calendar

Lion's World Sight Day was Oct. 10, and the Goodland Lions Club is having an **eyeglass drive** for the month of October in honor of that day. Drop off old eyeglasses or lenses at Bankwest of Kansas, First National Bank, Western State Bank, Dr. R.K. Driver, Dr. David F. Schnee or The Goodland Dailv News.

The Goodland After-5 Club, affiliated with Christian Business and Professional Women invites all ladies to their "Silent Auction" dinner party **from 6:30-8:30 p.m. tonight** at the Butterfly Cafe at Renner Field. John Hansen, Stone Croft missionary, will be the special speaker. There is a charge for dinner. Call Barb at 899-5580 or Lori at 899-3828 for reservations.

Goodland High School has added two "C" team football games to the 2002 schedule. Although the "C" season had been canceled, the team will play at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday at Burlington and at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 24, at Hays High School.

"When Good People Do Bad Things at Work," is the program to be held from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Friday at the Goodland Regional Medical Center. It is approved for four hours of continuing education credit and is designed for nurse practitioners, registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, social workers and Allied Health Professionals. Call 785-628-6128 to register.

Car Care Day will be from 8-10 a.m. Saturday at the Corner Garage, 624 Hwy. 24. Single moms, divorced women, widows and the needy can have the oil changed in their cars, radiator fluid and tire pressure checked. the car vacuumed and with windows cleaned. Call Steve Rains at the Calvary Gospel Church, 899-3605, to put your name on the list.

Flu Shot Clinic will be from 9-11 a.m. next Monday at Sparks and Handy Towers for those 65 and over and their spouses.

Moonlight Madness Health Check will be from 5-8 p.m. next Monday at the Schneider's Building on 11th and Main. The health check is sponsored by Goodland Regional Medical Center, Rural Health Ventures, the Sherman County Health Department and Sherman County

Emergency Medical Services. The **Ladies Auxiliary** to the Veterans of Foreign Wars October meeting will begin with a **potluck at 6 p.m.**, Thursday, Oct. 24. Connie Miller, the 9th District president, will do the offi-

cial inspection at the 7 p.m. meeting. **SHARE sign up** for the November distribution of food will be until **Fri**day, Nov. 8, at the Sherman County sitting provided.

At this time of year, many of us are

wondering what to do with our lawns

after a summer like this past one. While

over-seeding or establishing new turf

may be the answer for many, all of us

should plan to fertilize and cultivate

Fall is the time to aerate and fertil-

ize cool-season lawns. Cool-season

grasses come out of their summer dol-

drums and begin to grow more vigor-

ously as days shorten and temperatures

Cool-season grasses naturally

thicken up in the fall by forming new

shoots at the base of existing plants,

our cool season lawns.

Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. **Pick up** will be Saturday, Oct. 26, for the October

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 meals will be served. Sherman County, is on display from from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday at the show and for the fun day. Show 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. Linda Crawford's watercolors are on display until

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.

Club will meet Monday nights at Edwards Hall, 2431 Walnut. The first three lessons are free. Call 899-3323 or

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. 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

Hanging by a Thread will meet from 7-9 p.m. the second Thursday **of the month** at Wheat Ridge Acres.

Goodland Women of Faith monthly celebrations will be from 9:30-11 a.m. the second Saturday of the toys, textiles, furniture, clothing, month at Wheat Ridge Acres. Baby- stamps, clocks, lamps, coins and jew-

area events

The third annual Mary T. Adams Education Conference will be Friday at the Hays Holiday Inn. The conference is for professionals working for the visually impaired and has been approved for 4-7 hours of continuing education which varies by profession. Call the Kansas Association for the Blind and the Visually Impaired at 800-799-1499 or Dr. Kendall Krug at 785-625-3937 to register.

Tripple Creek Riders will host a Horse Show/Fun Day beginning at 9 a.m. Central Time Saturday at the Mick Glaze arena, just southeast of **Oberlin.** Registration will at 8 a.m. No

There will be four age groups with **9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday and** High Point Prizes in each age group for events will include: Western Pleasure, Horsemanship; Bareback Horsemanship; Reining; English Equitation and English Flats.

