

about our friends

calendar

Singles Group — The Thursday Night Together Christian singles group will have a party at **6:30 p.m. tonight** at the Edwards Hall in the Armstrong Addition. All singles are invited to attend. For questions, call 899-2733.

Insurance Assistance — A representative of HealthWave, a health insurance program for children under 19 in families with limited incomes, will be available to answer questions and provide application assistance from **9 a.m.-3 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 4**, at the Sherman County Health Department, 1622 Broadway, Goodland. For information about the program, call (800) 792-4884.

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 Imel. For questions, call 899-7242.

Carnegie Arts Center — 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**.

Basketball Camp — Applications are now being evaluated for the Ten Star All Star Summer Basketball Camp. Boys, ages 8-19, and girls, ages 10-19, can apply. Players are selected by invitation only. The Kansas camp location is in Atchison. College basketball scholarships are possible for players named to the All-American Team. For an evaluation form, call (704) 568-6801, anytime.

Library Closings — The Goodland Public Library will be closed **Monday** for New Year's Day. The library board and staff wishes all of the library's pa-

trons a Happy New Year.

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.

food for fines

The Goodland Public Library will again offer its "Food for Fines" program **during December**. Patrons with outstanding fines or overdue library materials may bring in a food item for Genesis, a local food bank, in exchange for the fine. Food items needed by Genesis include peanut butter, cereal, pancake mix, cake mixes, Jell-o, pudding, or any canned goods.

teddy bear project

The Goodland Elks Lodge and Kickers Restaurant and Lounge are sponsoring a teddy bear project for this Christmas season. Bring a new teddy bear to the lodge and it will be displayed under their tree until after Christmas. The bears will then be given to the Northwest Kansas ambulance crew for them to give out to sick or injured kids or adults throughout next year.

photos needed

Photos are needed for a 2001 alumni reunion display to be put up next year at the High Plains Museum in Goodland. Any photos of Goodland classes or individuals will work and are needed, as soon as possible, so that work can begin on the display. For questions, stop by the museum or call 899-4595.

society donations

The Sherman County Historical Society has received positive response to the proposed purchase of the Edythe Handy house. Your continued support is critical to the award of the grant request that is currently in progress. Tax-

free pledges or donations for this year or 2001 may be made to the historical society at P.O. Box 684, Goodland, Kan. 67735 or by calling 899-6773.

wheelchairs for use

Electric wheelchairs are being made available to seniors, 65 and up, and permanently disabled citizens by the Senior Wheels USA Program. There is no cost to recipients if they qualify. No deposit is required. If your need is for use in your home, call Leon Johnson at (800) 246-6010 for information to find out if you qualify.

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.

school menu

Monday through Friday — No School (Christmas Break).

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted on Wednesday: Myrna M. Carson and Peggy Klinge, both of Goodland.

Dismissed on Wednesday: Dwight Perrey, Goodland.

Transferred: none.

Specialists for Friday: Dr. David Pfoff, ophthalmologist; Dr. Gerald Poticha, endocrinologist.

Hospital weekly volunteer schedule — Friday — Bonnie Daily, a.m.

recovering patients

Doris Peter, a former Goodland resident, is a patient at a hospital in Union, Mo., where she is recovering from pneumonia. Her daughter requested a card shower to cheer her up. Cards or letters can be sent to her at 12-4 Woodland Oaks, Union, Mo., 63084.

Zella Hamel, a former Goodland resident, is recovering from hip fracture. She would like to hear from Goodland friends. Her address is 110

them very much.

Edna and Arnold Warren's Christmas pretty much went off without too many hitches. They celebrated the day along with son, Ryan Warren; Edna and Arnold's grandson, Brandon Warren and his wife, Jennifer, and their two children of Goodland.

Daffynitions: Intaxication: Euphoria at getting a refund from the IRS, which lasts until you realize it was your money to start with.

The Doris and Luella Richardson family celebrated their Christmas on Christmas Eve. Their son, Roger, attended, along with daughters, Linda and Connie, and Connie's husband, Rob, and their two girls.

