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calendar

The Goodland High School site council meeting will be at 7 p.m. tonight in the high school conference room. Interested parents are encouraged to attend.

The Goodland Area Chamber of Commerce is holding a seminar on customer service from 6:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Murray Center of the Northwest Kansas Technical College. Employers can learn how good service can help retain customers and build profits. There is a charge for the seminar.

The American Red Cross blood drive will be taking donations from noon-5:30 p.m. Thursday, at the First United Methodist Church at 12th and Sherman. Blood donors must be at least 17 years old and weigh at least 110 pounds. Call 899-5933 to make an appointment.

Jodi Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs will be in Goodland from 1-2:15 p.m. Thursday, 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 Goodland Activities Center will be holding a Benefit Night Golf Tournament on Saturday at Sugar Hill Golf Club.

A hunter education class will be given by the Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks next week on Monday-Wednesday and Saturday in the 4-H building at the Sherman County Fairgrounds. Call Mike Hopper at 899-5199.

St. Jude's Cancer Research Bike-a-thon will be Saturday in Goodland. The rain date will be Saturday, Oct. 5. There will be a fund-raising booth at Flatlander's Fall Festival on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 28 and 29. Call Kendall Morris, event coordinator, at (785) 899-3830.

Gail Prentice, traveling evangelist and former Goodland resident, will preach at 10 a.m. Sunday at the Living Waters Church in Brewster. He will have a tent set up for an 'old time' revival at 7 p.m. that evening west of 116 Main in Brewster.

The Right Reverend James M. Adams Jr., the fourth bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western Kansas will make his inaugural visit to the Goodland St. Paul's Episcopal Church on Sunday. He will be the celebrant at the holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m. at the church.

Rock Island Railroad 25th anniversary reunion will be at noon Sunday at the Goodland Senior Center. All former employees of the Rock Island are welcome. Bring a covered dish and table settings.

The Promenaders Square Dance Club will have lessons from 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 24, at Edwards Hall, 2431 Walnut. The first three lessons are free. Call 899-3323 or 899-3791.

The Goodland Activities Center will host a local competition for NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass and Kick at 9 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 28, at Cowboy Stadium. The competition is free and is open to boys and girls ages 8 to 15. Call the activities center at 899-7242.

The Sherman County Historical Society is having a garage sale and bake sale from 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, at the Handy House Breezeway, 202 W. 13th.

SHARE sign up for the October distribution of food will be until Friday, Oct. 11, at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be Saturday, Sept. 28, for the September distribution.

Gymnastics will again be offered at the Goodland Activities Center be-

ginning Saturday, Oct. 5. Classes will be on Saturday morning for ages 4 through high school. Register at the center by Tuesday, Oct. 1.

Hospice Harvest Dinner and Auction will begin with the social hour at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 5, at the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The silent auction will start during the social hour, dinner will be at 6:30, and the live auction will follow dinner. Proceeds will benefit Hospice Services Inc. of Sherman County. To donate items for the auction, call Lance or Melissa Fulton at 899-3549 or Hospice Services at 899-5788.

Goodland High School has changed Homecoming to Friday, Oct. 11, for the Oberlin football game.

The Sunflower Quilt Show Committee is planning its 2003 annual quilt show. Call the chamber of commerce at 899-7130 with ideas or to help plan the show. The first organizational meeting will be at 4 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 13, in the chamber boardroom.

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from 1-5 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday.

"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 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. Bronze sculptures by Greg Todd will be on display through Friday, Oct. 4.

Born to Read will be at 10 a.m. Fridays and Story time will be at 10 and 11 a.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays at the Goodland Public Library. Call 899-5461.

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. 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-in is at 5 p.m.

Hanging by a Thread will meet from 7-9 p.m. Thursday at Wheat Ridge Acres.

