

# about our friends

## calendar

**Card Party** — The Thursday Night Together singles group will meet at **6:30 p.m. Thursday** at Marie Edwards' dance hall in the Armstrong Addition. The group will play cards. Bring finger food. For questions, call 899-2733.

**Valentine's Dinner** — The Senior High Youth Group from the United Methodist Church in Goodland is selling tickets to their Valentine's dinner to be held **Sunday** in the Fellowship Hall of the church. You have a choice of either chicken or steak. Tickets must be bought in advance. For information or to buy tickets, contact any youth group member or call the church office at 899-3631 or Rich and Lyn Hoffman at 899-6389.

## 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** — Artwork by Goodland elementary students will be on exhibit through **Friday, Feb. 23**, at the Carnegie Arts Center in Goodland. One piece of artwork from each child in pre-kindergarten through sixth grade will be shown. The exhibit is sponsored by Doug and Jeanne Irvin and Brady and Jane Philbrick. 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.

## 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 may be made to the historical society at P.O. Box 684, Goodland, Kan. 67735 or by calling 899-6773.

## books available

The 1901 "Life in Sherman County" books printed by the Sherman County Historical Society can be purchased at Knott Just Books or the High Plains Museum in Goodland.

## alumni deadline

The deadline for alumni address labels to be turned in is **Monday, Feb. 19**. Alumni secretaries are asked to turn in updates by this date. The final deadline for the alumni directory will be Sunday, April 15. If you have questions, call Peggy Bahe at 899-5433.

## support group

Anyone interested in forming a bipolar disorder support group, should call Virginia Tucker at 899-5696. The support group would be for the family and friends of those with the disorder, as well as the patients.

## birthday reception

**Lawrence House of Goodland** will be having his 90th birthday. In honor of the occasion, a reception will be held from **2-4 p.m. Sunday** in the parlor of the United Methodist Church, 12th and Sherman. The community is invited to help him celebrate.

## student news

**Stephanie Hart**, a 1997 graduate of Goodland High School, has been named to the Academic Dean's List for the fall semester at Milligan College in northeast Tennessee. Hart is majoring in biology and humanities and will graduate in May. She is involved in the Hopwood Christian Church, a plan-

ning committee for a short-term mission trips and the Pre-Med Club. She is the daughter of Sharman Hart of Goodland.

## school menu

**Wednesday** — Barbecue meatballs, oven browned potatoes, green beans, hot roll, peach cobbler and milk.

**Thursday** — Creamed chicken over rice, broccoli and cauliflower, cinnamon bun, 1/2 orange and milk.

**Friday** — Tacos, shredded lettuce and cheese, diced tomatoes, tri-taters, cake and milk.

## hospital report

**Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted on Monday:** Ruth Ward, Goodland.

**Dismissed on Monday:** Leon Owens and Lydia Scott, both of Goodland; H. Jane Hankins, St. Francis.

**Transferred:** none.  
**Specialists for Wednesday:** Dr. Warren Toews, pediatric cardiologist; Dr. Steven Gulevich, neurologist; Dr. John Faul, psychiatrist; Dr. Kevin McDonald, urologist; Dr. Carl Newman, urologist.

**Hospital weekly volunteer schedule — Wednesday** — Marge Richards, p.m. **Thursday** — Jessie Owens, a.m.; Berna Biem, p.m. **Friday** — Ruth Morton, courtesy; Fern Hawks, a.m.; Harriette Smith, p.m.

## 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:** Male black Labrador mix at 12th and Syracuse; young female Rotweiler mix at 19th and Commerce.

## today in history

**Feb. 6, 1901** — G. F. Hodginson, a well-known resident of Sherman County since 1886, has succumbed to dropsy. He was born in 1829.

*From The Goodland Republic/Information provided by The Sherman County Historical Society*

## area events

**Tobacco Support Group** — A tobacco quitters support group meets from **7-8 p.m., Central Time, every Wednesday** in the cafeteria of Citi-

zens' Medical Center in Colby. Anyone who has a desire to stop smoking is urged to attend. For information, call (785) 462-8152.