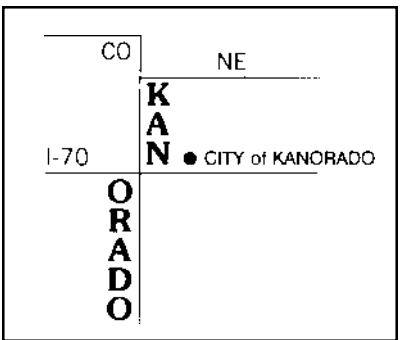
New word for the next century: MOUSE POTATO — The on-line, wired generation's answer to the couch potato.

Edna Bishop spent Christmas Day with her son Ken Bishop Jr. and his wife, Linda. Ken and Linda's son, Kale Bishop of Aurora, Colo., made it down to spend the day with the folks along with his girlfriend, Audrey Tons, also of Aurora.

Describing people: The cheese slid off his cracker.

Jeff and Joni Denton celebrated Christmas on the day before sharing fun with family. Those who attended at Jeff and Joni's place were Joni's parents, Jim and Barbara Waldman of Goodland; her brother, Jason Waldman of Lawrence; and grandma, Marjorie Van Fleet of Goodland.

Truths children have learned: No matter how hard you try, you can't baptize cats.



By Dixie Hooker

Kanorado Correspondent

Useless facts: A raisin dropped in a glass of fresh champagne will bounce up and down continually from the bottom of the glass to the top.

Christmas was normal for some, but for some it was celebrated a little different than their norm and for others it was a weather nightmare.

Penny Helderman and her son, Blake, left early the day before Christmas to spend the event with her parents, Doug and Betty Sheldon in Yuma, Colo. Penny's hubby, Robert, was going to follow later in the day. The storm hit with its ice and foggy conditions and he had to remain home all by himself on Christmas Day. He said it was

Local business donates gasoline to troopers

Frontier Equity Exchange has donated gasoline to the Kansas Highway Patrol as part of the annual "Holiday Highways Safety Program," sponsored by the Petroleum Marketers and Convenience Store Association of Kansas the last 10 years.

The program encourages association members to donate coupons that are later redeemed for free gasoline by troopers, who use the extra fuel to increase their efforts during holiday traffic. For this holiday season, the program started Dec. 22 and will continue through New Year's Day.

Dwayne Kahns, president of the petroleum association, said the program has allowed the Kansas Highway Patrol to increase its presence by nearly 500,000 miles since 1991.

"In the past 10 years, association members have donated nearly 33,000 gallons of gasoline to the safety program," he said. "This effort between public and private sectors has resulted in fewer stranded holiday motorists, fewer accidents and hopefully, a significant number of lives saved...all at no cost to the taxpayers of Kansas."

The petroleum association represents licensed fuel distributors, convenience store owners and operators, and gasoline retailers. Frontier Equity has fuel facilities in Goodland, Bird City and Brewster.

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today in history

In 1944, Albert and Alice Dautel received word that their son, Charles, lost his life in England on Dec. 22, 1944. He was one of 37 men from Sherman County to die while serving in World War II.

From the Sherman County Historical Society calendar

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.

Found: an older male brownish-red Dachshund around North School. Call the animal shelter to claim.

area events

Tobacco Support Group — The tobacco quitters support group that meets from **7-8 p.m., Central Time, every Wednesday** in the cafeteria of Citizens' Medical Center in Colby will **not meet on Dec. 27**. The group will start meeting again on Jan. 3 when they will watch a videotape called "Kickin' Butts" which is targeted at those who are trying to kick their smoking habit. Anyone who has a desire to stop smoking is urged to attend. For information, call (785) 462-8152.

crimestoppers

Sometime between 3 p.m. on Dec. 1 and 10:10 a.m. on Dec. 4, someone drove a vehicle through a snow fence, post and chain at the Northwest Kansas Technical School in Goodland.

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.

obituaries

Lester G. Holiman

Lester G. Holiman, 85, a longtime Brewster resident, died Wednesday, Dec. 27, 2000, at Lantern Park Manor in Colby.

He was born April 9, 1915, at Stilwell, Okla.