Goodland Women of Faith monthly celebration will be from 9:30-11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 21, at Wheat Ridge Acres. Baby-sitting provided.

area events

The National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association rodeo will be at 7:30 p.m. Central Time Friday and Saturday and at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the Thomas County Fairgrounds. Over 450 contestants from 18 colleges, including Colby Community College, will compete in nine major rodeo events. Advance tickets may be purchased at Vanderbilts or the college bookstore.

A community education program on dementia and Alzheimer's Disease will be at 7 p.m. Central Time Thursday, Sept. 26, in Room 108 of the Colby Community College Student Union. Students from the college department of nursing will be available to provide care for individuals with Alzheimer's while their family members and caregivers attend the program.

Call Alva Horn at Prairie Senior Living Complex at (785) 462-8295 or Jeanene Brown at Citizens Medical Center at 462-4850.

The Ol' Depot, a crafts and collectibles shop, is sponsoring the "Down-by-the-Station Celebration" at 9 a.m. Central Time Saturday, Sept. 28, at the depot on Lake Road in Atwood.

Kiddy barrel rides around the lake, adult and kid team tractor pull changes, outdoor concessions, carnival games and a flea market are planned.

To reserve a vendor space, call (785) 626-3568 after 6 p.m. or (785) 322-5533 before 6 p.m. Spaces must be reserved by Monday.

The "America's Band," the United States Air Force Concert Band and the Singing Sergeants will perform at 7:30 p.m. Central Time Tuesday, Oct. 8, at the Colby Community Building. Free tickets are available from Pat Ziegelmeier, Western Plains Arts Association Director, Colby Community College, 1255 S. Range, Colby, Kan. 67701.

school activities

Monday: Golf 8 a.m. at TMP, depart 5 a.m. JV football 5 p.m. at Holcomb, dismiss at lunch time, depart 12:30 p.m. Tuesday: Gold day. Seminar — DECA. Cross country 3 p.m. at Oakley, dismiss at lunch time, depart at 12:45 p.m. Goodland tennis invitational 2 p.m., dismiss at 1 p.m. Department head meeting 7 a.m. JV-V volleyball quad 3 p.m. at Lakin, dismiss at 11 a.m., depart 11:45. Wednesday: Black day. Senior class officers meeting 10:30 with Balfour. Sophomore class meeting 11 a.m. with Balfour. "See ya' at the Pole," 7-8 p.m. in the auditorium. Thursday: Gold day. Seminar — STUCO and GRACE. STUCO regional conference at Colby. JV tennis 2 p.m. at Hays, dismiss 11 a.m., depart 11:15. Friday: Black day. Varsity football vs. St. Francis 6:30 p.m. here. Volleyball depart for Overland 5 p.m. Saturday: 9th grade volleyball tournament 8 a.m. at Oberlin, depart 5:15. Varsity volleyball 8 a.m. at Overland.

school lunch menu

Monday: Pigs in a blanket, french fries, fruit cup and milk. Tuesday: Roast beef gravy, mashed potatoes, California blend vegetables, hot roll, fruit crisp and milk. Wednesday: Tator rot casserole, green beans, strawberry and banana cup and milk. Thursday: Hoagie sandwich, lettuce, pickle, onion, tomato, pork and beans, fruit and milk. Friday: Enchilada, Spanish rice, lettuce and tomato salad, brownie and milk.

senior center menu

Tuesday: Beef tips and noodles, green bean casserole, mandarin oranges, bread and blueberry dessert squares. Wednesday: Pork roast, roast potatoes, steamed cabbage, carrots and onions, bread and peaches. Thursday: Taco salad, tropical fruit salad, chips and birthday cake. Friday: Hamburger, potato salad, tomato and onion, bun and plums.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Specialists for Tuesday: none. Volunteer schedule: Tuesday: Bonnie Daily, a.m., and Beulah McClung, p.m. Wednesday: Chet Ross, p.m. Thursday: Betty Saint, a.m., and Velma Holste, p.m. Friday: Fern Hawks, a.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. Technical college 8:30-10 a.m. Wednesday: WIC in Sharon Springs. Scheduled appointments and voucher pickup. Thursday: WIC in Goodland. Scheduled appointments. Blood pressures at Sparks and Handy Towers 9-10:30 a.m. Friday: Scheduled appointments.

