

about our friends

calendar

The Goodland Public Library will have the final craft day of the summer reading program from **1-4 p.m. Tuesday**. Call 899-5461 to sign up and bring a white T-shirt.

Jodi Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs** will be in Goodland from **1-2:15 p.m. Wednesday** 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.

The Sherman County **Historical Society** is celebrating the **first anniversary of the 1907 Victorian House**, 202 W. 13th, opening for tours with reduced rates for tours and cake and ice cream from **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday**. See how the displays have changed during the last year in the now air conditioned house.

Goodland High School band is having a **barbecue from 6-8 p.m. Thursday** at the fairgrounds to raise money for a trip to the Alamo Bowl in December.

Goodland Bible Church, 109 Willow Rd., will have the EVIDENCE summer music team for the **ministry concert at 7 p.m. Friday**. An offering will be taken. Call 899-6410 or 899-3326.

The **After-5 Club**, affiliated with Christian Business and Professional Women is having the "What type of container are you?" **dinner party from 7-8:30 p.m. Monday, July 8**, at the Safari Steakhouse/Elks Lodge. Guest speaker is Sharon Mueller of Canon City, Colo. All ladies are welcome. There is a charge for dinner. Call Barb at 899-5580 or Lori at 899-3828 for reservations.

SHARE sign up for the July distribution of food will be **until Friday, July 12**, at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. **Pick up** will be from **9 to 10 a.m. Saturday, July 27**, at 824 Main for the July distribution of low-cost food.

Calvary Gospel Church, Fourth and College, will have their annual **vacation Bible school** for children age 3-3rd grade starting with the "Jammin' in the Jungle" **barbecue lunch from 1-2:30 p.m. Sunday, July 14**. From **6-8:15 p.m. Monday, July 15-Friday, July 19**, the group will be on an **expedition into the Amazon Rain Forest**. The week's activities include Bible stories, crafts, music, refreshments and recreation. Call 899-3605.

Goodland Bible Church, 109 Willow Rd., is having **Dr. Elwood Chipchase**, president of Calvary Bible College and Theological Seminary in Kansas City, as **guest speaker Sunday, July 14**. He will speak at **9:45 a.m.** during the Sunday school hour, at **11 a.m.** during the morning service and at **6 p.m.** at the evening service. An offering will be taken. Call 899-6410 or 899-3326.

The American Cancer Society **Sherman County Relay for Life** will be at **7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 23**, at the Sherman County Fairgrounds. Call **Michelle Shoff at 899-7317** to register a team.

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from 1-4 p.m. Sunday**. The special exhibit for June is Depression Glass.

Tours of the **Union One-Room School, District 51**, north of the High Plains Museum on Cherry are from **8 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon-3 p.m. Sunday**. **"Prairie Past Times,"** a photographic history of entertainment in

Is rural sheriff's department a thing of the past?

WaKEENEY (AP) — Is the rural sheriff's department an institution whose time has passed?

Voters in Trego County will answer that question when they decide in August whether to consolidate their sheriff's office and the WaKeeney Police Department into a single law enforcement agency.

WaKeeney is home to more than half of Trego County's 3,319 residents and to the city police department, the

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 Ave.

The **Carnegie Arts Center** is open from **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and from 1-4 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and Monday**. July's exhibit will be a variety of art work by Ginny Young of Ulysses.

Born to Read — The Goodland Public Library offers Story Time for children under 3 from **10-10:30 a.m. every Friday**.

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

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 899-7242.

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

Hanging by a Thread will not meet during the summer. The next meeting will be from **7-9 p.m. the second Thursday of September** at Wheat Ridge Acres.

Goodland Women of Faith monthly celebrations are taking a break for the summer and will **meet again in September**.

area events

The **22nd annual county-challenge race** will begin at **7:30 a.m. Central Time Thursday** on the south shore of **Lake Atwood**. The men will circle the lake four times for a total distance of eight kilometers (4.97 miles), and the women will run two laps. Runners just need to show up at the starting line. There is no entry fee and no prizes.

Farmers/Flea Market and city-wide garage sale will be **Saturday, July 6**, in Rexford. Call (785) 687-4346 or 687-3925.