He was a retired salvage collector. His funeral will be at 2 p.m., Central Time, Friday at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby with the Rev. Roger Michael of Brewster officiating. Burial will be in the Brewster Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 1 to 9 p.m., Central Time, Thursday and from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Central Time, Friday at the funeral chapel in Colby.

Survivors include his wife, Bernice Holiman of Brewster; a son, Don Worley of Winona; four daughters, Elizabeth Bowen of Goodland, Kathy Holsman of Gem, Rhonda Cain of Oakley and Angel Dadds of Kensington; a sister, Bernice Ramey of Muldrow, Okla.; nine grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Memorials to benefit the Alzheimer's Association may be left at The Brewster Bank or the funeral chapel.

Rosalie Jacobs

Rosalie Jacobs, 80, Medicine Lodge, mother of Goodland residents LeAnn Friedrichs and Carol Thompson, died Tuesday, Dec. 26, 2000, at the Goodland Regional Medical Center.

She was born July 17, 1920, at Cairo, the daughter of Hattie May (Wilcox) and Cecil R. Fitzsimmons.

She and Albert LeRoy Alexander were married Feb. 8, 1941, at Coats. He died in February 1975. Then, she and James W. Jacobs were married on Oct. 6, 1987. He died in March 1998.

She was a homemaker. She had lived in Coats, Zenda, Medicine Lodge and Goodland.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Women at Zenda and the 20th Century Club at Coats.

Her funeral will be at 10:30 a.m., Central Time, Saturday at Ayres-Calbeck Mortuary in Pratt with Pastor Mike McGovney officiating. Burial will be in the Coats Cemetery.

Friends may call from 1 to 8 p.m., Central Time, Friday at the mortuary, 115 E. Fourth, Pratt.

Other survivors include a son, Jeffery Alexander of Pratt; a stepson, James Jacobs of Holton; a stepdaughter, Karen Powell of Kingman; a sister, Shirley Cunningham of Medicine Lodge; 14 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her two husbands; her parents; a brother, Eugene Fitzsimmons, and a grandson.

Memorials may be made to Hospice Services Inc. at Goodland or the United Methodist Church at Zenda.

Several to run for attorney general

TOPEKA (AP) — Two legislators, a top aide to Gov. Bill Graves, and the Republican Party's state chairman are thinking about running for attorney general in 2002.

Attorney General Carla Stovall said Wednesday she plans to leave Kansas politics after her current term expires in January 2003 and hopes to join a law firm with national or international connections.

Some speculation centers on Sen.-elect David Adkins, of Leawood, as a potential GOP candidate. Adkins, who served eight years in the House, wouldn't discuss his plans but promised an announcement.

Rep. Tony Powell, a Wichita lawyer, said he is seriously considering a run for the GOP nomination.

Natalie Haag, Graves' chief legislative liaison and general counsel, said she plans to talk to law enforcement officials about the attorney general's job but hasn't made a decision.

State GOP Chairman Mark Parkinson, of Olathe, said he hasn't ruled out running. Parkinson, a lawyer, served six years in the Legislature.

So far, no Democrats have said publicly they are considering running.

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Goodland Enrollment:
Wednesday, January 3rd, 10-12 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. MT; Northwest Kansas Technical School, Murray Center
Monday, January 8th, 6-7:30 p.m. MT, Goodland High School Cafeteria

