

patient news

**Mary Tongish** is recovering from a lengthy illness and is now in rehab. Cards of encouragement would be appreciated. Cards may be sent to her at Aurora Spalding Rehab, 900 Potomac St., Bed 227 B, Aurora, Colo. 80011.

activities

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

**“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.** The Flatlander Photo Exhibit will be on display from Sunday, Sept. 14-Tuesday, Sept. 30.

The **Goodland Public Library** will have **story time** for 4 and 5-year-olds from **10-10:45 a.m. Wednesdays** and from **11-11:45 a.m. Thursdays.** Story time for 3-year-olds will be from **10-10:45 a.m. Thursdays.** **Born to Read** for children birth to age 3 will be at **10 a.m. Fridays.**

**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 - 7:30 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 890-7242.

**TOPS Meetings - Take Off Pounds Sensibly** meets at **5:30 p.m. Mondays** at the Good Samaritan Center. Enter the east door on Center Ave. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m.

**Big Brothers/Big Sisters** of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 899-3665.

**Alcoholics Anonymous S.O.S. Group** meets at **noon Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p.m. Wednesday and at 7 p.m. Friday** at the First Christian Church, Eighth and Arcade. The group also meets at **7 p.m. Monday** in the cafeteria in the basement at the Kit Carson County Hospital in Burlington. Call Pamela at 719-346-7711, Laura at 785-890-5417 or Dave at 890-2858.

**Alcoholics Anonymous** meets at **8 p.m. Monday-Thursday and Saturday** at 1013 Center. Saturday

the calendar

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School district employees will have a **benefit pancake feed 6 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday** at the high school cafeteria to establish an emergency medical benefit fund for district personnel. Pancakes, sausage, coffee and juice will be served.

Little City Theater, an all-children’s theater, will present **“The Ransom of Red Chief” at 7 p.m. Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday** in the high school auditorium. Free admission.

**SHARE sign up** for the October distribution of food will be until **Monday, October 14,** at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. **Pick up** will be **Saturday** for the September distribution.

**Flu shots** will be given on a walk-in basis at the Sherman County Health Department from **9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, Sept. 29-Oct. 3.**

**Sherman County Economic Development** meeting will be at **5:15 p.m. Monday** at Western State Bank.

The Goodland American Legion Post will host a **meeting about Veterans Administration benefits at 9:40 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 30,** at the Veterans of Foreign Wars dining room. Those attending can ask questions.

American Association of Retired Persons **driver safety class** will be from **1-5 p.m. Wednesday**

**and Thursday, Oct. 1 and 2,** at 2431 Walnut and from **1-5 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 15 and 16,** at the Goodland Senior Center. Class size is limited. Call 890-6638 to register.

**Kanorado Octoberfest** will be **Friday and Saturday, Oct. 3 and 4.**

The Missions Committee of the First United Methodist Church is **accepting donations for the Northwest Kansas Family Shelter** through **Tuesday, Oct. 7.**

**City/County Recreation** is taking **co-ed volleyball team registration through Wednesday, Oct. 8.** Registration forms and league rules can be picked up at the city office, 204 W. 11th, or call 899-4525. There is a charge per team.

school activities

**Friday:** Gold day. AFS Walk 11 a.m. Varsity Football 6:30 p.m. here versus Atwood. Flag football exhibition at half time. **Saturday:** Volleyball 9 a.m. at Colby. Punt, pass, kick 9 a.m. at Cowboy Stadium. Tennis 7 a.m. at Garden City, depart 4:20 a.m. School district benefit breakfast in the cafeteria. Cross country 9 a.m. at Stanton County, depart 6:45 a.m. Little City Productions in the auditorium 7 p.m. **Sunday:** Little City Productions in the auditorium 2 p.m. **Monday:** Homecoming week. JV football 4:30 p.m. at Atwood, dismiss 1:36, depart 2 p.m. Student of the week — technology. **Tuesday:** Gold day.

