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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. Silk paintings by Diane Lawrence will be displayed through Friday, Oct. 31.

The Goodland Public Library will have story time for 4 and 5year-olds from 10-10:45 a.m. Wednesdays and from 11-11:45 a.m. Thursdays. Story time for 3year-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 is an open meeting with Al-Anon, families of alcoholics, meeting in the same room. Al-Anon also meets at 8 p.m. on Monday in a different room. For Alcoholics Anonymous, call Rob at 890-3023 or Linda at 399-2353. For Al-Anon, call Cheryl at 890-3023. Fibromvalgia and Chronic Myofascial Pain Support Group meets from **6:30-8:30 p.m. the** third Wednesday of every month in the Emergency Medical Services building, 257 15th St., in Bur-

the calendar

calendar

Aircraft Seal and Gasket is having a meeting at 1 p.m. Thurs**day** in the Northwest Kansas Technical College student union to announce that the company will be coming to Goodland and to introduce the company's new chief executive officer and the plant manager.

TNT Singles will have a costume Halloween party and soup supper at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at Edwards Hall. Call 899-2733.

A star party will begin two hours before dusk Friday and Saturday at 1620 Rd. 67, Goodland. Bring telescope and food for barbecue. Children welcome. Can camp out overnight. No fees but donations would be accepted for educational materials from the astronomical society. Call Ron Thompson at 899-2053.

The First Christian Church, Eighth and Arcade, is having its annual Harvest Sale craft and bake sale at 10 a.m. Saturday. A soup and pie lunch will be from 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

SHARE sign up for the No-

lington. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

area events

The fourth annual Northwest Kansas Model Train Show and Swap Meet will be from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Central Time Saturday and from noon-4 p.m. Central Time Sunday at the Colby Community Building. There is an admission charge. Lunch will be available. Call Ray Duffey at 785-462-2921.

American Red Cross adult, infant and child cardiopulmonary resuscitation class will be at 6 p.m. Central Time Monday, Nov. 3, at the Thomas County Red Cross, 350 S. Range, Colby. Call 785-462-161 to register.

The United States Air Force Heartland of America Band will perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 7, at the Colby Community Building. For free tickets, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Pat Ziegelmeier, Colby Community College, 1255 S. Range, Colby, Kan. 67701.

Admission to the **Prairie Mu**seum 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 p.m. Satur-

be until **Monday**, Nov. 10, at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be Saturday for the October distribution

The Goodland Senior Center, 208 W. 15th., is having an open house from 1:30-4 p.m. Sunday to celebrate the center's 20th anniversary.

A fall festival and turkey dinner will be held from 4-6:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 2, at the Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, 13th and Sherman.

school activities

Wednesday: Gold day. Senior class meeting 11 a.m. with Balfour. City/county recreation sports 7:30 p.m. in the Max Jones Fieldhouse and junior high gym.

Thursday: Black day. Seminar — AFS. ITBS makeup testing. City/county recreation sports 7:30 p.m. in the high school gym. Friday, Oct. 24: Gold day.

ITBS makeup testing. Varsity football vs. Colby 6:30 p.m. here,

8:30 a.m. for technical college students and employees. Thursday: WIC in Goodland. Scheduled appointments. Friday: Scheduled 8152 or 462-6101. appointments.

The next cholesterol clinic will be Friday, Nov. 21. Call 899-4888 for an appointment.

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.

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

hospital volunteers Wednesday: Carmelita Clark,

courtesy. Friday: Carol Jolly, a.m. ruleton alumni

Ruleton Alumni is needing information on classes from 1960-69 for a book. If the alumni dinner for Reunion 2006 is held, volunteers will volved in their children's educabe needed. Call Lois Sieck at 899-2733 or Arbutus Topliff at 899-

vember distribution of food will senior parent night. Last day of the first nine weeks.

Saturday, Oct. 25: ACT test 8 a.m. here. Regional cross country at Larned. Sub-state volleyball at Colby.

school menu

Monday: Cooks' choice. Tuesday: Cavatini, lettuce salad, shapeups, bread stick and milk. Wednesday: Bierocks, green beans, relish, strawberry shortcake and milk. Thursday: Cooks' choice. Friday: Nacho supreme, lettuce salad, corn, applesauce cake and milk.

