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calendar

Cleanup Day — Youths and adults are invited to help clean up the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter building site on east Highway 24 as part of "Join Hands Day," which is a national volunteer day. The event will begin at **9 a.m. Saturday**. Participants can earn a free T-shirt and lunch will be provided. Bring a pair of gloves, garden tools, power string trimmers and drinking water.

Summer Classes — Colby Community College is offering summer classes over the interactive television network to northwest Kansas. **Topics in Applied Psychology** will be offered at **5:30 p.m. June 29-30** in Goodland.

Education Class — An adult education class, "Computer Basics," will be offered from **6-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays starting Tuesday, July 3**, at the Northwest Kansas Technical College. The 30-hour course will cover the basics of word processing, data bases, Internet and electronic mail and will be taught by Tina Perry, technical college instructor. To enroll, contact Richard Hoffman, technical college vice president, at 899-3641 (weekdays).

Benefit Barbecue — S&T Telephone will host a benefit barbecue to begin at **5 p.m. on Wednesday, July 4**, at the Sherman County fairgrounds during the Fourth of July celebration. The company will serve hamburgers, hot dogs and baked beans to the first 3,000 people. A free will offering will be taken with the proceeds to benefit the Handy House and Pioneer Park projects.

activities

TOPS Meetings — Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at **5:30 p.m. Mondays** in the small board room at the Goodland Regional Medical Center. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m.

Aerobics Classes — Morning aerobics classes are available at **5:30 a.m.** with Tina Tompkins, and at **7:45 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 **7:45 a.m. Tuesday**

club news

Redwood Club — Members of the Redwood Family and Community Education Club visited a craft and antique store in Kanorado for their May meeting.

Ten club members traveled to Kanorado on May 17 to visit the Prairie Rose Mercantile, a craft and antique store managed by Linda Foster.

We all enjoyed Foster's handmade bears and many found treasures to carry home. Foster and her staff's hospitality was much appreciated.

Next, several of the ladies visited the Kanorado museum. The kitchen with its wood and coal range captured their attention and brought back memories.

The Kanorado Senior Center invited us to have our meeting there. President Arleta Musil called the meeting to order with the unit creed.

The roll was called and the minutes were read and approved. The club gave \$20 to the senior center in appreciation for letting them use their facility.

A cheer card for Edith Dye was signed by members.

The June 21 meeting will be held at Lavaughn Glasco's home. Loraine Fenner will give the lesson, "Food Tech — New Tech."

Lavaughn Glasco, public relations

Business and Professional Women's Club

The Goodland Business and Professional Women's Club talked about having a booth for the Flatlander Fall

Congressman thinks U.S. Navy should end Vieques training

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he would be "surprised, dismayed" by such a move "and would fight it."

But Rep. John Conyers, a Michigan Democrat, said he thought the Navy should end the Vieques training and said: "I don't think we should wait two years either."

Puerto Rico's governor, Sila Calderon, a strong opponent of the exercises, arrived on the small island Wednesday afternoon to attend a prayer ceremony with residents who want the bombing to stop.

It was her first time on Vieques for the maneuvers since she took office in January.

and Thursday with Imel. For questions, call 899-7242.

Soccer Camp — The Goodland Activities Center will sponsor a British Soccer Camp for youth ages 4-14 from **8:30-11 a.m. June 25-29** at North School. For information or to register, come to the activities center at 808 Main or call 899-7242.

Carnegie Arts Center — Karen Robben of Salina will have her paintings of farm machinery and scenes on display through **Saturday, June 30**, at the Carnegie Arts Center in Goodland. The exhibit called "Reflections from the Farm" is sponsored by Jim Alcorn Shelter Insurance. 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 — Final registration is now being held 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.

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.

senior center menu

Friday — Baked spaghetti, winter mix vegetables, strawberries, bread sticks and ice cream.

medical fund

A fund has been established to help pay medical expenses for **Teagan Raile**, who was injured in a car accident. Contributions can be sent to or left at Western State Bank, 815 Center, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

society donations

The Sherman County Historical Society has purchased the Edythe Handy house. Your continued support

Festival at their June meeting.

Six members met June 4 at the home of President Nina Mersch. The meeting was opened by President Mersch, who led the members in the club collect and flag salute.

