calendar

A lecture series, "How Does Your Garden Grow?" by Master Gardeners will be at **7 p.m. Thursdays.** Tree Care will be May 16 at Gulick Park. Vegetables will be **May 23** at the Kay Melia home. Historical Cutting Garden will be **May 30** at the Handy House. Xeroscaping will be **June 6**, location to be announced. Roses will be June 13 at the Sandy Whitby home. Lectures are free to Goodland Arts Center members, but there is a charge for non-members. **Pre-register by** calling 899-6442.

City/County Recreation is accepting registration for men's and co-ed softball until Friday. Forms are available at the city office.

The Sherman County Historical **Society** is having a history conference from 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday for **Settlement Days** at the Masonic Temple, 519 Center. Lunch will be provided at noon. There will be presentations about life during World War II.

Goodland Women of Faith will have their monthly celebration from 9:30-11 a.m. Saturday at Wheat Ridge Acres. Mary Ellen Coumerihu will speak. Baby-sitting provided.

Smoky Gardens Archery Club will have a shoot at 10 a.m. Sunday. Registration begins at 9 a.m.

"Christ in the Passover," a video presentation, will be shown at 10:30 a.m. Sunday at the Word of Life Foursquare Church at 10th and Clark. Child care and Kidz Church provided.

The U.S. Farm Service Agency will have an open house from 9 a.m.-3 **p.m.** Wednesday at 210 W. Second for Connie Cole, who is retiring after 15

Jessica Kashka's class from the Right Combination Dance Studio will give a recital at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 16, at the high school audi-

Jodi Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs will be in Goodland from 1-2:15 p.m. Thursday, May 16, in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. Call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

SHARE sign up for the June distribution of food will be until Friday, **June 7,** at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, Regional Prevention Center and the school lunch menu Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up for May will be from 9 to 10 a.m. Saturday, May 18, at 824 Main for the May distribution of low-cost food.

activities

"Prairie Past Times," a photographic history of entertainment in Sherman County, is on display from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday and from **9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday** at the High Plains Museum, 1717 Cherry

The Carnegie Arts Center is open from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and from 1-4 p.m. Saturday,

development

People who volunteered to be on

Rose Anderson, Homeland Real

Chris Bauman, Kindi Bauman,

Kim Bohme, Miller's Electronics.

Terry Crowdy, Second Chance

Mary Ellen Coumerilh, Word of

David Daniels, Judy Daniels,

John Garcia, Garcia's Furniture.

Schyler Goodwin, Bankwest,

Larry Harper, Lincare, the Fossile

Dax Hayden, Hayden Insurance.

Mitch Hixson, Homeland Real

Curtis Hurd, city commissioner,

Larry McCants, First National

Dale Neill, KOA Campground.

sioner, Rasure's Lumber.

Kelly Rippe.

Shad's Electric.

Kevin Rasure, county commis-

Royal Reid, elevator operator.

Penny Sheldon, Shad Sheldon,

Colleen Smith, State Farm Insur-

Randy Topliff, Overhead Door.

Laura Wing, personal trainer.

Pete Whalen, attorney.

Stephen West, Western State

Life Foursquare Church

rental property management.

Goodland Development Corp.

Harlan D. House, farmer.

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Sunday and Monday. May's exhibit cinnamon apple slices, bread and rhuwill be "Table Scapes," setting a table barb dessert. Wednesday: Philly steak and standard for entertaining in Goodland. Community organizations will be

Born to Read - The Goodland Public Library offers Story Time for children under 3 from **5-5:30 p.m. on the** second and fourth Tuesday evening, and from 10-10:30 a.m. every Friday.

Emotions Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the Goodland Regional Medical Center board

Century Families, for people whose family came to Sherman County more than 100 years ago, meets at 7 p.m. the second Monday of the month at the Senior Center. For information, call 899-2835.

Aerobics Classes - 7:45 a.m. morning aerobics classes are offered daily at the Goodland Activities Center. Tena Tompkins leads a step aerobics class at 5:30 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and **Friday.** On Tuesday and Thursday, a less intense class is offered. Call 899-

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

Tours of the **1907 Victorian House** at 202 W. 13th are from 1-5 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays.

area events

A pancake feed will be held from 7-10 a.m. Saturday, May 18, at the American Legion Hall in **Atwood** to benefit Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Rawlins County.

Kansas Square Dance Callers and Dancers Association will have their 51st annual **convention Friday and** Saturday, May 31 and June 1, at the Bicentennial Center in Salina. Call today in history (785) 272-4332 or e-mail Jjrothrock-@aolcom.

school calendar

Saturday: Tennis 7:30 a.m. at Colby, depart 6:15 a.m. Prom. Sunday: Mother's Day. Monday: Softball vs. Colby 3:45 p.m. at Larned. Regional golf 7:30 a.m. at Larned. Regional tennis 8 a.m. at Lindsborg. **Tuesday:** Black Day. Seminar — DECA. Faculty meeting. Senior grades due at 3:30 p.m. Band "Concert in the Park" at 6 p.m. Barbecue 5:30 p.m. at Gulick Park.