Lake Atwood 10-mile run will begin at **7 a.m. Sunday, July 21**. Money will be awarded as prizes. Call Bob Creighton at (785) 626-3295, write to Box 46, Atwood, Kan. 67730 or visit www.recordbook.com.

Golden Plains High School, Rexford, Selden, Menlo and Gem Alumni Reunion will be Friday-Sunday, **Aug. 30-Sept. 1**. Parade is at 11 a.m. Saturday. Vendors, parade entrants and musicians wanted. Call 785-687-3340 or 785-687-2255.

senior center menu

Tuesday: Swedish meatballs, winter mixed vegetables, mixed fruit, noodles and bread and a cookie. **Wednesday:** Egg and sausage bake, hash brown casserole, cantaloupe, bread and coffee cake. **Thursday:** Closed. **Friday:** Beef tips, scalloped potatoes, peas, bread and peach cup.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted on Friday: Meredith Huff, Goodland.

Dismissed on Friday: Nancy Cloyd, Goodland. Transferred: Manuel Aguilar, Goodland, to Hays Medical Center.

Dismissed on Saturday: Betty Bebb, Goodland.

Admitted on Sunday: Francis Slusher and Trisha Carter, Goodland.

Dismissed on Sunday: Meredith Huff, Goodland.

Specialists for Tuesday: Darrell Werth, urologist.

Volunteer schedule: Tuesday: Beulah McClung, p.m. **Wednesday:** Carmelita Clark, courtesy, and Margie Richards, p.m. **Thursday:** Mary Lou Franklin, a.m., and Patty Gensil, courtesy. **Friday:** Fern Heckman, a.m.; Carmelita Clark, courtesy; and Jan Lambert, p.m.

health department

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

Tuesday: Scheduled appointments. **Wednesday:** Staff meeting 8-9 a.m. Office closed. WIC in Goodland 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Scheduled appointments and voucher pickup. **Thursday:** Closed for holiday. **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 are available free of charge. Next cholesterol screening July 11 and 12. Next toenail trimming clinic is Wednesday, July 19. Call 899-4888.

If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care, call the health department.

Water Testing — The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group does free well evaluations, including testing for bacteria and nitrates. To schedule an evaluation or discuss environmental concerns, call the **Health Department at 899-4888**.

today in history

July 1, 1902: After verifying the legality, Judge Calvert issued a license and married a 31-year-old man and a girl of 15 summers, traveling from Nebraska in a Prairie Schooner.

From *The Goodland News*, provided by the Sherman County Historical Society.

birthday

Sssshhh! It's a surprise for Orland Zollinger, also known as Ralph, Hugo and Zolly — a 75th birthday open house for all family, friends and coffee, fishing and trucking buddies from 2-4 p.m. Saturday at the Methodist Church fellowship hall at 12th and Sherman.

crimestoppers

If you have information about any crime, call the Goodland Area Crime Stoppers "Look Line" at 899-5665. Your call will be confidential and you will not be asked your name. If the information results in the arrest and/or conviction of those involved, you could be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000. Goodland Area Crime Stoppers is a nonprofit organization formed by citizens against crime.

family shelter

The Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides services day or night to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available for women and children. For information or help, call (800) 794-4624.

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.

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.

can have the opportunity to cast their opinion and vote." Since 1974, Kansas law has allowed cities and counties to create a single law enforcement agency. One such department was created when Wyandotte County and Kansas City, Kan., formed the Unified Government. Riley County also has a county police department.

Trego County would be Kansas' first rural county to adopt such a system, according to County Commissioner Bernie Giefer.

obituaries

Vicki L. Barnett

Vicki L. (Dahl) Barnett, 53, a retired legal secretary, died Wednesday, June 26, 2002.

She was born July 29, 1948, in Colby, the daughter of Jay and Donna (Vette) Dahl. She attended Colby High School and graduated from the secretarial program at the Northwest Kansas Area Vocational Technical School. She married Gary "Barney" Barnett in 1966. They had one son, Trever.

The family lived in Goodland for several years where she worked for the law firm Sparks, Foust and Vignery. They moved to Colorado Springs in 1982.

She moved back to Colby in 1995 to be near her parents who were in poor health.