Last month's minutes were read and approved. A motion was made by Patsy VanVleet that the minutes be approved and filed.

The treasurer's report was given by VanVleet and filed for audit.

A thank you card from the Paul Schippert family was read for the club's memorial made for Paul Schippert.

A letter from the Flatlander Fall Festival committee was received and read. President Mersch made a motion to have a baked goods and craft sale for the festival. It was seconded by Beulah McClung and the motion carried. Club members are to be at the booth at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 29.

Committee reports were given. VanVleet made a motion to adjourn the meeting, which was seconded by Studer, and it carried.

Mary Schippert and Esther Studer will have the next meeting. President Mersch served a delicious dessert.

The balance of the meeting was spent in going through previous meeting materials and making decisions about what was necessary to keep.

All the members who were present received gifts.

Mary Schippert, secretary

is critical to the award of a 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.

uniforms needed

The Sherman County High School Alumni Association is needing old Goodland pep club uniforms from the 50s and early 70s for the school reunion assembly on Aug. 4. If you have any to loan, call Kathy Melia at 899-2309 (days).

tree fund donations

Many of the trees at the Goodland Cemetery have died and the cemetery board is trying to replace them. If you would like to help out, contributions for the Goodland Cemetery Memorial Tree Fund can be left at Koons or Bateman funeral homes or sent to the Goodland Cemetery Board, P.O. Box 59, Goodland, Kan. 67735. Donations may be made in memory of a loved one.

wheelchairs for use

The Senior Wheels USA Program offers electric wheelchairs to senior citizens (65 and up) and the permanently disabled at no cost to them if they qualify. The wheelchairs are for those who can't walk or use a manual wheelchair. If your need is for home use and you want to find out if you qualify, call Leon Johnson at (800) 246-6010.

student news

Debra E. Fisher and Joy L. Braun, both 1999 Goodland High School graduates, have earned associate degrees from Garden City Community College.

Fisher is the daughter of Bernard and Joyce Fisher of Goodland.

Braun is the daughter of Elliot and Ann Braun of Goodland.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted on Wednesday: Sheila Bartram and Pat Sawyer, both of Goodland.

Dismissed on Wednesday: Pat Sawyer and Neal Thornburg, both of Goodland.

Transferred: none.

Specialists for Friday: Dr. John Faul, psychiatrist; Dr. David Pfoff, ophthalmologist.

Hospital weekly volunteer schedule — Friday — Fern Hawks, a.m.

animal shelter

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

Family of kidnapped couple gather

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lowing news from the Philippines closely.

Friends say family members have gathered in Wichita this week to offer one another support.

The Bible college's radio station is broadcasting twice-daily updates of the hostage situation.

The Burnhams, who are in their 40s, were stationed in Arिताo, Nueva Vizcaya, the Philippines, as missionaries working for New Tribes Mission based in Sanford, Fla. The couple was celebrating their 18th wedding anniversary at a resort hotel May 27 when they were taken captive.

Clark said recent reports from New Tribes Mission were that the Burnhams have led fellow captives in singing gospel songs.

"Some might say they were in the wrong place at the wrong time, but maybe they were right where God needed them to be," Clark said. "God doesn't work the way we do."

Board will try to close school at Havensville

HAVENSVILLE (AP)—For the second time in three years, the school board is trying to close Havensville Elementary School because of its declining enrollment.

And parents who fought successfully in 1999 to keep the school open aren't sure they'll try to stop it this time.

"It's just beating a dead horse basically," Terry Jordan, president of a parents group, told *The Topeka Capital-Journal*. "If we had somebody listening it would have been one thing, but they already had their minds made up."

The Onaga-Havensville-Wheaton school board voted Monday to close the Havensville school Pottawatomie County after the 2001-02 school year.

The decision won't be final until 45 days after it is published in newspapers. Residents would have that time to petition for a public vote to save the school.

Smart irrigation strategies for turfgrass



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With summer here, irrigation of your lawn is becoming more of an issue. While watering helps maintain turfgrass health, proper timing and frequency can help keep our turf in good shape without sending the water bill through the roof.

The key is to water as infrequently as possible without stressing the turf. Apply enough water to wet the soil to the roots.