Monday: Taco, lettuce, cheese, tomato, potato square, cookie and milk. Tuesday: Hamburger stroganoff, peas, hot roll, choice of dessert and milk. **Wednesday:** Barbecue beef sandwich, tri-tator, lettuce salad. chocolate cake and milk. Thursday: Pigs-in-a-blanket, french fries, baked beans, strawberries and milk. Friday: Pizza, corn, salad, fruit and milk.

senior center menu

Monday: Hamburger steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, asparagus, bread and mandarin oranges. **Tues-** Pennsylvania, Kansas City, Mo. day: Porcupine meat balls, pea salad, 64105.

sandwich, hash brown casserole, Jello with banana, bun or bread and cookie. **Thursday:** Turkey, sweet potatoes, five-cup salad, bread and birthday cake. Friday: Tuna pasta casserole, winter mix vegetables, apricots, bread and crisp rice bar.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted on Thursday: Birkley Barnes, Goodland.

Specialists for Monday: Tim Birney and Stuart J. Kennedy, orthope-

Volunteer Schedule: Tuesday: Bonnie Daily, a.m., and Beulah Mc-Clung, p.m. Wednesday: Chet Ross, p.m. Thursday: Betty Saint, a.m., and Velma Holste, p.m. Friday: Fern

health department

The Sherman County Health Department at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m.-noon and 1-5 p.m. Mon-

Monday: Scheduled appointments. WIC in Oakley 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Central Time. Voucher pickup 11 a.m.-1 p.m.. **Tuesday:** Scheduled appointments. Tech college 8:30-10 a.m. Wednesday: WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. Thursday: WIC in Colby 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Central Time. Voucher pickup and scheduled appointments. Blood pressure checks at Sparks and Handy Towers 9-10:30 a.m. Friday: Blood pressure and blood sugar screening 8 a.m.-noon. Walk-in clinic. Immunizations 1-4:30 p.m.

Children's physicals and family planning available by appointment. Sharps containers available free of

May 10, 1902: Bessie Emarette Calvert, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Calvert, died of spinal men-

May 11, 1902: Although graduation examinations are being held, no pupil should quit until school ends. Eighth grade work will be worth just as much.

May 12, 1902: L. D. Chatfield reports he lost his overcoat at a literary and requests return of the same.

From The Goodland News, provided by the Sherman County Historical So-

card showers

Anna Belle Long would love to hear from her friends. Her new address is Sable Care Center, Anna Belle Long, Room 58, 656 Dillon Way, Aurora, Colo. 80011.

Lydia Scott will be celebrating her 90th birthday Sunday, May 19. Send cards to 707 Wheat Ridge Circle No. 135, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

stem cell transplant in Kansas City. Addition to the City of Goodland. Due to the nature of her illness, do not send flowers. She is at the American Cancer Society Hope Lodge at 1140



Reis and Quackenbush

Couple to marry in June

Sharon Rose Shiloh Ries and Brian Lee Quakenbush plan to marry Sunday, June 30, in Goodland.

She is from Goodland, and he is from Salina. Her parents are Larry and Judy Harper of Goodland and David Ries of Denver. His parents are Greg and Kim Lahmann of Russell and Dale and Cindy Quackenbush of Longmont, She will graduate from Goodland

High School this month and plans to go to college to become a high school

He graduated from Russell High School in 1999 and from the Northwest Kansas Technical College in 2001. He is an auto body technician in Salina.

matters of record

Real Estate

Real estate transfers reported by the Sherman County Register of Deeds:

Marjorie J. Sams, trustee of the Marjorie J. Sams Living Trust, of 13405 W. 83rd, Lenexa, Kan., to Barton L. Duell, of 2313 Roanoke Circle, City of Mesquite, Texas, the E/ 2 of Sec. 9 in T8S, R41W of the 6th

Frances Major of Kit Carson County, Colo., to John W. Johnson of Arapaho County, Colo., Lots 29, 30, 31 and 32 in Block 16 in Rule's Addition to the City of Kanorado. Kayla Tatman to Bankwest of Kan-

sas Lots 10 and 11 in Block 1 of the Auer and Shimeall Addition to the City of Goodland, 416 W. Ninth.

Lance L. and Melissa A. Fulton to Israel and Johanna Rodriguez the N74' **Debbie Snethen** had a successful of Lot 16 in Block 9 in the Rosewood

Norma J. Rithaler of Ventura County, Calif., to Marvin K. and Anna L. Kramer of Shawnee County, Kan. 1/6 interest in the N/2 of Sec. 4 in T9S,

Group seeks to develop county

ECONOMIC, from Page 1

"We are all part of Sherman County," Hurd said, "and having such an organization backed by the money from the property tax would be an improvement in funding economic development."

