

about our friends

calendar

Photography contest—Photos for “A Year in the Life of Sherman County” photo contest will be on display for public judging from next **Monday to Sunday, Sept. 30**, at the Carnegie Arts Center. Contest photos need to be submitted in ready-to-hang format to the arts center by 4 p.m. **Friday**.

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**.

SHARE — The next pick up date is **Saturday** at 824 Main, Goodland.

Knights of Columbus will be holding a garage sale beginning at 8 a.m. on **Saturday** at the Knights Hall at Seventh and Caldwell. To donate items for the sale, contact Gene Becker, 899-3580; Lynn Abbott, 899-5489; Brent Wood, 899-5336; or Rob Wurtz, 899-3047. They will have someone pick up your items. Proceeds will go to Knights and youth activities.

Junk Parade—At 1 p.m. **Saturday** on Main Street, there will a Junk Parade. If you are a group, business or individual and want to participate (float, truck, etc.) please call Schyler Goodwin at 899-6200 or 899-2342, or Mitch Hixson 899-3060. Any junk arriving at the landfill on this day which is not part of the parade will be subject to usual landfill fees. If you would like to donate to the parade, please call and we will arrange for removal of your junk. The event is sponsored by Goodland Development Corp.

Junk Parade costume and Bike/trike decorating contest will be held by the Goodland Development Corp. for the children who want to participate in the parade. Children will be entered into age divisions, up to the second grade and third through sixth grades. Awards will be given to winners of each category in each age division and participants will all receive prizes. For information, call Schyler Goodwin at 899-6200 or 899-2342, or Mitch Hixson 899-3060.

Emmanuel Lutheran Church will be having a potluck dinner after church on **Sunday**.

Rock Island Reunion: The 24th annual Rock Island Railroad Reunion will begin with a potluck dinner at noon **Sunday** at the Senior Adult Center, 208 West 15th, Goodland. All former Rock Island employees, families and guests are invited and encouraged to attend. Bring a covered dish and table service and any Rock Island memorabilia you

may want to display while enjoying an afternoon of renewing friendships and recalling times gone by.

“Hospital Documentation” is the title of a program to be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. **Thursday, Sept. 27**, at Goodland Regional Medical Center for six hours of continuing education credit. For information or to register, contact the Northwest Kansas Area Health Education Center, 217 East 32nd, Hays, Kan. 67601, or call 785-628-6128.

Northwest Kansas Juvenile Services will be having an open house from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. **Thursday, Sept. 27**, at the Sherman County Courthouse in the commissioners room. The public is invited.

The annual **Brewster School Carnival** will be Saturday, Sept. 29, from 5 to 8 p.m. at the school. Games will be offered for all age groups, and there will be a cake walk and Bingo, and a silent auction. For information, call 785-694-2273.

Carnegie Arts Center says Pat and Charlie Norton will again display their paintings and bronze sculptures of the American West through Sunday, **Sept. 30**. The show is sponsored by: Marti and Larry Scott of Shaklee Products.

“The Art and Science of Physical Assessment” is the title of a program to be held **Thursday, Oct. 11**, from noon to 5 p.m. Mountain Time at the Dundy County High School, Benkelman, Neb. This program is approved for 5 hours of continuing education credit for nurses. For information or to register, call the Northwest Kansas Area Health Education Center at 785-628-6128.

activities

Neighborhood Improvement Youth Employment Act program—Harvest America Corp. is offering an opportunity for local non-profit and public agencies to get a bright and energetic assistant at no cost. Youths work 10 hours per week during the school year and 32 hours per week during the summer. The program pays for the wages. Agencies that would like a youthful assistant and youths wishing to participate may call Barbara Fernandez-Ayala, area director, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday at 899-3878.

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 aero-

bics classes are available at **5:30 a.m.** with Tena Tompkins, **Monday, Wednesday, and Friday** at the Goodland Activities Center. For questions, call 899-7242.

