

about our friends

calendar

Holiday Weekend Matinees: “Galaxy Quest” (PG), Dec. 8-9, 1:30, sponsored by the Sherman Theatre; “Shrek” (PG), Dec. 15-16, 1:30, sponsored by the theater; “How the Grinch Stole Christmas” (PG), Dec. 22-23, 1:30, sponsored by theater.

TNT Singles Club will meet at **Edwards Hall at 5:30 p.m. Thursday** for a progressive supper. On **Monday**, they will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Edwards Hall for caroling and a soup supper.

The Goodland Rotary Club is sponsoring the **Topside Pancake Breakfast from 6:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday**, at the high school cafeteria. Tickets are available at the door or from Rotary members.

The Goodland After-5 Club, with the Christian Business and Professional Women, is holding a “Reason for the Season” dinner party at the Butterfly Cafe from **7 to 8:30 p.m. Monday**. Call 899-5580 or 899-3828 for reservations.

Jody Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veteran’s 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. You can call her office in Colby on Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

Goodland High School will host the **6th Annual Senior Citizen’s Dinner at 11 a.m. Friday, Dec. 14**. Make a reservation before Wednesday at 899-5656 or 899-2397. Transportation is available.

Colby Community College is enrolling for its outreach program for Goodland from **Thursday, Jan. 3, to Wednesday, Jan. 16**. Call (888) 634-9350 for information.

The Goodland Elks Lodge is accepting applications for its 2002-2003 “Most Valuable Student” contest. Applications may be made by high school seniors who are U.S. citizens.

Forms are available from high school guidance counselors or from the Goodland Elks Lodge. Deadline is **Friday, Jan. 11**. Call Zona Price at 899-6251 or write to Box 146, Goodland, Kan., 67735 for information.

activities

Meals on Wheels is looking for individuals, families, or organizations to deliver meals **Sunday, Dec. 16, through Monday, Dec. 31**. Call 899-2095 to volunteer.

Food for Fines — The **Goodland Public Library** will accept food items for **Genesis** in exchange for outstanding fines until **Christmas**. Food items needed include gelatin, pudding, cake mixes, pancake mix, peanut butter, or any canned goods.

Born to Read — The **library** offers **Story Time** for children under 3 from 5-5:30 p.m. on the **first and third Tuesday evening**, and 10-10:30 a.m. **every Friday**.

Emotions Anonymous — meets at **7:30 p.m. every Wednesday** at the Goodland Regional Medical Center board room.

Century Families — meets at **7 p.m. the second Monday** of the month at the Senior Center. For information, call 899-2835.

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 — **7:45 a.m. morning aerobics classes** are offered daily at the Goodland Activities Center. Marilyn Imel leads a step aerobic class on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. On Tuesday and Thursday, a less intense class is offered for those who are just starting a fitness routine or have physical, medical or age limitations. For information, call 899-7242

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

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. To schedule an evaluation or discuss other environmental concerns, call the Sherman County Health Department at (785) 899-4888.

The **Goodland Arts Council** will hold a **membership reception from 4-**

6 p.m. Sunday at the Carnegie Arts Center. Members will receive a 10 percent discount on gift items, and refreshments will be served.

The center is displaying Christmas art through the month of December from **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday** and from **1-4 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and Monday**.

school lunch menu

Thursday — Chicken nuggets, potato square, relish cup, brownie, milk. **Friday** — Chili, crackers, cinnamon roll, peaches, milk.

school calendar

Thursday: DECA seminar, varsity and junior varsity wrestling at Atwood at 5:30 p.m., Scholars Bowl at Atwood at 5:30 p.m., Topside Tipoff basketball tournament at 2 p.m. **Friday:** Topside Tipoff tournament at 2 p.m., North School parent lunch. **Saturday:** ACT test, varsity wrestling at Burlington at 9:30 a.m. **Sunday:** Junior Olympic volleyball at junior high gym from 1 to 3:30 p.m.

senior center menu

Thursday: Chicken tortilla soup, peaches, bread/crackers, brownies. **Friday:** Salmon Patty, green bean casserole, cranberry juice, bread, cookie.