Seminar — STUCO. Volleyball quad 3:30 p.m. here, senior parent night. Cross country 4 p.m. at Oberlin, dismiss 1 p.m., depart 1:15. Tennis 2 p.m. at Colby, dismiss 11:50, depart 12:30. **Wednesday:** Black day. Seminar — Peer counselors meet with freshmen in the auditorium. **Thursday:** Gold day. Seminar — AFS. STUCO decorate for homecoming dance 7-10 p.m. in the high school gym. NEAG 6 a.m. in the ITV room. Homecoming parade, pep rally and bonfire. **Friday, Oct. 3:** Black day. Varsity football 6:30 p.m. here versus Oakley. Homecoming dance 9 p.m.-midnight in the high school gym. **Saturday, Oct. 4:** JV-V Volleyball 8 a.m. at Oakley, depart 6 a.m. JV tennis 8 a.m. at Colby, depart 6:45 a.m. Golf 8:30 a.m. at Lakin, depart 5:30.

school menu

**Monday:** Cooks’ choice. **Tuesday:** Rib-a-cue sandwich, cheesy hash browns, broccoli, fruited Jell-o and milk. **Wednesday:** Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, peas, dinner roll, frosted apple and milk. **Thursday:** Tacos, shredded cheese, lettuce and tomato, potato square, 1/2 orange and milk. **Friday:** Cooks’ choice.

senior center menu

**Monday:** Baked chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, cook’s choice fruit, bread and bread pudding with raisins. **Tuesday:** Ham and beans, coleslaw with carrots, cornbread and strawberries in gelatin.

accepted, otherwise shots are \$15. **Wednesday:** Blood pressures 9 a.m. at Wheat Ridge Acres.

Infants’ and children’s immunizations, physicals, fasting blood sugar, cholesterol and hemoglobin, family planning and toenail clipping available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free of charge. Call 899-4888.

hospital volunteers

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

colby college

Colby Community College will offer fall semester classes over the Northwest Kansas Interactive Television Network to several Kansas cities, including Goodland. For enrollment, call Sue Long at 785-462-4692.

Anger/Stress will begin at **4:30 p.m. Mountain Time Friday, Oct. 17,** at the Northwest Kansas Technical College.

thrift shop

Due to the many donations already received, the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop will not accept donations until further notice. If any club or civic organization needs a short program of volunteering, call the thrift shop at 899-2007.

The thrift shop’s Kids Christmas Shop needs doll clothes and are accepting donations of doll clothes of all sizes and is looking for someone to make doll clothes from fabric and trim the shop has. Call 899-2007.

food drive

Harvest America Corp., 109 W. 11th, needs non-perishable food, personal hygiene items and household supplies to distribute to low income.

obituaries

Aura Isernhagen

Aura Belle Isernhagen, 88, a Goodland homemaker and clerk, died Monday, Sept. 22, 2003, at Mountain Vista Care Center in Wheat Ridge, Colo.



Isernhagen

She was born Feb. 10, 1915, at Goodland, the daughter of Bessie (Sexson) and Leonard

Jones. She graduated from Goodland High School in 1933.

On Jan. 15, 1939, she and Louis G. Isernhagen were married in Goodland. She was a homemaker and a clerk for the J. C. Penney store.

Her memberships included Emmanuel Lutheran Church and their choir and Rebecca Circle; Order of Eastern Star; Goodland Regional Medical Center auxiliary; and several social clubs.

Preceding her in death were her husband; one daughter, Janice L. Isernhagen; a son, Richard L. Isernhagen; her parents; two brothers, Shelby Jones and Max Jones; and one sister, Marge Dawson.

Survivors includes a son, Dennis (Susan) Isernhagen of Duluth, Minn.; a daughter, Jone (Chris) Smith of Arvada, Colorado; a brother, Dr. Ben (Marge) Jones of Burlington; and two sisters Lenore Bible of Wheat Ridge, Colo.; Relda Lou (Paul) Dutton of Wheat Ridge, Colo.; seven grandchildren; four great grandchildren.

Services were at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 25, 2003, at the church with Pastor Scott Grimshaw officiating. Burial was in the Goodland Cemetery.

Memorials may be designated to the Emmanuel Lutheran Church in care of Koons Funeral Home, 211 North Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

David Darnaur

David William Darnaur, 53, a resident of Wheaton, Ill., died Tuesday, Sept. 23, 2003, at the Central Du Page Hospital.

He was born on Nov. 26, 1949 in Goodland to Fred and Esther Darnaur.

He worked for Campus Crusade for Christ 1971-75, as a Kansas grain farmer 1975-1992, in John Deere sales at Goodland Greenline 1992-2001, for Open Door for Teens 2001-03 and was self-employed in home repair at the time of his death.

In Goodland, he was a member of the Gideons, the First Methodist

elderly and disabled people in Sherman County. HarvestAmerica is also looking for a freezer. Bring donations to the office on Mondays or call 899-3878 for pick up.

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.

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.

Church and choir, Sherman County Fair Board, Goodland Rotary, Kansas Livestock Association, Goodland Chamber of Commerce and the Kansas Crop Improvement Association.