Children's physicals, immunizations, family planning and toenail clipping available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free of charge. 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

Sept. 16, 1902: Schell gets full sentence for fourth degree manslaughter, two years in the penitentiary. He will appeal to the Supreme Court.

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

birthdays

Clara Marie Fixsen is celebrating her 80th birthday Wednesday, Oct. 2. Her daughter, Lucille Bose, and son, Lewis Fixsen, are hosting a card shower. Send cards to Box 694, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

The Rev. Harold J. Steinbach, former pastor of the Goodland United Methodist Church from 1965-1973, will be celebrating his 80th birthday Oct. 8. His children will be hosting an open house in his honor from 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 6, at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 7901 W. 21st St. N., Wichita KS 67205. Do not bring gifts, but cards and messages of memories would be appreciated.

If you are unable to attend, you may send birthday greetings to him at 9020 Thurman, Wichita, KS, 67212 or call 316-721-6645.

blue star flag

The Goodland Elks Lodge is starting the Blue Star Flag Program to honor those serving in the armed forces now in the war against terrorism. Area families are invited to send information about sons, daughters or spouses currently on active duty in the armed forces.

Mail information to Zona Price, Secretary, Goodland Elks #1528; Box 146; Goodland, Kan. 67735. Include the name of the active serviceman/woman, branch of service, rank, current base or ship and the relationship to family here.

After this information has been obtained, blue star flags/banners will be ordered to be presented to the family and a public function will be planned for the presentation.

This program was used during World War II as a way to honor the men and women serving at that time.

reunion

The Jefferson County Historical Society will host a Rock Island Railroad employees' reunion at 11:30 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, at the historic Rock Island Depot in Fairbury, Neb.

Restoration of the depot was recently completed, and it is now a railroad museum which is open for tours from 1-5 p.m.

A steak dinner will be served for the reunion for a charge. Call 402-729-5131 for reservations.

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. Donations may be made in memory of a loved one.

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.

Bishop to visit Episcopal church

The Right Reverend James M. Adams Jr., the fourth bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western Kansas, will make his inaugural visit to St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 13th and Center, on Sunday.



Adams Jr.

Bishop Adams has served parishes in New Mexico, Wisconsin and El Dorado, Kan. His last position before being elected bishop in Western Kansas was rector of Trinity Episcopal Church in Wauwatosa, Wis.

Adams is a graduate of the University of Texas at El Paso and the General Theological Seminary in New York City. He and his wife Stacey have one daughter, Bethany. The family lives in Salina.

The bishop will be the celebrant at the Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday. A reception will follow the service, and the public is invited to meet with Bishop Adams.

Engineering majors join honors program

Two area students are among the 140 freshman engineering majors invited to participate in the engineering honors program at Kansas State University.



Chipperfield

Jace Chipperfield of Goodland, a biological and agricultural engineering major, and Aaron Tygart

of St. Francis, an electrical engineering major, will be part of the honors program.

Students selected for the program earned a composite score of 29 or higher on the ACT or were in the top five percent of their high school graduating class.

To remain in the program, they must maintain a 3.5 grade point average and are required to complete engineering honors classes and perform a minimum of two credit hours of self-directed honor research.

Former Goodland resident named director of security

Larry Todd, a former Goodland resident, has been named the Director of Security, Safety and Law Enforcement Office for the Bureau of Reclamation.

He will oversee the bureau's offices of security, law enforcement, dam safety and safety and health services. The new office was formed as a result of the greater emphasis placed on security and safety following the events

of Sept. 11, 2001. The position will take Todd to Denver. He most recently served as the bureau's director of operations and will now report directly to the bureau's commissioner.

The bureau is a water management agency and is a large wholesale water supplier in the United States with operations and facilities in 17 western states.