She was a member of the Colby First Baptist Church, the Board of Christian Education, the American Baptist Women and Helping Hands Circle. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1993; her parents; a brother-in-law, John Cheney; a sister, Linda Jean; and her father-in-law, Vic Barnett.

Survivors include a son, Trever (Deann) Barnett of Colorado Springs; a brother, Jay (Nancy) Dahl of Rexford; two sisters, Phyllis Cheney of Rexford and Kay (Mike) Petersen of Tribune; and a grandson.

Also surviving are her mother-in-law, Olivet Barnett of Colorado; brothers-in-law, Gordon Barnett, Jon Barnett, Terry (Kathi) Barnett, David (Michelle) Barnett; and a sister-in-law, Marilee Barnett.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Central Time Wednesday, July 3, 2002, at the church with the Rev. Bruce Burfield

officiating. Burial will be in the Beulah Cemetery.

There will be no visitation. The body was cremated.

Memorials may be made in her name and left at any Colby bank or sent to Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel, 745 S. Country Club Dr., Colby, Kan. 67701.

Dorothy M. Clark

Dorothy M. (Pettibone) Clark, 71, a waitress, died Friday, June 28, 2002, at Grace Manor Care Center in Burlington.

She was born Dec. 24, 1930, in Stratton, Colo., the daughter of Mike and Lily (Flageolle) Balanga. She grew up and attended schools in Stratton.

On Aug. 7, 1950, she married Kenneth E. Pettibone in Stratton. She worked as a waitress for several years at many different restaurants in the area. Kenneth died in 1978.

On Sept. 16, 1982, she married Kenneth G. Clark in Kanorado.

She was preceded in death by her parents, both husbands, four brothers and five sisters.

Survivors include a son, Gordon (Caroline) Pettibone of Goodland; three sisters, Florence Pettibone of Phoenix, Bertha Johnson of Burlington and Louise Clark of Greeley, Colo.; and two grandsons.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, July 5, 2002, at Bateman Funeral Home with Pastor Janet Hernandez



Clark

officiating. Burial will follow in the Kanorado Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Thursday.

Memorials may be left at the funeral home, and a use will be decided at a later date.

Joshua Black

Joshua Evan Black, 20, a student at Northwest Kansas Technical College, died from injuries in a car crash Sunday, June 30, 2002, at the Grisell Memorial Hospital in Ransom.

He was born Dec. 19, 1981, at Ness City, the son of Bobby Black and Leona (Oborny) Black Benedict. He was a lifetime resident of Bazine and a member of the Bazine Christian Fellowship. He was completing his second year at the college majoring in telecommunications.

He was preceded in death by a grandfather, Vernon Black.

Survivors include his father of Bazine; his mother of Ness City; a brother, Preston (Kelli) Black of Tulsa, Okla.; and three grandparents, Barbara Black of Hoxie and Leonard and Alice Oborny of Rush Center.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Central Time Tuesday, July 2, 2002, at the Bazine Grade School auditorium with Pastor Stan Bryant officiating.

Burial will be in the Bazine Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Central Time today at Fitzgerald Funeral Home in Ness City and until service time at the school Tuesday.

Memorials may be made to the Joshua Black Memorial Fund in care of the funeral home at Box 96, 207 N. Pennsylvania, Ness City, Kan. 67560.

Extra troopers added for holiday

If it seems there are more state troopers on the highway during the July 4th holiday, there probably are.

The Kansas Highway Patrol and 65 local law enforcement agencies across the state will be enforcing the drunk driving, seat belt and child car seat laws with special efforts beginning Sunday and running through Monday, July 8.

The Kansas Clicks mobilization is intended to raise awareness of the need to drive sober and to buckle up. The program, sponsored by the Kansas

Department of Transportation, will work in conjunction with another department program, Special Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP).

The traffic enforcement program pays overtime so troopers can work additional shifts between June 30 and July 6. Kansas Clicks will be in force from Tuesday through Monday, July 8.

"Despite public awareness and stiff penalties," Col. Don Brownlee, superintendent of the patrol, said, "drunk drivers remain a problem on Kansas

highways."

According to department of transportation statistics, three people died and 97 others were injured as a result of 215 crashes on Kansas' roadways during last year's 30-hour Fourth of July holiday reporting period. The patrol arrested 28 people for driving under the influence during that period.