> Fun Day events planned are: phone book race; potato race; flag race, key hole race; costume race; pole bending, barrels, gunny sack race, relay race and rescue race. Call Amy at (785) 386-4264; Roma at 475-3212, or Kristin at

Singles in Agriculture Kansas The **Promenaders Square Dance** Chapter will host a singles weekend Saturday and Sunday in Dodge City. Registration begins at 11 a.m. Central Time Saturday in the Dodge House Lobby. There will be tours, entertainment and a dance. Call 316-688-5155.

> The third annual Northwest Kansas **Model Train Show and Swap Meet** will be from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Central Time Saturday, Oct. 26, and from noon-4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 27, at the **Colby** Community Building.

There will be vendors of railroad related items, and lunch will be available. There is an admission charge. Call Reed Hartford at 785-462-2625 or Ray Duffey at 785-462-2921.

Admission to the **Prairie Museum** of Art and History will be free from 1-5 p.m. Central Time Sundays at 1905 S. Franklin in Colby. The museum is also open from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Central Time Monday-Friday and 1-5

The Eller House displays furniture, clothing and objects representing farm life in the "Dirty Thirties;" the Cooper Barn, one of the largest barns in Kansas, houses an exhibit of machinery, tools and photographs telling over 100 years of agricultural and settlement history; and the Kuska Collection includes glass, ceramics, dolls, silver,

Fall lawn cultivation and fertilization can go a long way

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raking or core-aerating. Power-raking thatch decomposition, and improves

You might recall that thatch is a tween the fingers. Enough passes

ag notebook

below the grass fo-

a much better prac-

tice for most lawns.

By removing cores

of soil, core-aera-

tion relieves com-

paction, hastens

Ideally, the holes should penetrate earth but also dislodges weeds and

Core-aeration is

liage.

water, nutrient, and oxygen movement

This operation should be performed

when the soil is just moist enough that

it crumbles easily when worked be-

should be made so that the holes are

spaced about two to three inches apart.

at a foundation workshop Tuesday-Thursday, Nov. 12-14, in the conference room at the Thomas County Office Complex, 350 S. Range, Colby. The workshop is to help groups start their own foundation to seek grant money. Call the Western Prairie RC&D at 785-462-2602.

school activities

Tuesday: Gold day. Seminar -FCCLA. Volleyball quad 3:30 p.m. here, dismiss 2:30. PSAT Test 8 a.m. for Juniors. Faculty meeting 7 a.m. "C" team football 4:30 p.m. at Burlington, dismiss 2:45, depart 3. Wednesday: Black day. FCCLA Fall Leadership Academy. Technical college 7:50 a.m.-12 p.m. Wrestling and basketball rules meeting 6:30 p.m. at Oakley. Senior class meeting 11 a.m. with Balfour. City/county recreation 7:30 p.m. Max Jones Fieldhouse and junior high gym. **Thursday:** Gold day. Seminar GAA and G-Club. Freshman volleyball quad 3 p.m. at Colby, depart 1:10. Electro Car Rally at Hays. **Friday:** Black day. State girl's tennis. Varsity football 6:30 p.m. at Ulysses, dismiss 1:15, depart 1:30. Cheerleaders to Ulysses, dismiss 2:30, depart 3. Saturday: NWKL cross country 9 a.m. at Colby, depart 7. NWKL volleyball 9 a.m. at Hoxie, depart 6:45. State girl's

school lunch menu

Tuesday: Spaghetti, seasoned corn, garlic bread, grapes and milk. Wednesday: Cooks' choice. Thursday: Breaded chicken sandwich, lettuce, pickle, onion and tomato, potato salad, strawberry/banana cup and milk. Friday: Roast beef gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, kolache and milk.

senior center menu

Tuesday: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, carrots, bread and banana half. Wednesday: Ham and beans, coleslaw, cornbread and pineapple tidbits. Thursday: Smothered steak, winter mix vegetables, applesauce or berry applesauce, bread and cake with frosting. Friday: Porcupine meat balls, au gratin potatoes, pea salad, bread and fluffy fruit dessert.

health department

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

Tuesday: Technical college 9-10 a.m. Wednesday: WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. Thursday: WIC in Colby. Voucher pickup and

two to three inches deep. The cores can

be left on the lawn to decompose natu-

rally, a process that usually takes two

to three weeks, depending on the soil

Or, they can be broken up with a ver-

tical mower set just low enough to nick

the cores, and then dragged with a sec-

tion of chain-link fence or a steel door mat. The intermingling of soil and

thatch that results is beneficial to the

to lawns, the desire may be to com-

pletely renovate or start from scratch.