Hansen Foundation puts on fair; groups perform rock and pop hits

Two groups will perform top 40 hits, alternative rock and 60s pop at an arts and crafts fair Saturday, Sept. 21, at the Hansen Plaza block on Main St. in Logan.

Chuck Withers on keyboard and vocals; Billy Fulcher on drums; Billy Soto on lead guitar; and Bo on bass guitar.

The Hansen Arts and Crafts Fair is sponsored by the Dane G. Hansen Foundation which distributes scholarships to students in northwest Kansas.

The groups will take turns on their respective stages throughout the event from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Central Time.

Jacked Up Jane, an all male band, will take the north stage at 10 a.m. Central Time and entertain the crowd with today's hits and alternative rock. The band consists of Bob Sander of Hays on the drums, Chris Brumgard of Russell and Jeff Hansen of Dorrance on guitar, Andy Soukop of Dorrance on bass and Lead Singer Kelly Ginther of Russell.

Food vendors and nearly 100 crafters will line the walkways, and Delores Knowles of Kirwin will be out in her clown suit.

Synergy will take the south stage and play 60s pop and current hits. The Wichita-based group consists of Miranda McKellips on lead vocals and percussion; Danelle Phillips on lead and backup vocals, keyboard and gui-

There will be face painting, free helium-filled balloons, egg races and three-legged races for the kids and a "Reptile Discovery" show from 1-4 p.m. in the Kids Tent.

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Inside the Dane G. Hansen Museum, there will be a display of woodworking by Susan Dinges of Schoenchen. Her work is Japanese art in wood block prints and sculptures called, "Of Samurai and Chrysanthemums."

Manuel Gomez, 37, Goodland, was arrested on Saturday, Sept. 7, at Old U.S. 24 and County Road 11 for not having a driver's license, no proof of

Bob Sander of Hays will have his private collection of sports memorabilia on display in the museum as well.

matters of record

The Sherman County Sheriff's Department has made two arrests and worked one accident since the start of September. At 3 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 5, Robert Handle, 52, Kanorado, was reportedly driving south on County Road 17 about eight miles south of Goodland when the trailer he was hauling started fishtailing. Handle lost control of his 1988 Chevrolet S-10 and the trailer rolled onto its top.

insurance and a license not assigned to the vehicle. He was reportedly driving a 1989 Buick, which was towed away.

Glenda Sandoval, 27, Clifton, Colo., was arrested in Goodland on Thursday for battery, domestic battery, a third or subsequent offense within five years, aggravated assault and criminal damage.

Haskell Indian Nations University displays reminders of history

LAWRENCE (AP)—Reminders of Haskell Indian Nations University's origins as a boarding school to educate and assimilate tribal children greeted visitors at the formal opening of its new Museum and Cultural Center.

The \$1.1 million center is one of about 30 such facilities being built at tribal colleges across the United States. The campaign is a project of the American Indian Higher Education Consortium.

The center, which celebrated its formal opening Saturday, will serve as a showcase for Haskell's 118-year history. The inaugural exhibit, "Honoring Our Children Through Seasons of Sacrifice, Survival, Change and Celebration," showed the harsh conditions the young boarders experienced.

The school opened in 1884 as the U.S. Indian Industrial Training School with the goal of stripping American Indian students of their tribal identities and preparing them for off-reservation jobs.

years into a high school, a trade school, a junior college and, in 1993, a four-year college. Casey Douma, student body president, praised the exhibit. She said it's important for people to understand the historical role that Haskell and other schools like it filled.

"When people of Lawrence want to know about Haskell, they have to learn its past," he said. "It was a place of assimilation."

The collection includes a hefty padlock used to confine children who ran away or accidentally slipped back into their native tongues. And most visitors listened to a recording of the names and ages of those first students.

A display of letters children sent back to their families touched Barb Cornelius. She remembered writing similar letters to her parents when she was a kindergartner at a boarding school in New Mexico.

"It's one of those experiences that my sister and I always talk about," said Cornelius, now a student and staff member at Haskell. "

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