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calendar

Talent Show — There will be a talent show held during the Sunflower Festival in Goodland. The age groups are 7-12, 13-18, and 19 and above. Talent judging will begin at **11:30 a.m.** Saturday and continue through the afternoon. To enter, contact Sabrina Twombly at 899-5637 or Tim Renner at 899-2038.

Fair Parade — The 4-H Ambassadors will sponsor the Northwest Kansas District Free Fair Parade to be held at 6 p.m. Saturday. Entries will be judged during the parade with the winners to be announced at the fairgrounds immediately afterwards.

Ouilt Show—The Sunflower Ouilt Show 2000 will be held from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday and from 1-4 p.m. Sunday in the gym at Central School, 1311 Main. If you have a quilt you would like to enter, call the Goodland Chamber of Commerce Office at (785)899-7130 for a registration form or pick one up at 104 W. 11th.

Photo Display — The first-round winning photos from "A Day in the Life of Sherman County" photo contest held on July 4 may be seen from 1-4 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and Monday at the Carnegie Arts Center.

SHARE — Sign up for low cost food in exchange for volunteer work for August will be from 9-10 a.m. Monday at 824 Main in Goodland.

Pharmacology Progam — "Pharmacology for Nurses," is the name of a program to be held from 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 24, at the Goodland Regional Medical Center. It is approved for six hours of continuing education credit and is designed for registered and licensed practical nurses. For information or to register, call the Northwest Kansas Area Health Education Center at (785) 628-6128.

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

TOPS Meeting—Take Off Pounds

days 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 out the names of the grand marshals those who desire a less strenuous workout will be at 8 a.m. Tuesday and like to try to put up a board in the ag **Thursday** with Marilyn Imel. For questions, call 899-7242.

Golf Tournament — The Northwest Kansas Shrine Club will have a benefit golf tournament **Sunday** at the Sugar Hills Country Club in Goodland. It will begin with **registration at 7** a.m. and a shotgun tee-off will be at 8 **a.m.** Teams will be made up of three persons and play 18 holes holes of golf. To sign up, call the club at (785) 899-2785.

Carnegie Arts Center — Michelle Wilson-Fisher, Garden Plain, will have her art work on display at the arts center through Thursday, Aug. 31. She has worked with various art media which include watercolor, acrylic and oil, and has done pencil sketching, and three-dimensional work. Her exhibit is sponsored by Eklund's First Insurance Agency. 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.

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.

birthday party

Lee Gotchall, Goodland, will be honored at a belated 75th birthday party to be held from 2-4 p.m. Saturday at the United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. The public is invited. The party will be hosted by his children, Mary Ann Mills, Terry Gotchall, Susan Schaben, and Larry Gotchall.

card shower

Bryan and Cinda Hatcher, Goodland, will celebrate their 25th Wedding Anniversary on Thursday, Aug. 10. Their children, Mandy and

Sensibly meets at 5:30 p.m. on Mon- Wesley, request a card shower for them ters support group will meet from 7-8 in honor of the occasion. Cards may be sent to them at 1770 Road 65, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

looking for info

The 4-H Ambassadors and Lincoln Larks Club have done research to find from past fair parades as they would pavilion at the fairgrounds to recognize them. They have come up with many of the names, but are missing those from 1972, 1980, 1990, and 1993. Also, they aren't sure when the parade began having a grand marshal. If anyone has any information that would fill in the gaps, please contact Virginia Chatfield or Jan Lohr.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted: Thursday, Jose A.

Sandoval, Kanorado. Dismissed: Thursday, none.

Transferred: none.

Specialists for Monday: Dr. Ted Clarke, orthopedics; Dr. William Saber, plastic surgerv.

Hospital weekly volunteer schedule—Sunday—Jessie Owens, cour-Mazie Sutton, courtesy; Mary Schippert, a.m.; Aurabelle Isernhagen, p.m. **Tuesday** — Bonnie Daily, a.m.; Beulah McClung, p.m. Wednesday-Irene Kehlbeck, courtesy and p.m.; Martha Gunderson, courtesy; Jessie Owens, a.m.; Berna Biem, p.m. Friday - Ruth Morton, courtesy; Fern Hawks, a.m.; Pauline Stephens, p.m.

today in history

In 1961, after two years of planning, the first Goodland High School reunion was held for all graduates from 1894 through 1961.

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

Support Group — A tobacco quit- at the university. Her parents are Philip

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.

Artist's work shown at center here

Artist Michelle Wilson-Fisher, who is skilled in watercolor, acrylic and oil painting along with pencil sketching and three-dimensional drawing, has her work on display at the Carnegie Arts Center through Thursday, Aug. 31.

The youngest of four children in rural Osawatomie, Wilson-Fisher spent her childhood days with a woman named Irene Manly.

Wilson-Fisher said Manly helped her develop technique and implanted in her an appreciation and understanding of art expression. She said her technique matured with the help of the Osawatomie school system's gifted art program.

Today, Michelle lives with her husband Max and two daughters Shelby and Aleisha in Garden Plain outside Wichita, but travels to Goodland sometimes to see her older sister, Denise White.

Wilson-Fisher has a family and recently opened a new business, but she said she still manages to find time to paint and draw. Her exhibit is sponsored by Eklund's First Insurance.



Carolyn Reitcheck and Eric Stefan, May graduates of Goodland High School, have received scholarships which were partially funded by the John and Louie Owen Scholarship Fund and administered through the

Kansas State University Foundation. Reitcheck was given a medallion scholarship of \$1,200 and has enrolled in the pre-health professions program

The Owen Scholarship Fund proparticularly those from Sherman riculum at the university.

Volunteers set up a table at Jan's

"Much appreciation is extended to

worthy cause," said Judy McKee, a

formation packets with breast cancer





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Connie Ritter of Colby (seated) sold a raffle ticket to a woman during the Hallmark 2000 ornament premiere at Jan's Hallmark in Goodland. Ritter is a member of a local ornament club, which held the raffle to raise money for breast cancer research.

Ornament club raises money for cancer research

ending July 22.

Jan's Hallmark and Tis' the Season Hallmark 2000 ornament premiere and Ornament Club raised \$318 for breast continued through the sidewalk sale, cancer research last month by holding a raffle.

The money will go to the Susan G. Hallmark and handed out updated in-Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.

The prizes of a Guardian Angel and facts. Cookies and tea were provided a basket of retired beanie babies, went too. to Richard Hoffman of Goodland and Shelly Mattocks of Great Bend, re- everyone who contributes to the very spectively.

The raffle began July 1, during the member of the ornament club.

and Mary Ann Reitcheck of Goodland. Stefan received a \$900 scholarship vides financial assistance to students. and is enrolled in mechanical engineer-

ing at K-State. He is the son of Bernie County, who are enrolled in any curand Diane Stefan of Goodland.



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