In such a case, aerating is no less im-

portant but is best achieved with a

rototiller, which not only loosens the

In cases of severe summer damage

Dr. Don Udell will be the instructor Handy Towers. Friday: Scheduled appointments.

Flu shots 9-11 a.m. at Sparks and Handy Towers Monday, Oct. 21. Flu shots for the general public will be offered after Tuesday, Oct. 15. Cholesterol screening will be Thursday and Friday, Oct. 24 and 25. Call for an appointment.

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

Oct. 13, 1902: Due to the flagman's neglect, Engine and Tank #52 were derailed 7 1/2 miles east of Goodland, where new rails are being laid. Jacks were used to unblock and #52 went on

Oct. 14, 1902: A 30X40 barn six miles west of Goodland burned to the ground. Guy Johnson, asleep in the loft, narrowly escaped. All other contents were lost.

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

patient news

Shay Miller, 7, the son of Sean and Sandi Miller of Goodland, was hit by a car while riding his bike Tuesday. He has gone through surgery, and cards may be sent to him in care of Swedish Medical Center, 501 E. Hampden Ave., Engelwood, Colo. 80110.

food drive

Harvest America Corporation, 212 E. 17th, needs non-perishable food, personal hygiene items and household supplies to distribute to low income, elderly and disabled people in Sherman County. Harvest America is also looking for a freezer. Bring donations to the office on Mondays or call 899-3878 for pick up.

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, scheduled appointments. Blood pres- Goodland, Kan. 67735. Donations sures 9-10:30 a.m. at Sparks and may be made in memory of a loved one.

other dead or dormant plant material.

moisten the soil. Hard, summer-baked

tilled, the ground should be raked to get

rid of clumpy plant debris, rolled to

smooth the surface and then fertilized

pound of actual nitrogen per 1,000

ideal since the fertilizer can more eas-

ily work down into the soil.

Fertilization following aerating is

It works well to get most or all of the

nitrogen from a quick-release source at this time. Most fertilizers sold in gar-

den centers and department stores con-

tain either quick-release nitrogen or a mixture of quick- and slow-release. However, even these "mixed" prod-

ucts are most often predominantly

quick-release. In any case, they can be used effectively for your fall applica-

and seeded.

square feet.

If you decide to till, be sure to

Taxpayers must file by Oct. 15

Although most taxpayers have long since filed their 2001 federal income tax returns, the Internal Revenue Service said more than a million people still face a filing deadline Tuesday. Taxpayers who filed a timely tax re-

turn are approaching the deadline for reversing a 2001 conversion of a traditional IRA to a Roth IRA. This might be desirable because of a decline in the IR A's value To make the change, a taxpayer must

arrange with the IRA trustee to com-

plete the reversing by Tuesday. An amended tax return may get the taxpayer a refund on the resulting lower income. Taxpayers who received an additional extension in August have the Oct. 15 deadline for filing to avoid the

erally five percent per month of unpaid The IRS received more than 1.5 million returns between Oct. 12 and 26 last year and expects the same number this

late filing penalty. The penalty is gen-

Taxpayers may file returns electronically through Oct. 15 using tax software on their own computers or through an authorized provider.

matters of record

Accidents

Accidents reported by the Goodland police department: Sept. 28 — An unknown vehicle

struck a parked 1994 Mercury owned by Karen Dashner at 2218 Commerce Rd. and left the scene. Victor P. Dankenbring was backing a 1996 Nissan pickup out of a parking

stall at Wal-Mart and collided with a 1992 Oldsmobile driven by Henrietta Herl, who was westbound through the Wesley L. Phillips was southbound

in a 1990 Pontiac and struck a 1988 Pontiac driven by Lisa M. Bennetts, who was stopped in traffic at 1950 Main. Bennetts and her passenger were An unknown vehicle hit a parked

1980 Pontiac owned by Jordan Zweygardt in the Pizza Hut parking lot and fled the scene. Oct. 2—An unknown vehicle came

around the corner and hit the front of a 1991 Chevy pickup owned by James D. Hickert that was parked in the 200 block of East 13th.