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Monday: Hamburger gravy, carrots, mashed potatoes, bread and citrus slices. Tuesday: Chili, Jell-o with strawberries and bananas, crackers and cinnamon roll. Wednesday: Pork patty sandwich, hash brown casserole, pea salad, blueberry muffin and apricots. Thursday: Turkey slice, mashed potatoes and gravy, asparagus, bread and cinnamon apple slices. Friday: Taco salad, tropical fruit salad, chips and peach cobbler.

is for relatives and friends of alco-

The Early Intervention Networks

has a new name, Tiny-k Early Inter-

vention Services. The program pro-

motes development among infants

and toddlers with special needs. The

Northwest Kansas Educational Ser-

vice Center in Oakley provides

these services free of charge to chil-

Services include speech, devel-

opmental, vision and hearing

screenings to all children and physi-

cal/occupational therapy and devel-

opmental training to children who

qualify. Call 785-672-3125, ext.

Sherman County Head Start is a

free preschool for eligible three and

four year olds. The preschool is ac-

cepting applications for the 2003-

04 school year. The federally fund-

ed program is targeted to families

who meet certain economic guide-

lines and provides hearing, vision,

dental and educational screenings.

Nutritious meals are served, and

parents are encouraged to get in-

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dren in this area.

preschool

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service men and women from the area for its second Blue Star Flag Program.

The lodge plans to honor their families at a ceremony Sunday, Dec. 7. Send the name, branch of service, rank, current base or ship and relationship of the service person to family to be honored to Zona Price, Goodland Elks, Box 146, Goodland, Kan. 67735. Call Price at 899-6251.

care packages

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary is looking for the names and addresses of military personnel from this area who are in the service and are being deployed for possible military action. The auxiliary would like to send phone cards and care packages to these service personnel. Call Jo Ann Wahrman at 899-3277 or Floriene Whisnant at 899-2412 if you know the name and address of such a person or if interested in helping with the care packages.

food drive

Harvest America Corp., 109 W. 11th, 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

holics and is open to anyone 19 crimestoppers years old or under. Call 785-462-

During the late evening hours Wednesday, Sept. 3, or the early morning hours of Thursday, Sept. 4, someone damaged a statue of a lion in Chambers Park, 13th and Center. Also during this time, a statue of an eagle was taken from the park. Any information about these crimes would be appreciated.

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 Cemtery 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.

obituary

Ben Morton

Ben E. Morton, 93, Goodland, a retired railroad engineer, died Saturday, Oct. 18, 2003, at the Goodland Good Samaritan Center.

He was born March 15, 1910, in Ten Sleep, Wyo., the son of John O. and Florence L. (Skelton) Morton. The family moved to Long Island, Kan., in 1913, to Wheeler in 1916 and north of Goodland in 1918.

Morton attended school in Wheeler and Goodland and graduated from Sherman Community High School in 1931. He helped with the family farming.

In 1931, he married Maxine Heston, and the couple had three children. He started working for the railroad in 1942 and then divorced Maxine

On Dec. 9, 1960, he married Virginia (Kitchen) Richardson in Goodland. He was an engineer for the Rock Island Railroad for 30 years before retiring in 1975.

Morton was a member of the First Baptist Church and the Elks Lodge. He enjoyed watching football and spending time with his family.

Preceding him in death were his parents, four brothers, one sister and a granddaughter.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Richard Morton of Goodland and Jimmie Morton of Las Vegas; a daughter, Bonnie K. Caywood of Arvada, Colo.: and a step-son. Ronnie Joe Richardson of Goodland; a brother, Lowell Dean Morton of Goodland: two sisters. Ermvl Borgmann of Weslaco, Texas, and Goodland and Fern Foster of Centennial, Colo.; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 22, 2003, at the church with Pastor Bud Chester officiating. Burial will follow in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation is from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. today at Bateman Funeral Home and at the church before the serices.