Next Week
Monday: Baked spaghetti, mixed veggies, peaches, garlic bread, tapioca. **Tuesday:** Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, bread, plums. **Wednesday:** Porcupine meat balls; steamed cabbage, carrots, and onions; bread, gelatin with bananas, dessert choice. **Thursday:** Roast beef, mashed potatoes with gravy, mixed fruit, bread, birthday cake. **Friday:** no meals.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted on Tuesday: Geraldine Bartlett and Kenneth Dautel of Goodland, and Madison Cunningham of Sharon Springs.

Dismissed on Tuesday: Geraldine Bartlett of Goodland.

Specialists for Thursday: Charles Ruggles, dermatologist; James K. Warren, cardiologist.

Hospital Volunteer Schedule: **Wednesday:** Maggie Richards, p.m.; Carmelita Clark, courtesy. **Thursday:**

Mary Lou Franklin, a.m.; Patty Gensil, courtesy. **Friday:** Fern Heckman, a.m.; Carmelita Clark, courtesy.

today in history

December 5, 1901: Stringing the Telephone Wires — Work on the telephone system is progressing rapidly. All the poles are up and the first wires were strung on Main Street Monday. The phones are here and the central switch board was put in place Wednesday.

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

area events

The **Hays Art Council** is seeking entries for its **Five State Photography Exhibition**. Entry forms are due **Friday, Jan. 25**, and entries at the gallery by **Tuesday, Jan. 29**. Call Brenda Meder at (785) 625-7522 or write to 112 E. 11th St., Hays, Kan., 67601 for information.

animal shelter

Lost a pet? Call the Goodland Police Department at 899-4570. Interested in adopting a pet? Call the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 899-6464.

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 trees at the Goodland Cemetery have died and the cemetery board is trying to replace them.

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.

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.

obituary

Rosella Wicke

Rosella McKillip Wicke, 84, mother of Archie (Patricia) Wicke of Goodland, died Nov. 30, 2001, at the Rawlins County Health Center in Atwood. She was born Nov. 9, 1917, the daughter of Arch and Mammie Marquissie, at the family farm in Hayes County, Neb.

She was baptized and received her confirmation at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Hayes Center. She graduated from Hayes County High School in 1934 and became a substitute teacher.

On Dec. 29, 1938, she married Eric Wicke of Ludell, and they lived on the Wicke farm in Rawlins County for 15 years. The couple moved to Atwood in 1953.

Mrs. Wicke was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Atwood, president of the Christian Mothers Altar Society, vice-president of the Sacred Heart Parish School Board

She was a substitute teacher at the

parish school, and a room mother, home school leader and advisory board treasurer.

She was a member of the Fun and Facts Home Extension Unit, a card club, and was a Girl Scout leader

Arosary was said Sunday, Dec. 2, at Williams Funeral Home in Atwood. Services were Monday, Dec. 3, at the church in Atwood, with burial in St. Mary’s Cemetery, Herndon.

She also leaves three daughters, Rita Koehn (Gary) of Seattle, Linda (Grady) Elder of La Cygne, and Debra (Dave) Johnson of Garden City; two sisters, Jane Pearson of Stratton, Neb., and Lucille Fugate of Seattle; nine grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, an infant son, Phillip; three brothers, and a sister.

Memorials may be made to the Oberlin Senior Center or the Good Samaritan Center, both of Atwood, in care of Williams Funeral Home, 109 N. Second, Atwood, Kan. 67730.

Ballet to be shown in Colby

The “Nutcracker” will be performed 3 p.m. Central Time Sunday at the Colby High School auditorium.

The David Taylor Dance Theatre of Littleton, Colo., brings to northwest Kansas a contemporary version of the ballet as seen through the eyes of a child.