House Tours — Tours of a 1907 Victorian house at 202 W. 13th will be held from **1-5 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays**. The cost of admission will be used to support the Sherman County Historical Society.

school lunch menu

This week

Friday — Chicken sandwich, lettuce, pickle, onion, tomato, potato salad, creamy cucumbers, cookies, milk

Sept. 24-28

Monday — Hot dog on bun, pork and beans, relish tray, mixed fruit cup, milk **Tuesday** — Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, hot rolls, fruit crisp **Wednesday** — Grilled cheese sandwich, deviled eggs, sliced tomatoes, pickle spear, frosted banana **Thursday** — Texas straw hat, lettuce, tomato, shredded cheese, spanish rice, 1/2 orange, milk **Friday** — Cook’s choice

school calendar

Friday: Varsity football against Atwood 6:30 p.m. Homecoming. Homecoming Dance 9 p.m. to midnight at the High School gym **Saturday:** Girls tennis at WaKeeney Junior varsity / varsity volleyball quad here 9 a.m. “C” volleyball at Brewster 8 a.m. Seventh/Eighth volleyball at Cheyenne Wells Tournament 8:30 a.m. **Monday:** Junior varsity football at Atwood 4:30 p.m. Board of Education meeting 7 p.m. **Tuesday:** Cross Country at Oberlin 4 p.m. Girls tennis at Colby 2 p.m. Girls golf at Ulysses 2 p.m. Junior varsity, varsity volleyball 3:30 p.m. quad Senior volleyball parent night **Wednesday:** Screening committee meeting 3:45 p.m. ASVAB Testing (primary date) **Thursday:** ‘C’ team football against Oberlin 4:30 p.m. Senior Parent Night (college info) 7 p.m. at the high school gym Junior high Cross country at Gothenburg 3:30 p.m. Seventh/Eighth volleyball against Oakley (junior high gym) 3:30 p.m. Seventh/Eighth football against Oakley 3:30 p.m.

senior center menu

Friday — Egg and sausage bake, hash browns, citrus salad, bread, rhubarb or coffee cake

Sept. 24-28

Monday — Hamburger stroganoff, winter mixed vegetables, beets, bread

and noodles, peach cup; **Tuesday** — Tuna pasta casserole, spinach/cheese salad, roll, apricots; **Wednesday** — Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, bread, rosy pears; **Thursday** — Sausage gravy, corn, potato rounds or wedges, biscuit, watermelon; **Friday** — Fajita Chicken salad, cherries/pineapple, cranberry juice, bread, brownie.

child care questions

If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care in Sherman County, call the county health department office at (785) 899-4888.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center

Admitted on Wednesday:

Dismissed on Wednesday:

Transferred: none

Specialists for Friday: Alfred N. Carr, ears, nose, throat; John C. Faul, psychiatrist; David Pffoff, ophthalmologist

Hospital Volunteer Schedule:

Friday: Fern Hawks a.m.; **Monday:** Helen Hughs, courtesy, Martha Gunderson p.m.; **Tuesday:** Beulah McClung, p.m.; **Wednesday:** Helen Armstrong, a.m., Carmelita Clark, courtesy; Roger Collins, p.m.; **Thursday:** Dorocile Reynolds, a.m.; Fern Heckman, p.m.; **Friday:** Anne Mann, 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.

