

about our friends

calendar

Bike-A-Thon — There will be a donation and information table set up at the Flatlander Festival on **Saturday** for the St. Jude Bike-A-Thon to raise money for cancer research. The bike-a-thon was not held Sunday because of the cold temperatures. It will be held **from 9 a.m.-noon on Saturday, Oct. 7** on the north side of West School. For questions, call Aletha or Kendall Morris at 899-3830.

Archery Shoot — The Smoky Gardens Archery Club will have a broad-head shoot at **10 a.m. Sunday** at the archery range. For information, call Charles Engel at 899-5174, Bill McKnight at 899-5358 or Bob Cotten at 899-6465.

Old Schoolhouse Day — The Sherman County Historical Society will host the 3rd Annual Old Schoolhouse Day in conjunction with the Flatlander Festival. This special celebration will be held from **1-3 p.m. Sunday** at the Union School north of the museum. A spelling bee will be held, a short history of the school and its furnishings will be given and one-room school teachers will be present. Teachers (current or retired), school children and adults are invited. Refreshments will be served.

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

Obesity Program — A program called "Overcoming Obesity" will be presented at **2 p.m. Tuesday** at the Harvest America office at 212 E. 17th in Goodland. Roxanne Burda, Sherman County Family and Consumer Science agent, will give the program. For questions, call the extension office at 899-4880.

Veterans' Affairs — Jody Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs will be available to assist veterans and their dependents with claims work from **1-2:15 p.m. Thursday** in the assembly room on the third floor of the Goodland courthouse. If you miss her, you may contact the Colby office any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

Kanorado Octoberfest — Kanorado will hold its Octoberfest on **Saturday, Oct. 7**. Lots of activities are planned with booths to open at 9 a.m. and a concert at 7:30 p.m. to finish off the day.

Dinner Theater — "Mark Twain in the Garden of Eden" will be presented during a dinner theater at **6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14**, and a dessert bar matinee at **2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15**, at the United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall in Goodland. Tickets may be purchased at Aten's or Mr. Jim's or by calling 899-3631.

activities

TOPS Meeting — Take Off Pounds

Sensibly meets at **5:30 p.m. 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 — Forty-five photos from this year's "A Day in the Life of Sherman County," photography contests will be on display at the Carnegie Arts Center through **Sunday**. The photos are of a variety of people at work or play and of buildings, landmarks and landscapes in Sherman County. Don't miss this display of local talent. 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.

support group

The Multiple Sclerosis Support Group of Burlington, Colo., would like to help. The group meets at **9:30 a.m. on the second Saturday** of each month. For questions or personal support, call Della Helzer at 899-2585.

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.

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.

school menu

Monday — Barbecue beef on bun, tater tots, relish tray, cookie and milk.

Tuesday — Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot roll, Jell-o with fruit and milk.

Wednesday — Fish, buttered potatoes, broccoli, cake and milk.

Thursday — Lasagna, lettuce salad, garlic bread stick, fruit cup and milk.

Friday — Cheeseburger, french fries, lettuce, tomato, onion, Jell-o with fruit and milk.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center
Admitted: Thursday, Rosetta Whiteman, Goodland.

Dismissed: Thursday, Kody Simon, Goodland.

Transferred: none.

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

Hospital weekly volunteer schedule — **Sunday** — Jessie Owens, courtesy; Betty Saint, p.m. **Monday** — Mazie Sutton, courtesy; Mary Schipper, a.m.; Aurabelle Isernhagen, p.m. **Tuesday** — Marj Crabb, a.m.; Beulah McClung, p.m. **Wednesday** — Opal Callahan, courtesy; Margie Richards, p.m. **Thursday** — Patty Gensil, courtesy; Mary Lou Franklin, a.m. **Friday** — none.

patient updates

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 77230-4095.

Leo Hatcher, Goodland, has been transferred to Denver. He will be there for several weeks. He and Connie would appreciate your prayers. Cards can be sent to: Porter Adventist Hospital, 2525 S. Downing Street, Denver,

matters of record

Real Estate Transfers
Jimmy R. and Elsie B. Hovis to Mary Kay Yanez, all of Lots 5 and 6, in Block 14, of the Second Addition to Goodland.

Doris M. Moeller, Iris M. Hansen and Doris M. Moeller, personal representative of the estate of Keith C. Moeller, to trustees of the Joyce A. Jones Revocable Trust, the SW 1/4 of Sec. 3, T9S, R38W.

Trustees of the Markowitz Family Trust, Regnal L. and Barbara Hall and Hyman and Joyce M. Markowitz, trustees of the Markowitz Family Trust, to trustees of the Joyce A. Jones Revocable Trust, the NW 1/4 of Sec. 3, T9S, R38W.

Trustee of the Rita M. Ackerman

Colo. 80210.

today in history

In 1887, E. Thorsen of Eustis purchased the Sherman Hotel at Sherman Center. The two-story building was moved to Goodland to be used as a store. It burned in a fire in January of 1903.

