about our friends

A Flu Immunization Clinic will be held at the Sherman County Health Department from 8-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-4:30 p.m. **Friday**. This clinic is for persons at high risk only. The charge will be \$10 if you don't have a Medicare card.

Northwest Kansas Model Train Show and Swap Meet will be held from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and from noon to 4 p.m. **Sunday** at the National Guard Armory in Colby. For information. call Reed Hartford at 785-462-2625 or John Donelan at 785-462-6259.

SHARE — The next pick up date for ow-cost food is Saturday at 824 Main, Goodland.

Strengthen your faith in the Bible. Dr. Kent Hovin will be hosting an eight-week video series on evolution and creation each **Sunday** at 6:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, Fifth and Center, Goodland. For information call 899-3450.

Want to show your support of all Goodland High School athletics, academics, and activities? Please attend the Black and Gold Booster Club Meeting **Tuesday**, October 23 at 6:30 **p.m.**, in the Home - Ec room at the Goodland High School. There will be door prizes, refreshments and lots of great ideas floating around. Please join us and bring your ideas on ways to support the students at GHS.

Come to the "Thank you for making a Difference" chili supper. We would like to honor our local "heroes" - Fire fighters, law enforcement officers, National Guard and reserves, Red Cross and EMT workers. Wear red, white and blue and come enjoy a carnival sponsored by students, parents, and staff of the Grant Jr. High The chili feed will be held on Thursday, **October 25,** from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the Grant Jr. High School. Call Grant Jr. High at 899-7561 for tickets.

activities

Sherman County Historical Society has a special display on the Bower Funeral Home at the 1907 Victorian House, 202 W. 13th, through Thursday, Nov. 1.

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 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.

Goodland artist Elwyn Vatcher has a solo exhibit at the **Goodland Arts** Center through Saturday, Oct. 27. His work includes colorful abstracts and soft landscapes of his native East Coast harbors to his Sherman County surroundings. He is displaying his most recent oils and watercolors. His employer, Goodland Sheet Metal, is sponsoring this exhibit.

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.

school lunch menu This Week

Wednesday — Fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, hot roll, jell-o with fruit, milk. **Thursday** -Cook's choice. Friday — Spaghetti with meat sauce, lettuce salad, garlic bread, 1/2 banana, milk.

school calendar

Wednesday: FCCLADistrictAcademy at Hoxie, Balfour meeting with Seniors 11-11:45 a.m., Technology Committee meeting 3:45 p.m. Thurs**dav:** "C" football at Colby 4:30 p.m., DECA Fall Career Development Conference, Emporia State University. **Friday:** Varsity football against Colby 6:30 p.m., Senior parent night, Senior cross country and band parent night. Western Plains Art Association performance 1:30 p.m. at high school auditorium. Saturday: Cross Country Regionals, Volleyball Sub-state, Monday: Board of Education Meeting 7 p.m., Cheylin Scholars Bowl 3p.m. **Tuesday:** Colby Scholars Bowl 3 p.m.

senior center menu

This Week

potato salad, baked beans, bread, cantaloupe. Thursday: Roast pork, stemmed cabbage, carrots and onions, cranberry fruit salad, roll, birthday cake. Friday: Sloppy joes, Carrot/raisin salad, tater rounds, bun, applesauce.

child care issues

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

tree 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, Box 59, Goodland, Kan. 67735. Donations may be made in memory of a loved one.

wheelchairs

The Senior Wheels USA Program offers electric wheelchairs to senior citizens (65 and up) and the permanently disabled at no cost 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.

prayers needed

Prayers are need for Stephanie Jo Darby, of Hays, a former Goodland graduate and daughter of John and Phyllis Darby of Goodland. She was involved in an one vehicle rollover accident, Thursday Evening, Oct. 11 near Ellsworth. She was ejected from the vehicle and as a result, she received massive head injuries and several broken bones. She is doing as well as can be expected. She is at the St. Francis Hospital in Wichita in the Head Trauma intensive care unit.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted on : Monday: Sherida Shoff

Dismissed on Monday: Daneen Sclenke, Michael Barnhart

Specialists for Wednesday: Hospital Volunteer Schedule: Wednesday: Oven fried chicken, 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

Oct. 16, 1901: RAILROAD SPIKES: The cinder pit is being repaired and improved by putting in a new retaining wall.

Fireman Will Dryden, who has underwent a long siege from typhoid fever, is able to be around.

It is reported that 15 engines of the "hog" type will be brought here to take the place of smaller ones which will be sent down on the new extension.

The ditches for water mains to the new stand pipe have been completed, as well as the conduit to the water column by the track.

From The Goodland Republic; information provided by the Sherman County Historical Society.

area events

Jody Tubbs, of the Kansas Commission on Veterans'Affairs, will be in Goodland from 1 to 2:15 p.m. Thursday in the Assembly Room, on the third floor of the courthouse, to assist veterans and their dependents with claims. If unable to see her in Goodland, call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at 785-462-3572.

