

about our friends

calendar

Sherman County High School Alumni — There will be a meeting for all class secretaries **Monday** at Western State Bank to pick up their postcards.

Dinner Party — The Goodland Christian Women's After-5 Club will have a "Let Freedom Ring" dinner party from **7-9 p.m. Monday** at the Butterfly Cafe. Star speaker will be Nancy Giggy. Music will be provided by Isabelle Hellerud. A special feature, "Father of Our Country," will be presented by Diana Flanders. For reservations, call Lori at 899-3828 or Barb at 899-5580.

Deer Management Meeting — A public meeting on deer management for landowners, motorists, hunters, and other interested persons will be held from **7-10 p.m. Monday** at the Goodland High School. For information, call the Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks regional office in Hays at (785) 628-8614.

Cartoon Drawings — Cartoon drawing classes will begin Monday from **2:00-3:30 p.m.** at the Carnegie Art Center.

Drug Education Classes — The Regional Prevention Center will hold alcohol and drug education classes for youth charged with minor in possession, minor in consumption, or transporting an open container from **1:30-3:30 p.m. on Thursday, July 13; Monday, July 17; Wednesday, July 19; and Monday, July 24;** in the office at 1701 Main. There is a cost for the class. To sign up, call Cris Lovington at (785) 899-3848.

Book Sale — The Goodland Public Library will hold its annual book sale **Thursday, July 20 through Saturday, July 22.** Items for sale will include hardback and paperback books, magazines, puzzles, records, and cassettes. Any remaining items will be sold throughout August. The library is still accepting donations for the sale.

Star Party — The Northwest Kansas Astronomical Society will have a star party, an educational family event, on **Saturday, Aug. 26 and Sunday, Aug. 27** at Ron and Bonnie Thompson's farm.

There is a registration fee, but you don't need a telescope to attend. To sign up, call the Thompsons at 899-2053. **Deadline for sign-up is Aug. 19.**

activities

Basketball Camp — Final applications are being evaluated for the Ten Star All Star Summer Basketball Camp to be held at Atchison. Boys and girls ages 7-19 may apply **through July 15.** Players are selected by invitation only. College basketball scholarships are possible for players named to the All-American Team. For an evaluation form, call (704) 372-8610, anytime.

Tops Meeting — **5:30 p.m. on Mondays** at North School, weigh-in is at 5 p.m.

Aerobics Classes — Morning aerobics classes are available at **5:30 a.m.** with Tina Tompkins, and at **8 a.m.** with Marilyn Imel, **Monday, Wednesday, and Friday** at the Goodland Activities Center. A senior aerobics class for those who desire a less strenuous workout will be at **8 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday** with Marilyn Imel. For questions, call 899-7242.

Carnegie Arts Center — Terrie Grillot and Randi Halperin-Olson of Colby have joined their artistic talents to create one-of-a-kind pieces. Grillot is a master with metal and Halperin-Olson is a painter. Their work consists of brightly painted iron patterns arranged into elaborate mirrors, tables, chairs, and other pieces and will be on display **through July 29.** Their exhibit is sponsored by Paul and Nancy Nelson of McDonald's. The arts center is open from **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday** and from **1-4 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and Monday.**

Swim Lessons — Two sessions of Red Cross certified swimming lessons will be held at the Wallace County Swimming Pool in Sharon Springs. Levels 1-7 are being offered with four certified teachers. The sessions will run **Monday, July 10 through Friday, July 21 and Monday, July 31 through Friday, Aug. 11.** Call the pool at (785) 852-4209 for times and prices.

Water Testing — A representative of the Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group will be available for a free well evaluation including testing well water for bacteria and nitrates. If you would like to schedule an evaluation or have other environmental concerns, call the Sherman County Health Department at (785) 899-4888.

reunion notice

The USS Long Beach CGN-9 Association will have a reunion **Sept. 12-17** in Denver. It will be held at the Embassy Suites South, 10250 E. Costilla Ave., Englewood, Colo. To make reservations, call (800) 654-4810. Be sure to ask for the association rate. For information, contact Don Shade at 299 Kaintone Road, Jamestown, N.Y. 14701-9370 or (716) 569-2314. His fax number is (716) 569-6135 or e-mail him at president@usslongbeach-assoc.org or LBCGN9@aol.com.

donations needed

Donations for the new swimming pool in Goodland may be left at the Goodland city office or Chamber of Commerce office. Checks should be made out to Steever Water Park.