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animal shelter

Have you lost a pet? Call the Goodland Police Department at 899-4570.

Are you interested in adopting a pet? Call the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 899-6464.

area events

Tobacco 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.

Medical Screenings — The Nebraska-Western Iowa Health Care System at Grand Island, Neb., will offer a medical screening clinic to all veterans in the area from **8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Central Time, Tuesday** at the American Legion Club, 1850 W. Fourth, Colby. The clinic will include blood pressure checks; tetanus, pneumonia, and flu shots; wellness education; blood and cholesterol level tests; and eligibility information. For information, call Virginia Pokorski, registered nurse, or Sandy Christiansen, public affairs officer, at (888) 246-8745.

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. You could be eligible for a reward.

Revocable Trust and trustees of the Rita M. Ackerman Marital Deduction Trust to Thomas K. and Carol A. Stewart, Lot 1 and the north 30 feet of Lot 2, in Block 31, of the Beahm's Addition to Goodland.

Thomas K. and Carol A. Stewart to Linda A. and Donald Paul Kasinger, Jr., the south half of Lot 5 and all of Lot 6, in Block 27, of the Beahm's Addition to Goodland.

Marriage Licenses
Gaylord Lynn Stasser, Goodland, and Bonnie Marie Oikarinen, St. Francis.
James Patrick Bonner, Jr. and Jessica Sue Dorn, both of Goodland.
Steven Wade Finley and Amy Sue Shafer, both of Sharon Springs.

obituary

Grace O. Gard

Grace O. (Tyler) Gard, 94, Houston, a former Goodland resident, died Thursday, Sept. 14, 2000, at Houston.

She was born May 14, 1906, at Iola, the daughter of Ada Alice (James) and Ira Hamlin Tyler.

She and Charles Gard were married Oct. 27, 1929, at Goodland.

She was a homemaker.

A memorial service was held Monday in Houston.

A committal ceremony will be held at 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 15, at the Goodland Cemetery.

Survivors include two sons, Dr. Charles L. Gard, Houston, and C. Dee Gard, Wichita; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1972.

Arts center plans activities

The Carnegie Arts Center will have a few activities for people to do Saturday during the Flatlander Fall Festival in Goodland.

A silent auction sponsored by the Goodland Arts Council will continue through 2 p.m. on Saturday. Auction items are on display at the old Schneider building, Aten Department Store, Mr. Jim's and Klip N' Kurl. Bids may be placed at the arts center. The proceeds from the auction will go towards art programs and the operation of the arts center.

People are invited to paint on a blank 9 foot wide by 6 foot tall canvas from

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday that will be out in front of the arts center. The cost is \$1 for five minutes. The completed canvas will then be on display from Sunday, Oct. 1, through Sunday, Oct. 15, at the Sherman Theatre and from Monday, Oct. 16 through Monday, Oct. 30, in Bonnie Selby's office at the Sherman County Courthouse.

The display of "A Day in the Life of Sherman County" and Goodland Photography Club photos can also be seen from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday at the arts center. Viewers may vote on their favorite photo for the "People's Choice" award that is to be given.

Early frost speeds up corn harvest

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"The frost was a couple of weeks before schedule," he said, "but the moisture was beneficial."

The only effect that the light snow had was to delay the harvest a little, he said, but it is still early enough in the year that it didn't matter too much.

"The frost helped to speed harvest up," said Hoelting, "but it didn't hurt anything."

He said that the weather has been tremendous for harvest so far, and that the temperature has kept the work at a leisurely pace.

"There is no rush to get the crops out," said Hoelting. "The threat of weather would speed up the harvest."

Belshe said that there has been some hail damage to crops, but a lot of the farmers had decided earlier to sell the damaged crops for feed.

Harvest is really only into the first

week for corn, and mostly dry land corn has been harvested so far, into next week sunflowers, beans and corn should all be into full swing, he said.

In Kanorado, harvest has started, but its going very slow right now, said Tamera Nagel a bookkeeper with Kanorado Co-Op.

She said that two farmers had gotten up and were going yesterday, but things should pick up and head into full swing starting next week.

Hoelting suggested that producers need to look at marketing strategies and government programs right now.

He said that the government has several ways for producers to be able to collect higher prices, and one way is to deliver to a facility with open storage. He said that Mueller does except open storage, and he wasn't sure what facilities in the area would.

"The open storage opens up more options for the producers," he said.

<p>Coyote Ugly (PG-13) \$2.50 Sun. matinee & Tues. www.goodlandnet.com/movies</p>	<p>Bring this AD to the theatre for \$1 Off on a large popcorn & 2 med. drinks. Exp. 12/31/00</p>	<p>Fri. & Sat. 7:00 & 9:00 Sun. 1:30 & 7:00 Mon.-Thurs. 7:00</p>	<p>Movie Bucks Make Great Gifts!</p>
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