Sandy soils require about inch to wet a 6- to 8-inch depth, while clay soils may require an inch or more. Turf roots penetrate more deeply in sandy soil than in a compacted clay, so you may have to water turf growing in compacted clay soils more frequently than you think.

From a water conservation standpoint, remember that as summer progresses, the purpose of watering cool-season grasses such as tall fescue is more to keep the turf alive than to

build or maintain a deep root system.

So the deep, infrequent irrigation principle that holds true in spring and fall when roots are actively growing is less important. Using less water in July and August will keep cool-season turf alive and avoid using excess water. To conserve water, time irrigation around rainfall.

A good, steady rain or a heavy down-pour can wet the soil sufficiently to replace a planned watering. This is particularly important for those with automatic sprinkler systems, which often can be spotted watering turf areas after a period of good rainfall.

Water is a limited resource in Kansas. When used in conjunction with Mother Nature, this vital resource is not overly costly for turfgrass.

Former Goodland students receive bachelor's degrees

Two former Goodland students, Katy and Carl Friedrichs, received bachelor's degrees in May from Colorado universities.

Katy received a bachelor of science degree in nursing on May 18 from the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs. She will work at the University of Colorado Hospital in Denver.

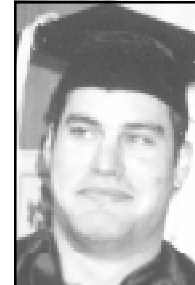
Carl earned a bachelor of arts degree in sociology on May 5 from the

University of Southern Colorado in Pueblo. He joined the U.S. Army and is in basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

They are the children of Dennis and LeAnn Friedrichs of Goodland and Linda and Kelly Beek of Cheyenne Wells, Colo.



K. Friedrichs



C. Friedrichs

matters of record

Real Estate Transfers — Maxine Reynolds to East Nineteenth, LLC, a tract in the SW 1/4 of Sec. 20, T8S, R39W.

Brian L. and Julie A. Horney to Deandra Kay Wirth, Lots 11 and 12 in Block 3 of Sharp's Addition to Goodland.

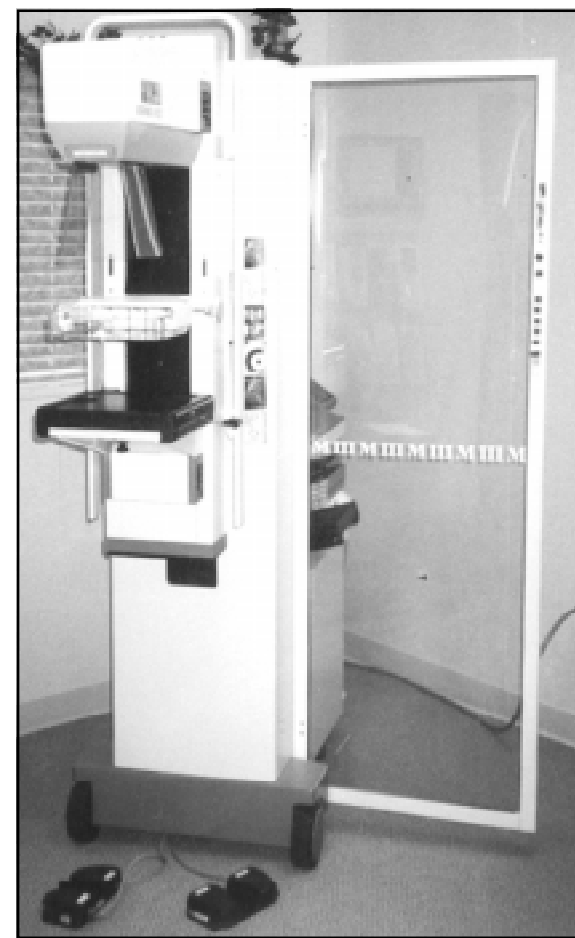
Honor a veteran on Flag Day!

Kit Carson Co. Memorial Hospital is excited to announce the opening of our newly remodeled Mammography Suite!

Featuring new, state-of-the-art diagnostic equipment, KCCMH's new Mammography Suite is designed with our patient's comfort in mind.

Schedule your mammography screening today!

To schedule a mammography screening, contact Valerie Boyd KCCMH, at (719) 346-5311, ext. 133



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Have you left photos at *The Goodland Daily News*? You may pick them up from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.