**Livestock Workshop** — A livestock and resource management workshop will be held from **8:30 a.m.-4 p.m., Central Time, Thursday** at the Ramada Inn in Colby. Information will be given on nutritional needs of cattle, post drought range management, inventorying ranch resources and possible solutions for profitable management. The cost includes lunch. For information or to register, contact Western Prairie Resource Conservation and Development at (785) 462-2602.

**Head Injury Support** — The next meeting of the Head Injury Support Group will be at **7 p.m., Central Time, Thursday** at the LINK office, 1204 Canterbury, Hays.

**La Leche League** — The La Leche League of Northwest Kansas will have an informal meeting called "How Tos and the Early Weeks" from **2-4 p.m., Central Time, Sunday, Feb. 18**, at the home of Sharon Shirley, 1820 W. Fifth, Colby. Mothers and their nursing babies, fathers, expectant mothers and any women wishing to learn more about breast-feeding are welcome to attend. For information, breast-feeding help or breast pump rental, call Connie Davis at (785) 462-7188.

## 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.*

## Students giving away oak chest

The Goodland High School Production I class will be helping Lewis Simpson with medical needs by holding a drawing for an oak blanket chest. The chest features a solid oak top and frame and panel design on the front and ends. It measures 18 inches high by 18 inches deep and has a depth of 36 inches. For information, call the high school at 899-5656. The drawing for the chest will be held Friday, March 2.

# obituaries

## Clarence L. Howard, Sr.

Clarence L. Howard, Sr., 78, a longtime Goodland resident, died Monday, Feb. 5, 2001, at the Goodland Regional Medical Center, where he had been a patient for about two weeks.

He was born Dec. 12, 1922, the son of Irene (Hoover) and Roy William Howard. His family lived in St. Francis before moving to the Goodland area in the 1930s. He attended school in St. Francis, Edson and Goodland.

He joined the U.S. Army in February 1943 and served in the northern Solomon and southern Philippine Islands, where he earned a purple heart. He received an honorable discharge in December of 1945. He then enlisted in the Army Reserves and served from December 1945 to December 1948.

He and Anita L. Eaks were married Nov. 24, 1949, at Goodland.

He worked for many years in the concrete business. He worked for Sandy Sanders Redi-Mix, which later became Saint Redi-Mix. He then operated the Goodland power plant until he retired in 1993.

He was a Boy Scout leader for 15 years.

He enjoyed rock hunting. He polished and shaped rocks to make jewelry, clocks and puzzles.

He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Goodland Masons. He was a past Master Mason.

His funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Bateman Funeral Home in Goodland with Pastor Carol Moore-

Ramey officiating. Graveside services will be conducted at the Goodland Cemetery by the Masonic Lodge with military honors by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Friends may call from 10 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

Survivors include his wife of the home; two sons, Clarence L. Howard, Jr. of Goodland and Eldon W. Howard of Phoenix; a daughter, Ruby I. Reed of Phoenix; three brothers, Ray and Don Howard of Wray, Colo., and Merlyn Howard of Joplin, Mo.; three sisters, Marion Crites, Orpha Brown and Wanda Jacobson, all of Wray, Colo.; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother; and a grandson, Clay Howard in January.

Memorials may be given to the Goodland Masonic Lodge and left at or sent to Bateman Funeral Home, P.O. Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

## Al Hively

Al Hively, 85, a former longtime Goodland resident, died Monday afternoon at Orange Park, Fla.

Mr. Hively was employed by the Goodland School District for many years. He and his wife, Lillie, will be remembered for their involvement in a number of community activities.

The Hivelys moved to Florida several years ago to be near their son, Tom.

Mrs. Hively preceded her husband in death on June 28, 2000.

Final funeral arrangements will be announced at a later date.



Howard

## clarification

A story on a high school art competition in Friday's issue of *The Goodland Daily News*, was unclear on what Bankwest of Kansas and Sunwest Banks of Colorado were sponsoring. The banks are sponsoring the grand prize of \$1,000 and the entire show, not just the second and third prizes.

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