Among the local agencies assisting with Kansas Clicks are the Sherman and Wallace County sheriff's departments.

matters of record

May 17 — Wal-Mart reported the theft of a camera and film worth \$422.

May 20 — Wal-Mart reported the theft of a camera and a stereo worth \$426.

May 22 — Wal-Mart reported three forged checks for \$234.

Drennan shoes reported a burglary and criminal damage of \$50 to a door knob at 1006 Main.

May 23 — Esequiel A. Ruiz Jr. was arrested for disorderly conduct against Gregory Kroskey at 12th and Walnut.

Walmart reported the theft of \$28 worth of cigarettes.

May 24 — Sean C. Smith reported criminal damage to the front and back seats in his vehicle at 1400 Main.

Super 8 Motel reported the theft of \$201 worth of long distance phone calls.

Blake L. Townsend reported \$100 of criminal damage to a glass window at 1615 Texas.

May 27 — Presto Inc. reported a \$26 gas skip.

May 28 — Brett C. Williams, age 11, reported the theft of his \$145 bicycle at 1615 Cherry.

Richard Schlosser reported criminal damage of \$200 to the rear cargo window on his vehicle at 1200 Arcade.

Chad A. Delano was arrested for disorderly conduct against Glenn A. Johnson, a police officer, at 1518 Center.

Rebekah F. Ross was arrested for the theft of \$4 worth of jewelry at Walmart.

May 29 — Rick L. Warren reported the theft of his steel hand cart worth \$100 at 1520 Syracuse.

Dennie Finley reported the theft of

a golf cart and trailer valued at \$600.

June 2 — Danielle R. Schwartz reported \$501 of criminal damage as the hood, roof and both rear quarter panels of her vehicle had been "keyed" at 804 E. 15th.

June 3 — Michael R. Robben reported a theft and burglary as hand tools valued at \$150 had been taken from his vehicle at 1403 Syracuse.

June 4 — Christina Beeson was arrested for aggravated assault of Cary D. Amos and Glenn A. Johnson Jr., escape from custody, attempting to flee, obstruction of the legal process, disorderly conduct and reckless driving at 1612 Cherry.

The city of Goodland reported the theft of a \$150 roll out trash container at 811 Washington.

Cole Auction and Real Estate, Jones

Land Co., Homestead Realty and Mastec reported the theft of signs and a construction cone at Fourth and Washington. Charges have been filed against juveniles in district court.

June 5 — Damon A. Finley was arrested for the theft of Evelyn S. Swartz's credit card at 602 W. Ninth.

Matthew P. Schmitz was served a bench warrant for failure to appear at 813 1/2 Broadway.

June 6 — Matthew P. Schmitz reported the burglary and theft of a CD player, CD's and three pairs of shoes with a total value of \$950 at 1104 E. 13th.

Aaron Wilson reported the burglary

and theft of a CD player and CD's valued at \$400 and criminal damage of \$200 to the side window on his vehicle at 702 Sherman.

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ATTENTION

Western Plains Energy, L.L.C.

Investor meetings are being held that will provide information regarding a proposed ethanol plant to be built near Campus in Northern Gove County, KS.

Monday	July 1	9:00 am	Comfort Inn City Limits- Colby, KS
Monday	July 1	2:00 pm	Quarteljo Museum - Scott City, KS
Tuesday	July 2	9:00 am	Gateway Center - Oberlin, KS
Tuesday	July 2	7:00 pm	Holiday Inn - Hays, KS
Monday	July 8	9:00 am (mntn)	Wray Community Hall - Wray, CO
Monday	July 8	2:00 pm	Elks Lodge - Goodland, KS
Tuesday	July 9	9:00 am	Legion Hall - Norton, KS
Tuesday	July 9	2:00 pm	Q-Inn - Quinter, KS
Wed.	July 10	9:00 am	Oakley Country Club - Oakley, KS
Wed.	July 10	2:00 pm	Legion Hall - Dighton, KS
Thur.	July 11	9:00 am (mntn)	4-H Fairgrounds - Tribune, KS
Thur.	July 11	2:00 pm	Legion Hall - Bird City, KS
Friday	July 12	9:00 am (mntn)	Burlington Inn - Burlington, KS
Friday	July 12	2:00 am	Elks Lodge - Hoxie

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