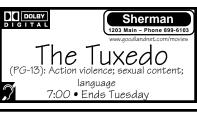
Oct. 4 — Heath T. Chatfield was eastbound in the 600 block of East 12th in a 1992 GMC pickup when he hit the passenger side of a parked 1989 Mazda pickup owned by Christopher R. Baumfalk

Christopher Baumfalk backed down earth can stubbornly resist tilling. Once an alley in a 1989 Mazda pickup, did a burnout and slid to the right, striking a gas meter in the 600 block of East 12th. then left the scene.

Oct. 5 — Ashley R. Cook was back-To best fertilize in the fall, apply one ing out of a driveway in the 800 block of Arcade in a 1992 Chevy pickup when she struck the front driver's side of a parked 1984 Chevy pickup owned by Maurice Johnson.

Internet tonight!

899-2338



and for bluegrass, spreading by underground stems called rhizomes. Aerating usually is done by power-

club news

moderate, especially at night.

The Goodland Federated Music Club met at the Carnegie Arts Center Monday, Oct. 7, for an evening of

'Music with Friends.' President Nancy Shores called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. with all the members present: Birkley Barnes, Martha Gunderson, Carol Jolly, Linda Koons, Jan Malpert, Marlyn Mangus, Sammie Mills, Joanna Norris Grimshaw, Sharon Palmquist, Pat Schiefen, Nancy Shores and Isabelle

Following the business meeting, Shores welcomed guests: guest per-

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TONIGHT AT THE MOVIES

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ENJOY ■

former Andy Salvadore from Burlington; two former members, Rita Ihrig and Linda Lucas; and Leah Chopin, "Etude in E Major, Opus 10 Shores and Andrew Shores. Barnes no. 3." Barnes, clarinet, and Salvadore, reviewed the program for the year and introduced the program for the eve-

is primarily a thatch-control operation.

It can damage turf if not done carefully.

For mostly fescue lawns or lawns

with an inch of thatch or less, power-

springy layer of light-brown organic

matter that looks something like peat

moss and is located above the soil but

raking isn't usually recommended.

Mitchell Parish and music by Leroy ano.

into the soil.

Mills played a piano solo by Frederic piano, performed "Melodie, Opus 68, Scherzetto," by Arthur Coquard.

Jolly, soprano, as she sang, "Gianni Schicchi, O Mio Babbino Caro (Oh My Beloved Daddy)" by Giacomo Puc-

Hellerud, trumpet, performed "Sonata no. 8" by Arcangelo Corelli. She was accompanied by Salvadore on pi-

The program concluded with the Goodland Recorder Ensemble: Mangus, soprano; Barnes, alto; Gunderson, tenor; and Schiefen, bass. They played three pieces: "L'arboscello ballo furlano," anonymous; "Sinfonia," Salomone Roffi; and "Tripla," anony-

The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served by the hostesses: Palmquist, Grimshaw, Gun-

The club will meet Sunday, Nov. 17, to get together the high school musical, "The Pirates of Penzance."

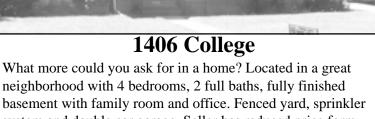
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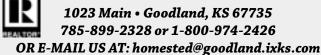
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Mangus read a poem by Emily Dickinson, "The Soul Selects." Malpert and Palmquist, sopranos, and Koons, piano, performed two songs: "I Could Have Danced all Night," words by Alan Lerner and music by Frederick Lowe; and "Blue Tango," words by

Shores, piano, accompanied Carol

derson and Mangus.