today in history

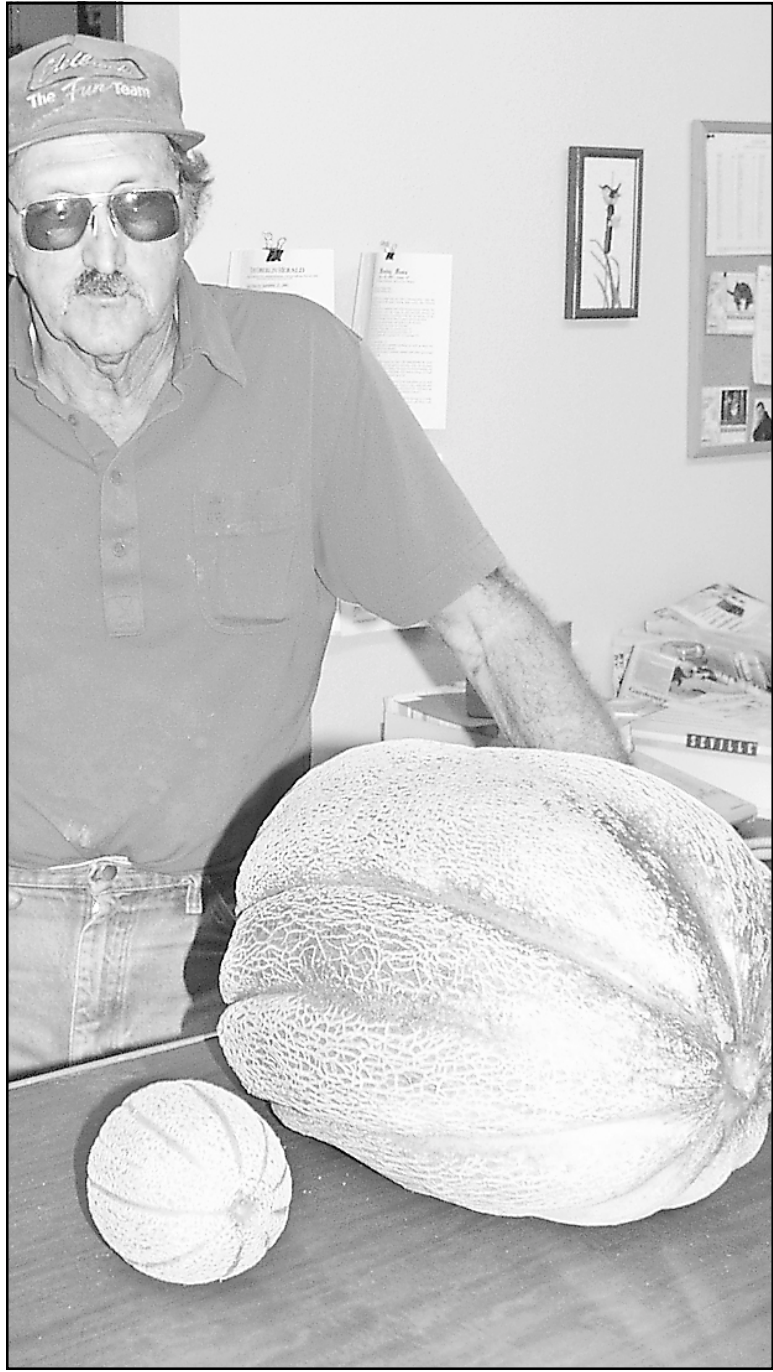
Sept. 20, 1901: THE MEMORIAL SERVICES — People of Goodland Pay Tribute to the Memory of William McKinley—Services in the Opera House — Schools were dismissed and business and public offices were closed to honor the memory of the nation’s martyred president.

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

That’s one big canteloupe!



Olathe Juhl showed off a whopper of a canteloupe Tuesday which he estimated would weigh about 35 pounds. The melon was grown on Hugh Armstrong’s farm, he said, where he and Armstrong also grow watermelons and honeydew.

Photo by Sharon Corcoran/The Goodland Daily News

Abuse of prescription drugs can be deadly

Prescription drugs can help patients manage chronic or severe pain, restore emotional or behavioral balance, control sleep disorders or fight obesity. When prescription medications are abused, however, the consequences — including addiction — can be dangerous, even deadly.

Research focuses on the risks associated with abuse of three classes of commonly abused prescription drugs: opioids; central nervous system depressants, including sedatives and tranquilizers; and stimulants.

Opioids, including morphine, codeine, and related drugs such as oxycodone (OxyContin), hydrocodone (Vicodin), and meperidine (Demerol), are commonly prescribed to relieve pain. Opioids can produce drowsiness and, in higher doses, depress respiration. Opioid drugs also can cause euphoria.