Also, donations for the Van Gogh sunflower project may be left with any board member of the Sunflowers USA Association or at the Goodland Chamber of Commerce office.

Donations for the new baseball field may be sent to Scott Weber, president of the Goodland Baseball Commission, at 202 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735, or left at the Sherman County Star or the

Goodland Chamber of Commerce office.

looking for workers

Green Thumb Inc., a national non-profit employment and training agency, is looking for mature workers in Sherman County. If you are 55 or older and are living on a limited income, you may qualify for the program, which is funded through the U.S. Department of Labor. For information, call Shirley Taylor at (785) 493-0410.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted: Thursday, Tracy Hatfield, Levant; Margaret VanVleet and Betty Rust, Goodland

Dismissed: Thursday, none

Transferred: none.

Specialists for Friday: Dr. Tim Birney, orthopedics.

Hospital weekly volunteer schedule — **Monday** — Harriette Smith, a.m.; Harriette Smith, p.m. **Tuesday** — Bonny Daily, a.m.; Beulah McClung, p.m. **Wednesday** — Irene Kehlbeck, courtesy; Helen Armstrong, a.m.; Irene Kehlbeck, p.m. **Thursday** — Martha Gunderson, courtesy; Jessie Owens, a.m.; Berna Biem, p.m. **Friday** — Ruth Morton, courtesy; Fern Hawks, a.m.; Pauline Stephens, p.m.

patient update

Craig Mann, Goodland, is now an outpatient in Denver. He will have to remain there a couple of months for treatments. Mail may be sent to him and his wife, Julie, at Park Avenue Towers,

Mann Apt. 1206, 100 Park Avenue West, Denver, Colo. 80205.

today in history

In 1888, the home town baseball team beat the team from the town of Griswald, 18 to 15, during a celebration at LaBlanche.

From the Sherman County Historical Society calendar

animal shelter

Have you lost a pet? Call the Prairieland Animal Clinic at 899-6166. Are you interested in adopting a pet? Call the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 899-6464.

area events

Bluegrass Festival — The 5th Annual Pickin' on the Plains Bluegrass Festival will be held **Friday, July 14 through Sunday, July 16** at Bourquin's Campground in Colby. Tickets may be obtained from the Colby Bluegrass Committee, P.O. Box 572, Colby, Kan. 67701. For information, call the Colby Convention and Visitors Bureau at (785) 462-7643.

Support Group — A tobacco quitters support group will meet from **7-8 p.m., Central Time, every Wednesday** in the cafeteria of Citizens' Medical Center in Colby. Anyone who wants

to quit or has quit using tobacco is urged to attend. For information, call (785) 462-8152.

Rehabilitation Aide Class — Colby Community College will offer a rehabilitation aide class worth two credit hours from **8 a.m.- 5 p.m., Central Time, Monday, July 24 through Thursday, July 27** on the college campus. For information, contact Mary Herbel at (785) 462-3984, ext. 286.

Training for Teachers and Counselors — Two, three day training programs of Dr. William Glasser's presentation, "Choice Theory/Reality Therapy," will be held **Aug. 2, 3, and 4 or Aug. 5, 6 and 7** at Fort Hays State University. To reserve a space please call David Jackson no later than July 9. (816) 580-4275.

crimestoppers

If you have any information about any crime, call the Goodland Area Crime Stoppers "Look Line" at 899-5665. Your call will be confidential and you will not be asked your name. If the information you give results in the arrest and/or conviction of those persons involved, you could be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000. The Goodland Area Crime Stoppers is a nonprofit organization formed by citizens against crime.

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In loving memory...



With regret, Bateman Funeral Home honors the memory of "Mortimer". He was adopted from the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter in 1997 with a ruptured diaphragm, we were told to enjoy him during the time he had left. He had the ability to reach out to "cat lovers" with compassion and caring. He will be missed.

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