Heartland Christian School is having its annual fall festival Saturday at the Colby Community Building. A soup summer with chicken noodle soup and chili will be served from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Carnival games will run from 6:30 to 9 p.m.. Tickets are four for \$1. All proceeds go to the school. For information, call 785-462-6419.

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.

Felix Younger Former Goodland resident Felix Younger, 80, died Friday, Oct. 12, 2001, in Arlington, Texas.

obituary

He was born May 31, 1921, in Marinethal, and lived in Goodland for much of his life, but had lived in Grand Prairie, Texas, for 32 years. He was a retired accountant.

Funeral services will be in

4-H club news

Glendale Livewires 4-H Club The Glendale Livewires 4-H Club held their monthly meeting at 7 p.m. on Sept. 24 at the United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

Roll call was "My favorite teacher" and as answered by nine members and one leader.

Treasurer Brandon Cowan reported a balance of \$919.18 in the club's checking account.

Cheer person Courtney Sheldon led the club members in singing "Happy Birthday" for members Brandon Cowan, Deanna Livengood and Linsey Owens.

Leader Penny Sheldon said the possibility of making 4-H meetings mandatory for members had been discussed at 4-H council. There will be a 4-H open house within each club and Glendale would have their open house in October. She also announced that the Achievements Awards Ceremony would be held Sunday, Nov. 4.

Under new business, the club voted to pay a bill to Brad Cowan for candy for the fair parade.

Election of officers was held. The new officers are Richard Bauman, president: David Livengood, vice president; Courtney Sheldon, secretary; Kathryn Craft, treasurer; Deanna Livengood, Darin Richardson and Brandon Cowan, 4-H council members; Amber Cowan, reporter; Linsey Owens, cheer person; Deanna Bauman, historian; Deanna Livengood, parliamentarian; Jason Cowan, recreation leader; and Kade Sheldon, song leader.

It was decided the recreation and song leaders would be in charge every other month and in the months when no one else signed up. Owens led the club in singing "America." National 4-H Sunday was observed Sunday, Oct. 7. The meeting was adjourned. Afterwards the club had refreshments at Dairy Queen.

Kathryn Craft Reporter

Prairie Dale 4-H Club

The October monthly meeting of the Prairie Dale 4-H Club was held Sunday Oct. 7. In observance of National 4-H Week, 4H'ers and their families attended the Emmanuel Lutheran Church. After church, they proceeded to Gambino's for lunch and a short

Longmont, Colo.

He is survived by his wife of 32 years, Elaine; son, Roger Younger; daughters, Rinda (Cliff) Becker and Relda (Paul) Harrer; stepsons, Greg (Theresa) Standish and Marc Standish: sisters, Elizabeth Hacker, Cecilia Staffan, Lucy Younger and Sister Margaret Younger; four grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and four step grandchildren.

are president, Chance Schilling; vice president, Nicole Titus; secretary, Ana McClung; treasurer, John Mosbarger; reporter, Jonathan McClung; song leader, Andrew Miller; parliamentarian, Matt Miller; historians, Clay Schilling, Darrick Ihrig and Jake Kling; recreation, Hazen Deeds; 4-H Council, Brian Coon, Michael Hall and Kelsi lhrig.

Junior officers are president, Ryan Taylor; vice president, Jace Mosbarger; secretary, Whitney Schields; treasurer, Grant Wilkens; reporter, Brock Wilkens; song leader, Ashley Charron; and recreation, Audrey Titus.

After announcements, the meeting was adjourned.

Johanthan McClung, reporter

Sunflower 4H club

The regular monthly meeting of the Sunflower 4-H Club was held at 7 p.m. at the United Methodist Church on Monday, Oct.15.

The meeting was called to order by outgoing President, Craig Mason. Roll call "Who Is Your Hero" was answered by 18 members, 12 parents, 2 leaders and one guest.

The floor was then opened for election of club officers for the new year. Newly elected officers include: President Ryan Gausman; Vice President Jason Krayca; Secretary Samantha Raymer; Treasurer Kris Krayca; Historian Corbin Townsend; Reporter Chelsie Gausman; Parliamentarians Craig Mason, Alyssa Mason, Donald Raymer and Ashley Cook; Recreation Christy Studer; Song Leader Ryan Irvin; Council Representatives Ashley Cook and Jordan Riebel and leaders Cris Riebel and Diane Krayca.

During the business meeting, leader Cris Riebel reported the date for the Achievement Program and the 4-H open house both to be held in the month of November. Enrollment sheets were handed out with a reminder they were due on November 1, and committee sign up sheets were issued for the new year.

Following the business meeting, Brendan Fulcher gave a safety tip to keep all the "spooks" safe during Halloween.