A member of the audience said the group should look to successful cities for ideas, and that one of the main things is that a full time person is needed to handle economic develop-

He said an effort would not be easy, quick or cheap to develop

Another suggestion would be to look at cities of comparable size around the area to see what they have done. Phillipsburg was one suggested.

Larry McCants of the First National Bank said he felt the group could learn from the efforts of the 1980s, when a strategic plan was drawn up to set development goals for Sherman County. He said more than 100 people helped develop a vision for the future which was presented to the county commissioners.

He said grants were available then to help and they had the University of Kansas study the demographics of the county, and an expert from Kansas State University came to Goodland to help with the meetings.

Looking at the goals of that group, McCants said the top priority was improving the entrance to the city. "We've come a long way," he said,

"and it is probably time to do it again. The effort would give us a sense of what the community felt was the top priority today.'

Randy Topliff, of Overhead Door Co., said he had served on three such economic development committees, and that while all three had been successful, they did not create a lasting group to keep the effort going.

"We must have the money to make something happen,"Topliff said. "I am ready to put in \$1,000 from my overhead door business along with the county, city and others. We need to hire

Schyler Goodwin, of Bankwest, said he agreed with Topliff. "A leader has to have a team," he

a full-time person to do this, and maybe

a group where you pay a membership."

added. "It takes more than that one person. We need to do what it takes to move the project ahead. Everyone needs to stay active to make it happen."

Larry Harper of Lincare said he thought the plan was good, but before we can sell Sherman County to people elsewhere, first we have to sell Sherman County to the people who live

Goodwin said the goal is to have 100 to 150 members in the new organiza-

"Good leadership is key," he said. "and we need to be sure all our meetings are public so we can get the input of the people. The final point is that there can be no personal agendas; we have to put the community interest first.'

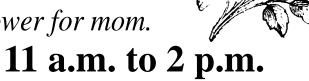
West asked for volunteers for the steering committee. About 30 names were mentioned. The group then suggested Goodwin as the spokesperson, and he suggested that the steering committee meet with the county commissioners at 8 a.m. Tuesday. He said after getting an idea from the commissioners, they would then probably meet again that week to plan out the organization.

The plan was to present the plan to the full group in three weeks, but an exact date or location wasn't decided.

Whispers

inside **Howard Johnson**

Roast Beef, Ham, Chicken, with all the trimming's & a flower for mom.



Mother's Day, May 12



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obituary

Bud King

V.R. "Bud" Knapp King, 80, a former car dealer, city councilman and freighter in Burlington, died Wednesday, May 8, 2002, at Kit Carson County Memorial Hospital. He had been ill for

He was born Jan. 10, 1922, near Bethune, Colo., to Bertha I. King and Raymond S. Knapp. He graduated from Bethune High School in 1940.

He enlisted in the Air Force in the spring of 1941. While stationed at Sheppard Army Air Base in Wichita Falls, Texas, he met Mildred Morrison. They were married Dec. 21, 1942. Their first child, Virgil Richard, was

born Aug. 25, 1944, while Bud was stationed in Hawaii. He finally got to see him in the fall of 1945. The couple settled in Burlington,

and in 1947, Bud purchased the city

dray business and expanded it to haul freight, lumber, cement and coal for Foster Lumber Co. He later created King Motor Co., a Pontiac, Buick, GMC and Rambler dealership and service center. After retiring, he bought the family farm where he raised cattle, wheat and corn

until retiring to travel and spend win-

ters in warmer climates. He was a charter member of the Burlington Veterans of Foreign Wars and one of the founding members of the First National Bank of Burlington. He was on the planning committee of the Burlington Country Club and served two terms on the city council.

Family was his focus. While raising their own children, Bud and Mildred found time and love for 14 foster children. He enjoyed watching his grandchildren and great-grandchildren grow

Through his woodworking talent, he created many keepsakes for his family and friends.

He visited much of the country, traveling with Mildred in their motor

He was preceded in death by his parents; a daughter, Phyllis King at the age of 4; three brothers, Les, Leo and Harold King; two sisters, Wilda and Dorothea; and a son-in-law, Craig Survivors include his wife; a son.

Dick (Jane) King of Craig, Colo.; three daughters, Sue (Doug) Keirnes of Littleton, Colo., Debbie (Barry) Hinkhouse of Burlington, and Julie Mann of Goodland; a sister, Mabel (Howard) Pickerill of Burlington; 15 grandchildren; and seven great-grand-Services will be at 11 a.m. Monday,

May 13, 2002, at the Burlington Christian Church with the Rev. Paul Barker officiating. He will be cremated after the service and a private burial will be held later. Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. Sun-

day at Love Funeral Home in Bur-Memorials may be made to the Kit

County Memorial Hospital in care of the Community First National Bank, 502 14th St., Burlington, Colo. 80807.

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