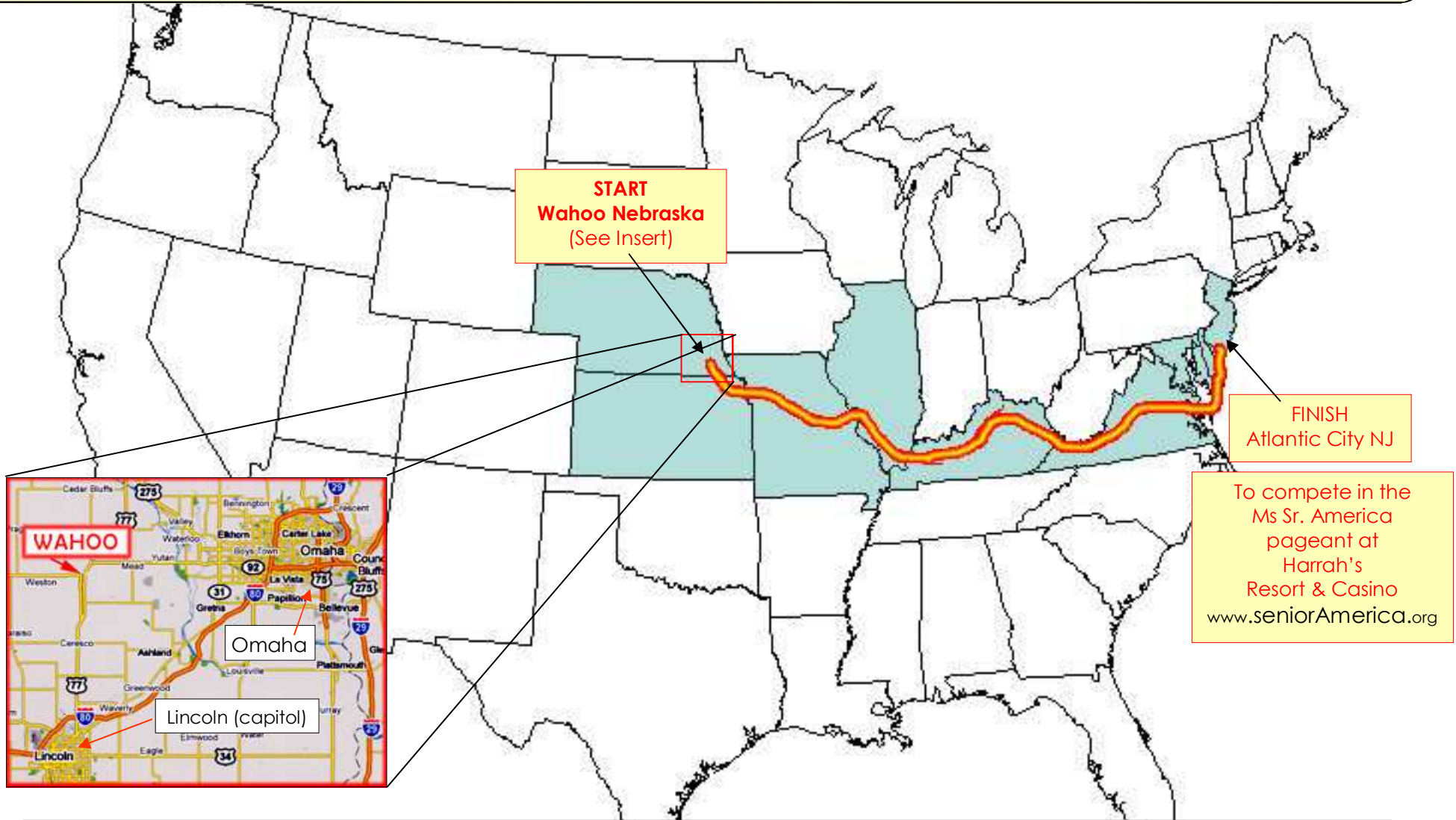
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Track her progress online at: www.PatriciaStarrNebraska.com
E-mail Patricia at: pstarr18@cox.net
And visit her other website: www.SBStarrsView.com to view her previous ride across America at age 67