Taken as prescribed, opioids can be used to manage pain effectively without untoward side effects. Chronic use of opioids can result in tolerance, which means that users must take



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higher doses to achieve the same effects. Long-term use also can lead to physical dependence and addiction.

Withdrawal can occur when a person discontinues use of the drugs. Withdrawal symptoms may include restlessness, muscle and bone pain, insomnia, diarrhea, vomiting, cold flashes with goose bumps, and involuntary leg movements. Individuals who are addicted to opioids are more likely to overdose on the drugs, which could be fatal.

Among the most commonly prescribed depressants are barbiturates, such as mephobarbital (Mebaral) and pentobarbital sodium (Nembutal), which are prescribed to treat anxiety, tension, and sleep disorders; and benzodiazepines, such as diazepam (Valium) and alprazolam (Xanax), which typically are prescribed to treat anxiety, acute stress reactions and panic attacks. Other benzodiazepines, such as triazolam (Halcion) and estazolam (ProSom), are prescribed for short-term treatment of sleep disorders.

Although the various depressants work differently, they all produce a beneficial drowsy or calming effect in individuals suffering from sleep disorders or anxiety. If a person uses these drugs over a long period of time, the body will develop tolerance, and larger doses will be needed to achieve the initial effects. Continued use can lead to physical dependence and, when use is reduced or stopped, withdrawal. Both barbiturates and benzodiazepines have the potential for abuse and should be used only as prescribed. As with opioids, overdose of these drugs can be fatal.

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Episcopal church to hold special blessing for all pets

You may notice a procession of animals, everything from dogs and cats to hamsters and even horses, being led to St. Paul’s Episcopal Church here for a special ceremony called “The Blessing of the Pets” on Saturday, Oct. 6.

This event is conducted in remembrance of St. Francis of Assisi’s love for all creatures. He is the patron saint for animals and ecology.

Father Charles Schneider and Sister Gretchen Good-Pankratz will celebrate St. Francis Day at St. Paul’s by conducting a pet blessing at the church,

13th and Center.

Everyone is invited to take part, regardless of belief or denomination. The bond between a person and a pet is like no other relationship, said Father Schneider, because communication between fellow creatures is at its most basic.

“We encourage you and your pet to join the procession of animals to the church,” he said. “You may join the procession by meeting at the fountain in Chambers Park at 5:45 p.m., and we will process into the church for the


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a pet, can draw us more deeply into the larger circle of life, into the wonder of our common relationship to God.

The offering from the service will go to the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter.



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Training to be held in Hays

Training for new client assessment, referral and evaluation (CARE) assessors in northwest Kansas will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 10, in the meeting room at the Hays Municipal Airport.

Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. and the training will conclude at 4 p.m. Anyone seeking nursing facility placement must have a CARE assessment, under Kansas law.


The state Department on Aging, in cooperation with the Area Agencies on Aging, provides assessment services,

which must be conducted by a qualified worker.

Workers must attend the training session and have a bachelor’s degree in gerontology, social work, counseling, human development, health, or other related area, or be a registered nurse licensed to practice in Kansas. There is no cost for the training and six units of credit are available.

For information or to register, contact Dick Brown, 800-432-7422 or 785-625-2037.

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Real Estate:
Selling will be the E 1/2 of the E 1/2 of Sec. 23-12-26, Gove County, KS, consisting of 3 bedroom home, 50'x100' steel building, livestock facilities and other out buildings.

Real Estate sells at 1 p.m.
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FSA Payments: FSA payments, if any, received after 2002 will be purchaser(s). Seller(s) will retain any 2001 FSA payments if any.
Taxes: \$414.38 - Prorated up to date of closing.