In Wheaton, he was involved in the Sojourners Adult Community of the Wheaton Bible Church, Open Door for Teens and the Wheaton College Thunder Boosters Club.

Survivors include his wife Joan Elwell Darnaur; two daughters, Jennifer (Craig) Dodge and Julia Darnaur; a son, Jeff Darnaur and a future daughter-in-law, Kristi Stark; his father-in-law, Frank Elwell; two sisters, Ruth Ann (Ed) Oystol and Jeanette (Rob) Merritt; a brother-in-law, Jim (Ellen) Elwell; and a sister-in-law, Carol (David) Pearce.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his mother-in-law Connie Elwell.

Visitation will be held today from 4 to 8 p.m. at Wheaton Bible Church, Main and Franklin Streets in Wheaton, Ill.

Services will be held at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 27, 2003, at the Wheaton Bible Church with the Rev. James Draper officiating.

Interment will be at the Wheaton Cemetery.

Memorials may be sent to: David Darnaur memorial fund, Bank One, 120 East Wesley St., Wheaton Ill. 60187.

Shawn Harkness

Shawn D. Harkness, 35, former Goodland teacher, died Sunday, Sept. 21, 2003, at Cripple Creek, Colo., as a result of a car accident.

He was born July 23, 1968, at Merriam, Kan. the son of Ron and Sharon (Warner) Harkness. He lived in Colorado Springs the last six months and previously lived in Garden City, Goodland and Kingman. He was employed at the Gold Rush Casino in Cripple Creek.

He was a member of the Kingman United Methodist Church. He graduated from Kingman High School in 1986 and Bethany College in Lindsborg in 1992.

Survivors include a daughter, Emma of Holcomb; his parents of Florissant, Colo.; a step-son, Chris Hiatt of Holcomb; two step-daughters, Cyndi and Andrea Hiatt of Oklahoma City; and a sister, Rachelle Harkness of St. Louis.

Services will be at 4 p.m. today at the Livingston Funeral Home in Kingman. Burial will be at the Walnut Hill Cemetery at Kingman.

Memorials may be made to the Kingman Boy Scout Troop 740 in care of Livingston Funeral Home, 1830 N. Main, Kingman, Kan. 67068.

Anti-alcohol group planned convention today in history

By Evelyn Ward

*Sherman County Historical Society*  
**September 26, 1903:** The second annual convention of the Woman’s Christian Temperance Union will be held in Goodland October 1.

**September 27, 1903:** School Is Overcrowded — Pupils Under Six Years Excluded — Truancy Law to be Put Into Effect — An examination of the conditions of the Goodland schools in regard to the attendance brings out the fact that the lower rooms especially are overcrowded and it is believed that there are quite a number in the primary room that are under six years of age, and according to the school law of the state such pupils are not allowed to attend.

Concerning the overcrowded conditions of the school, Prof. Mallory says: “As our primary school is so full, it will be necessary to remove from school all of the children who are less than six years old except if a child is now in school

and will be six before Jan. 1, 1904, he may remain.”

The board of education also wishes to call attention to the fact that there is now a truancy law in force compelling attendance upon school of all children of school age.

It matters not whether absence from school is caused either by the scholar or his parent, he must attend school.

Parents should make sure that their children are in school, as the law provides a penalty for keeping a child out of school or allowing him to stay out. There is also a penalty for truancy or persistent tardiness.

**September 28, 1903:** Released After a Preliminary Trial for Cattle Stealing — The Berry Boys Go Free — Roy and Beach Berry, who were arrested recently on the charge of cattle stealing, were given their preliminary hearing, and for lack of evidence they were released from

custody.

The Berry boys were charged with the theft of 11 cattle from a ranch in Rawlins county, alleged to have taken place in November 1902. The Berrys were apprehended near Burlington, Colo., where they had pitched tents and were living with their families.

The Berrys are the survivors, three members of the family which were recently killed by the Dewey ranchers.

The discharge of the Berrys will have effect upon the Dewey murder trials; had the Berrys been convicted of cattle stealing they could not have testified at the Dewey trials. They were the only witnesses at

the killings.

**September 29, 1903:** Mennonite Church, Iowa Township, to Witness Lively Meeting — Many people who are interested in Sunday School work in this county will hold a Sunday School Convention at the Mennonite church, ten miles south and six miles east of Goodland.

Many questions will be brought up for general discussion concerning Sunday School work, and besides this there will be prepared talks and papers on Sunday school problems. All are welcome. There will be a basket dinner at noon.

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**Moving Sale September 27**  
**1511 Walnut**  
for Bob and Lone Todd

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