Dancers from all over the country are included in the performance, as well as students from the Cheryl Schwartz Dance Studio of Colby, which includes children from Goodland.

Students from Theresa Porter’s Dance Ranch of St. Francis and Colleen Barrett’s Dance Place of Colby will also be in the performance.

This untraditional ballet is sponsored by the Western Plains Arts Association, with support from the Kansas Arts Commission and the National



Performers in “Nutcracker”

Endowment for the Arts.

Tickets will be available at the door, \$12 adults and \$6 students, or admission is free with a Western Plains season pass.

matters of record

MUNICIPAL COURT
Cases in Goodland Municipal Court:
Nov. 14 — Matthew H. Kuhlman, 18, Goodland, disabled vehicle parked, no contest, \$46.
Nov. 16 — Wyona J. Shockey, 43, Goodland, dog at large, no dog license, guilty, \$76.
Chad A. Delano, 17, Goodland, dog at large, no dog license, guilty, \$116.
Nov. 20 — Joe Phillips, Goodland, vehicle parked without registration, guilty, \$76.
Nov. 21 — Janet Swartz, Goodland, vehicle parked without registration, no contest, \$76.

GOODLAND POLICE
Reported by the Goodland Police Department:
Nov. 26 — Northwest Kansas Technical College reported damage to telephone lines between 5 p.m. Nov. 23 and 7 a.m. Nov. 26 at 1209 Harrison, \$1,600.
Paxton Building Services reported tools stolen and a padlock damaged between noon Nov. 23 and 7 a.m. Nov. 26 at 14th and Cattletrail.
Richard W. Simon reported items were taken from his truck and a truck of the City of Goodland between 8 p.m. Nov. 25 and 7 a.m. Nov. 26 at 1404 Clark.

correction

“Matters of record” in the Dec. 4 edition of *The Goodland Daily News* listed Mary McCullough as the victim of and arrested for battery and disorderly conduct. This person was Mary Patrice McCullough, age 45.

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In the Goodland All-Star Booster Club item in the Dec. 3 paper, it was incorrectly stated the third grade will hold a music program Tuesday, Dec. 11. This information has changed since

the school calendars were printed.

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The Goodland Daily News will correct any mistake or misunderstanding in a news story. Please call our office at (785) 899-2338 to report errors. We believe that news should be fair and factual. We want to keep an accurate record and appreciate you calling to our attention any failure to live up to this standard.

Hopefully, all the leftovers are finally gone

The holiday season is in full bloom, with Thanksgiving over and even most of the leftovers gone.

If you still have any turkey left, it had better be in the freezer or you might have a problem. Seems like we can’t wait to have that big feast, and then, we can’t wait for the leftovers to be gone.

We had our five children home, and eight of our twelve grandchildren here, so it was a good time. Brad came from Missoula, Montana, and spent about 4 days with us. Brian and Michele and Sam and Hannah came from Bennington; Beth, David and Nathaniel and Corinne, from Hays; Barry, Kim, Rebekah and Andrew were here from Salina, and Brooke arrived from Kensington, with Justin and Heath. We also enjoyed having LaVelle with us, and Willard Moore. We celebrated a few days late, as we wanted all to be able to attend, and enjoyed having a second get together on



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● brewster beacon

Sunday. Everyone made it home safe and sound, although Brad said the weather was a little iffy going North.

Marge Westover returned Tuesday evening from LaSalle, Colorado, where she enjoyed Thanksgiving with her family. She was particularly glad to see her grandson, Carl Samuelson, and his wife from North Dakota. Carl may be going overseas, soon, so we have him in our prayers for a safe return.

Inace Parker spent the holiday in Eagle, Colorado, with her grandson, Doug and family, and sons, Bud and Merle. Merle and Sandi, of Oakley,

picked her up on Tuesday, the 20th, and brought her home on Saturday. Inace says it was plenty cold in Eagle, and she thinks she will stay home at Christmas. We’ll wait and see about that.