Memorials may be made to the church or the Alzheimer's Association in care of the funeral home at Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Goodland grad gets scholarship

day. health department ^{2/33}₂₆₂₅

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

Wednesday: WIC in St. Francis. Scheduled appointments. Voucher pickup 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Flu clinic

alateen

A former Alateen member and an Al-Anon member have formed an Alateen support group that will meet from 6-7 p.m. on Mondays at 1275 W. Sixth in Colby. The group

tion Families interested in having their child in the program should call Julie Dautel or Carrie Starns at 899-2552 or go to Sherman County Head Start, 823 W. 11th.

blue star flag

The Goodland Elks Lodge is seeking information about active

Andrea Fenner, a 2003 Goodiand High School graduate, has been

awarded a \$500 scholarship from the Dena Fortmeyer Memorial Scholarship Fund.

Fenner is attending Fort Hays State University as a prepharmacy stu-

Fenner

dent. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Fenner of Goodland are her parents.

matters of record

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Sherman County

Jessica Ann Quintano, both of

Divorces Granted

The following divorces have been granted by the Sherman County District Court:

Dale W. May of St. Francis and Judy K. May of Goodland.

Classifieds work! 899-2338

ld round house needed to be rebuilt, enlarged

By Evelyn Ward

Sherman County Historical Society October 22, 1903: To Rebuild Old Round House — Present Structure Too Small for the Big Engines - More Stalls to Be Added -Clearing the ground for the erection of a new and larger round house has commenced.

The present structure contains 20 stalls, ten of which were built in 1888 and the others added a few years later.

It is the old round house that will be rebuilt, and ten more stalls will be added, making 30 stalls when

club news

reer and Education club opened its

Oct. 7 meeting with cherry Danish

The club met with Colleen Duell,

rolls and coffee.

today in history

completed.

The old structure is too small in tion. dimensions to accommodate the larger type of locomotive now used clearing the ground west of the on this division, and moreover, it round house and shaving off the sod does not contain a sufficient number of stalls for every day need.

On account of the meager proportions of the old building, three feet will be added. large gaps have been broken in the back wall recently in putting en- and the whole building recongines in the house, and none of these structed on a plan calculated to achave been repaired. The building is commodate the largest locomo-

otherwise in a dilapidated condi-

The yard section gang began and leveling the ground. Twenty feet will be taken off the old round house area on the southeast, and 35

The doorways will be enlarged

tives. The brick work will be started soon and rushed to completion before cold weather sets in.

The arc of the circle will also be extended. A larger and more sanitary round house has been needed here for a long time, and the men who have to work in it will be better protected from a surplus of smoke and water.

October 23, 1903: Pronounced Scarlet Fever — Three Cases Quarantined by City Health Officer Farrow — The physicians in attendance of a contagious disease among the children of the town have at last pronounced the affliction to be scariatina, commonly known as scarlet fever.

cases during the last month, but as light form, not much anxiety was felt by the parents of children.

But since the doctors have given it out to be genuine scarlet fever, that puts a new face upon the matter, and many children are being kept out of school until the disease has been stamped out.

Up until Wednesday, neither Goodland nor Sherman County has had a health officer for several months past, when Mayor Swarts appointed Dr. W.H. Farrow, city health officer.

Dr. Farrow immediately investigated the homes where the scarlet fever exists and quarantined the Sater, Snell and Jewell homes, where one or more of the children are down with the disease.

From weekly issues of The There have been a number of Goodland News, provided by the Sherman County Historical Sociweekly, some items were arbitrarily

The Lincoln Larks Family, Ca- Drive Alive signs, and Colleen told the club how to make relish. Club members also gave suggestions for District Day in 2004. It was

announced that the 4-H junior leadand the topics discussed were the 55 ers were selling cookie dough and



pizzas.

The club will meet Tuesday, Nov. 4, with Arbutus Topliff.

AT THE MOVIES

the disease manifested itself in a ety. Since the paper was published assigned a date.

Celebrating Hometown Life

See American Profile magazine in this week's issue of

The Goodland Star-News

> (available in local area only) Brought to you by The Star-News and "Neighbors helping neighbors"



202 E. 11th St. Goodland, Kan. 785-899-2000

District Court:

Milfred Vernon Dankenbring of Wheeler and Kathleen Anne Snyder of Bird City.

Luis Hulmburto Burciaga and Burlington.