Course Number	Course Name	Instructor	CR	Tuition + Fees	Place	Time	Start Date
MONDAY							
PS 276	Human Growth and Development — ITV	M. Engle	3	\$144	Murray Center	5:30-8:30 pm	1/22
ML 237	Spanish Composition & Conversation — ITV	Susan Hall	3	\$129	GHS - 152	6:00-9:00 pm	1/22
EN 176	English Composition I	L. Van Loenen	3	\$129	GHS - 226	6:00-9:00 pm	1/8
TUESDAY							
SO 176	Introduction to Sociology — ITV	L. Koon	3	\$144	Murray Center	5:30-8:30 pm	1/23
AL 105	Nurse Aide I	S. Pearson	2	\$86	Good Samaritan	6:00-9:00 pm	2/6
AL 106	Nurse Aide II	S. Pearson	3	\$129	Good Samaritan	6:00-9:00 pm	2/6
WEDNESDAY							
BU 237	Principles of Management — ITV	B. Dye	3	\$144	Murray Center	5:30-8:30 pm	1/24
THURSDAY							
HF 101	Basic Nutrition — ITV	J. Thyfault	3	\$144	Murray Center	6:00-9:00 pm	1/25
AR 114	Beginning Crafts (Stained Glass)	C. Kickler	3	\$129	GHS - 156	6:00-9:00 pm	1/11
AR 215	Advanced Crafts (Advanced Stained Glass)	C. Kickler	3	\$129	GHS - 156	6:00-9:00 pm	1/11
ED 106	Beginning Signing Exact English	Staff	2	\$86	TBA	6:00-9:00 pm	1/11
MONDAY-WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY							
MA 101 A	Fundamentals of Math	E. Craghead	3	\$129	Murray Center	12:30-1:25 pm	1/3
MA 101 B	Fundamentals of Math	E. Craghead	3	\$129	Murray Center	2:30-3:25 pm	1/3
MA 101 C	Fundamentals of Math	E. Craghead	3	\$129	Murray Center	3:30-4:25 pm	1/3
SP 106 A	Interpersonal Communications	S. Calliham	3	\$129	Murray Center	2:30-3:25 pm	1/3
SP 106 B	Interpersonal Communications	S. Calliham	3	\$129	Murray Center	3:30-4:25 pm	1/3
BU 176	Personal Finance	B. Hartzler	3	\$129	Murray Center	3:30-4:25 pm	1/3
MONDAY-TUESDAY							
G.E.D. / Adult Basic Education							
MONDAY-WEDNESDAY							
English as a Second Language							
TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY							
BI 277	Anatomy & Physiology II	R. Barkley	4	\$172	GHS - 253	6:00-9:00 pm	1/16
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FRIDAY/SATURDAY WORKSHOPS							
PS 162	Topics in Applied Psychology — Human Relations - ITV	L. Koon	1	\$43	Murray Center	4:30-10:00 F 7:00-5:00 S	2/9
PS 225	Death & Dying - ITV	R. Hale	1	\$48	Murray Center	4:30 F / 7:00 S	2/23
SO 123	Criminology - ITV (Meets 4 weekends: 3/30-31, 4/6-7, 4/20-21, 5/4-5)	M. McVay	3	\$144	Murray Center	5:00-9:00 F 7:00-3:30 S	3/30
SP 106 C	Interpersonal Communications (Meets three weekends: 2/16-17, 3/2-3, 3/23-24)	S. Calliham	3	\$129	Murray Center	3:30-9:00 F 8:00-6:00 S	2/16
TO BE ANNOUNCED (TBA)							
AL 122	First Responder Training	Staff	3	\$129	Hospital	TBA	TBA
AL 110	Medication Aide	S. Pearson	3	\$129	Good Samaritan	TBA	TBA
AL 104	Community First Aid & Safety	Staff	.5	\$21.50	TBA	TBA	TBA
AL 140	Community CPR	Staff	.5	\$21.50	TBA	TBA	TBA

Tuition indicated is for Kansas residents only. Refer to tuition note below for non-resident rate.

TBA = To Be Announced; night and starting date will be determined by the enrollment

GHS = Goodland High School

Tuition is \$43.00 per credit hour for Kansas residents; \$81.00 per credit hour for non-residents; \$51.00 per credit hour for special non-residents. Some classes have additional fees. Special non-residents are any resident of the following Colorado and Nebraska counties or a graduate of any high school located within these counties. Nebraska: Dundy, Hitchcock, Red Willow, Furnas, Harlan Colorado: Yuma, Kit Carson, Cheyenne

ITV classes require pre-registration and have a \$5.00 per credit hour fee. Contact Sharon Hall

A counselor will be available at the January 3rd enrollment at the Murray Center to answer questions on financial aid, graduation requirements, and career options.

For additional information contact: Sharon Hall (785) 899-5930