Recreation was led by Melissa Holloway in a game of tag and yummy ice cream sandwiches were furnished

Grandchildren gather in Hays for enjoyable visit Roger and I had a great time in Hays sally

from Sunday afternoon until Monday evening. It seems we don't get to spend much time with grandkids (or kids), at least not as much as we would like. But we did get to see four of the 12 this trip. Nathaniel, 10, and Corinne, seven days away from being 7, are growing

in grace and politeness. This year is different for them, as their mother, game he played in on Sunday afternoon On Monday, Barry, Kim, Rebekah, and Andrew came to Hays, so we got even more visiting done. Rebekah is 4 1/2 now, and she wrote me a very neat note, and Andrew is a happy active and always hungry little boy. He went to Kansas City on Tuesday, so we're hoping he got a good report from the doctor there. Kim says that even after all the testing he's had, he still doesn't mind doctors. That's a good baby. Larry and Judy Dunlap enjoyed having guests over the weekend. Larry's mother, Dale Dunlap and brother Jerry and Yetta Dunlap, of Clovis, N.M., vis-



ited from Friday until Sunday, while Parker's family was planning a surparticipating in the Butler/Fietcher prise birthday party at the Senior Cen-Beth, has returned to college. The kids Reunion, which was held Saturday at ter, for Inace's 94th birthday. I am sure are more helpful and doing good in the Community Church Hall in Brew- it was a great day for all concerned, and school, and Nathaniel threw two ster. Judy said there were many that I'll write more about it next week. touchdown passes in the flag football attended, but she didn't have the list. On Sunday, the Dunlap's hosted a dinner for Dale, Jerry, and Yetta of Clovis, Marvin Dunlap of Little Rock, Arkansas, Phil and Fay Shaw of Marshalltown, Iowa, and Sandra and L.J. Owens of Edson. Kay Norton, long time Brewster resident, passed away in Goodland on Tuesday, Oct. 9. Services were Saturday at the Methodist Church, with burial in the Goodland Cemetery. Our in November that you might want to sympathy goes to Harold and other family members. Kay and Harold were honored in August for all the work they have done for the city, and she was very happy and proud that night.

here to give us flu shots from 10-11:30 a.m. Oh, yes, since this

will probably come out after Monday, I can let you in on a secret. About 3 p.m. Monday, Inace

Health Dept. will be Women of Brewster, will be held. This is to benefit their missions. On Friday, Nov. 16, there will be a bake sale at the Senior Center. This will be to help pay for carpet for the center.

LaVelle Michael had some surgery, in Colby on Wednesday, and will go to Hays next week for further medical treatment. He is doing very well, hardly slowing down at all.

While I'm at it, I want everyone to know that I appreciate all the help

On Tuesday, the Thomas County

Candidate disputes accusations

LAWRENCE (AP) — Attorney challenging accusations that his support for a bill that reduced parole time for criminals helped lead to a quadruple homicide in Wichita last year.

The accusations come from State Rep. Tony Powell, R-Wichita, who is may challenge Adkins in his run for attorney general.

"I hold people like Sen. Adkins resaid. The bill, adopted by the Legislature in 2000, "arguably led to the execution-style killings," Powell said.

Adkins, a state senator from General candidate David Adkins is Leawood, called Powell's charge untrue and outrageous.

"This is more of a despicable reflection on (Powell's) character," he said, "and doesn't take into account an understanding of the law or the facts." The kaw reduced the amount of time many criminals had to stay under parole supervision. The bill's supporters said it would free prison space to make sponsible for what happened," Powell room for more violent offenders. The bill was adopted at a time that lawmak-

ers were trying to avoid spending millions of dollars to build prisons.

Don Hawkins traveled to Hays on Tuesday for a doctors appointment. He found out, just like us, that Vine Street is quite a mess.

On Thursday, Oct. 4, Coleen Crumrine went to Ponca City, Okla., to visit her brother and wife, Eugene and Lila Pfalser. Saturday she went to Wakeeta to visit friends and returned home on Monday, Oct. 8.

There's a couple of things coming up think about. On Wednesday, Nov. 7, the Annual Thanksgiving Turkey Supper, presented by the United Methodist

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given the Senior Center by so many of the ladies, and a special "thank you" to Joyce Crabtree, who has been a godsend. I'll let you know next time how the open house went. It is a cold, blustery day so far, so I don't know how the turn out will be. But thanks to Joyce and the other ladies, we'll be ready.

Have a great week, stay warm, and see you next time. God Bless America!

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business meeting at which the main by the Raymer family. business was election of officers. The election committee submitted a ballot the Club Motto with the next Meeting and the members moved and seconded to accept the ballot as it was. Officers

The meeting adjourned by saying scheduled for Monday, Nov. 19. Chelsie Gausman, Reporter



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6:00-6:45: 3 yr. old Creative Movement Class

6:00-6:45: 3rd thru 6th Grade Jazz Class

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