Farm Equipment
1981 GMC pickup, auto, 350, 2500 series, as is • 1958 Chev. truck w/hoist, as is • 1960 Chev. truck w/B and H, as is • Hesston 1014 Hydro Swing swather, needs PTO pump • Double hitch, BJM • 2 Running gears • 4-Sec. spring tooth • Cockshutt 315 sickle mower w/7' bar • Drag pickers, 4-sec. FK • GB Stackhand • Donahue trailer • 15' Tool bar, 3-pt. • 16' Drill transport, less wheels • 3 Flex King sweep blades and shanks • 10' Speed mover • 1985 Chevy pickup, 4-spd., parts • 1210A JD grain cart w/tarp • 8"x30' Speed King auger w/5 hp electric motor • Auger hopper • 6' BMB 3-pt. mower • Unververth McCurdy hyd. drill fill auger • 2-110 Gal. poly tanks w/3-pt. carrier and pump • 12'x3" auger • Snapper Comet riding lawn mower • 90cc Suzuki motor bike • RX95 JD Riding lawn mower • Ag-Krane, 3-pt., 19,000-lb. capacity • 4' Speed mover for 4-wheeler • 1986 JD 7720 Turbo combine w/224 header, 2320 hrs., SN: H07720X600528 • 1991 Case IH 7120 Magnum tractor, 18.4-R38, 3 remotes, PTO-540 and 1,000, 3-pt., front wts., 5137 hrs. SN: JJA0017690 • 1978 JD 4640 Tractor, 18.4R38 w/duals, 3-pt., PTO, quick attach, 2 remotes, 9180 hrs. 9' JD Dozer blade sells separate • 1979 Chevy C-70 Truck, 366 engine, 4-spd. Allison auto, w/2-spd., 9.00-20 rubber, PS, Harsh RL-105 hoist, 16' bed w/roll over tarp • 6'x16' Bumper pull stock trailer • Kawasaki Bajou 4-wheeler w/sprayer • JD Model 335 Tandem disc • Malsom Terracer, Mod. S-87, SN: 485-L • Model 3650 IHC Round baler • SN: 0100014U00031 • 5x6, Flex King sweeps w/FK pickers & NH, • 4-JD LZ8-12 hoe drills w/hitches & steel packers.

Shop and Misc. Items
10' Extension ladder • 1988 Chevy bumper • Small air compressor • Knipco space heater • Richardson milo guards • Swamp cooler • Car ramps • P & H welder • Victor acetylene gauges • Gas sprayer w/4 hp engine • Welding helmets • 25'- 220 Extension cord • FK bearings • 64 Compartment wooden parts bin • Johnson sickle servicer • Sev. hyd. cylinders • 2 Pipe dogs • Come-a-long • Pipe threader • Gear puller • 16-Drawer metal work bench • V & M hyd. multiplier valve • Pipe wrenches • 2-110 Gal. spray tanks • 2 Sets of tractor chains for 38" • 12-Volt Speed King post hole digger • L-shape fuel tank w/12-volt pump • Pickup tool boxes • 12 JD 100# frt. wts. • Air bubble • Misc. hand tools • 15" and 16" tires • HiLift jack • 3-110 Volt aeration fans & tubing, 8" • 5-hp Magnum air compressor, upright • Acra Plant trash wipers • Rebar wire • Hyd. PTO motor • 30'Tie straps • 2-24' Truck tarps • Poly cover • Shop creeper • Log chains • 500-Gal. LP tank • 2-pt. Posthole digger • 300-Gal. fuel tank w/hand pump • 35-Gal. LP tank • 6 Used 38" tractor tires • Cement mixer • Misc. junk iron • 2-300 Gal. water tanks

Livestock Equipment
2-3 pt. bale movers • 20-Bu. hog feeder • Sheep scale • 20'Sheep shed on skids • Sev. rolls of sheep wire • 5 Hog waterers • Round steel posts • Rolls of smooth wire • Pickup wire roller • Universal head gate • Fencers • Vet supplies • Hot shots • Halters • Johnson tank heaters • Many More Items.
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