

about our friends

calendar

Historical Discussion — The Sherman County Historical Society will have a discussion from **noon-1 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 16**, at the Senior Center in Goodland. Everyone is welcome to attend. The topic of discussion will be Pete Roubidoux.

Pharmacology Program — “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

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 — **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

Two sisters, **Eva Briney** and **Leila Sturrock, Goodland**, will have a combined birthday celebration from **2-4 p.m. Sunday** at the United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall in Goodland. Friends are invited to attend. No gifts, please. Sturrock turned 90 on July 14 and Briney will be 95 on Sept. 14.

books being sold

The Sherman County Historical Society has transcribed a diary written by J.B. Moore, a Sherman County settler who came here in 1886. Moore kept a day-to-day diary from the time he arrived in the county until close to the end of his life. The diary covers the years from 1886-1894 and tells about the settlement of the county and Moore’s life from his perspective. The diary is being sold at Knott Just Books and the High Plains Museum store.

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 info

The 4-H Ambassadors and Lincoln Larks Club have done research to find out the names of the grand marshals from past fair parades as they would like to try to put up a board in the ag 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.

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.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center
Admitted: Friday, Lester Lehman, Goodland. **Saturday**, Colene Gant and Elizabeth Goodley, both of Goodland. **Sunday**, Jonathan Beeson, Goodland.

Dismissed: Friday, Marvin Boothroy and Michele Roeder, both of Goodland; and Constance Padilla, Colby. **Saturday**, Jose Sandoval, Kanorado. **Sunday**, none.

Transferred: none.
Specialists for Tuesday: Dr. Kevin McDonald, urology.

Hospital weekly volunteer schedule — **Tuesday** — Bonnie Daily, a.m.; Beulah McClung, p.m. **Wednesday** — Irene Kehlbeck, courtesy and p.m.; Helen Armstrong, a.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

Larry Bohl, Goodland, is in a hospital in Texas for extensive medical treatment. Cards can be sent to: Larry Bohl, c/o M.D. Anderson, P.O. Box 300206, 1515 Holcombe Blvd., Houston, Texas 77030-4095.

today in history

In 1925, M.J. Renner came to western Kansas after he was told he had only months to live. When he got to feeling better, he established a medical practice with Dr. Beckner in an office over Higdon’s Drug Store.

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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 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.

Head Injury Meeting — The Head Injury Support Group will meet at **7 p.m., Central Time, Thursday** at the LINK office, 1204 Canterbury, in Hays. All head/brain injury survivors, family members, and supporters are welcome to attend. For information, call Gia Scott at (800) 569-5926.

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.

Addresses sought for school reunion

Addresses are needed for the following Goodland High School graduates for the all-school reunion to be held in 2001.

1926 — James Grieger, Warner Thomas, and William Walker

1927 — Iowa Faye Melton Woodring and Minnie Walker Crosby

1930 — Elsie Clingan Sorensen, Violet Collins, and Thelma Schmalz Snowbarger

1932 — Maxine Heston Rehor
If anyone has information about any of these individuals, call Clara Marie Fixsen at (785) 899-5486.

Couple plans wedding

Laura Lois VanDonge and David Scott Lloyd, both of Custer, S.D., are to be married at 4 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 23, at St. Paul’s Lutheran Church in Haven.

Parents of the bride-to-be are Jerry and Cindy VanDonge of Goodland.

The groom-to-be’s mother is Ruth A. Lloyd of Hutchinson.

The bride-to-be is a 1994 graduate of Goodland High School. She attended Colby Community College and Fort Hays State University.

She is a counselor at a youth home in Custer and is working part-time on a bachelor of science degree.

The groom-to-be graduated in 1988 from Hutchinson High School and in 1996 from Pittsburg State University.

He works as a drill instructor at a juvenile boot camp in Custer and is an officer in the Army Reserve.

After the wedding and a honeymoon, the couple will return to the Black Hills of South Dakota to live.



VanDonge and Lloyd

obituaries

Lonny L. Kear, Sr.

Lonny L. Kear, Sr., 56, owner of Lonny’s Quality Auto Body in Goodland, died Saturday, Aug. 5, 2000.

He was taken by ambulance to the Goodland Regional Medical Center, where he was pronounced dead.

Services are pending with Bateman Funeral Home in Goodland.

A full obituary will follow.

Joe Ward

Joe Ward, 71, Henderson, Nev., son-in-law of Goodland resident Lowell Cowan, died Tuesday, July 25, 2000, of a heart attack at Henderson.

He was born Aug. 22, 1928, at Skiatook, Okla.

He worked for the gas company in Hays before he retired. He then moved to Henderson.

Memorial services were held at 11 a.m., Central Time, on Monday, July 31, at Hays Memorial Chapel Funeral Home in Hays with the Rev. Bill Miller officiating.

Inurnment was held at Mount Allen Cemetery in Hays before services.

Other survivors include his wife,

Gayle, of the home; two sons; and three daughters.

Memorials may be made to the Cancer Council of Ellis County.

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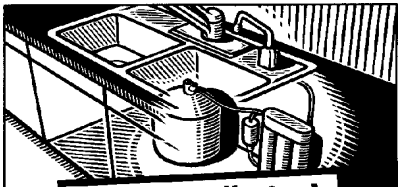


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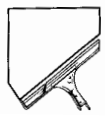


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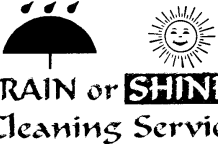
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