George and Roberta Luckert had Thanksgiving, in Castle Rock, Colorado, and enjoyed time with their family. They returned home on Friday, and traveled to Perry, Oklahoma, on Saturday to attend the funeral of George’s sister-in-law. They returned to Brewster on Monday evening.

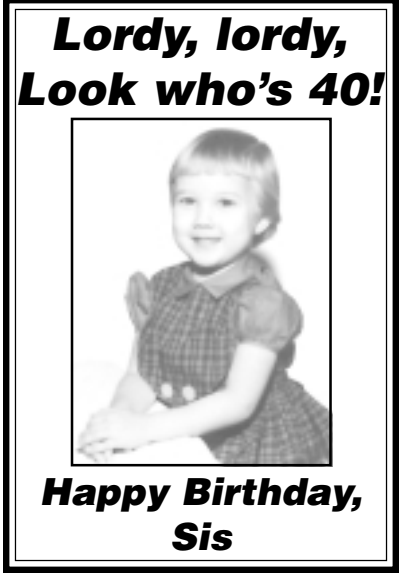
Wilma Burk played hostess to family members, with almost all of her immediate family on hand. There were some that were unable to attend, but she said she still had a housefull. Wilma is enjoying having her sister, Alma Wondersee, closer. Alma moved here from Denver, a few weeks ago,

and (small world) bought the house that my sister, Harriet and Thurl Demaree, had for sale.

Ruth and Duane Jones enjoyed Thanksgiving with her sister, Marie Edwards, in Goodland. Ruth said they had lots to eat and a good time visiting with family all day.

Berniece Holiman was in the Colby hospital for a few days, and we hope she is feeling much better now. Seems like there is lots of sickness around, as always, this time of year.

The 4H Club has decorated the Senior Center for Christmas again, and it looks very nice. The Club purchased a tree for the Senior Center, and it makes the window look great. Thank you to all the members for their skills, and also to the ones that helped them. That’s it for this week; see you all next time.



projects, and has sung at the state vocal contest and the Farm Bureau state talent contest.

Both students have been featured in *The Goodland Daily News* as students of the week.

Outstanding Students of America sponsors the award to recognize superior students who are involved in community service and other student activities.

This award is given to less than 1 percent of students nationwide.



Riebel



Richardson

Gospel youth group and has worked in the county fair parade, Genesis food drive, meals on wheels, Chamber of Commerce entertainment, and animal shelter projects.

He has worked on highway clean up and photographs for community



Harry Potter
and the Sorcerer’s Stone (PG)
PG: Some scary moments, mild language.
Nightly 7:00 • Showing thru Dec. 13

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Carnegie Art Center Christmas Home Tour

Sunday December 9 – 2 - 4 pm
Reception at Carnegie Art Center – 4 - 6 pm
Come enjoy the reception & shop our Gift Gallery - unique Christmas Gifts
Tickets - \$20.00 - No Children Please
Tickets available at Art Center or from any Board Member - Come join the fun!
120 W. 12th , Goodland • 899-6442

Western Plains Arts Assn. Presents

DENVER’S DAVID TAYLOR DANCE THEATRE

“The Nutcracker”

“Taylor’s bright, bold ‘Nutcracker’ is a treat for the eyes. He turns the entire ballet into a dream. It’s a terrific idea.”
Marc Shulgold, Denver Rocky Mountain News

“The DTDT showed that with sufficient artistic vision you can take a ballet as infinitely world weary as ‘The Nutcracker’ and make it glow with charm and wit. The unique use of color makes us appreciate every aspect of the visual texture of the ballet. The result is equally elegant and delectable.”
Devorah Knaff, Long Beach Press-Telegram

Sunday, December 9
3:00 p.m. Central Time
Colby High School Auditorium
Adults: \$12.00 Students: \$6.00