

birthday

Dorothy Heiny will be celebrating her 93rd birthday Saturday, Nov. 22, 2003. A card shower has been requested for her. Send cards to her at Wheatridge Acres, 707 Wheatridge Circle, No. 110, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Minnie Belle Imhof-Jones will celebrate her 80th birthday Thursday, Nov. 27, 2003. Her children have requested a card shower for her. Send cards to 809 Centennial Dr., Goodland, Kan. 67735.

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 Holiday Home Tour, hosted by the Goodland Arts Council will be from 1 to 4 p.m. on **Sunday, Dec. 7.** Featured homes are Darwin and Nita McClung, Marty and Kathy Melia, Jack and Marilyn Eklund and Wheat Ridge Acres. Tickets are available at Carnegie Arts Center, Klip "N" Kurl, Total Look or from any board member. Refreshments and Open House at Carnegie Arts Center during the Tour.

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.** "Shades of Gray: Views of Nature and Technology," photography by Robert Lindholm paired with the writings of Charles Lindbergh, will be on display from Nov. 2-30.

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

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Thanksgiving Turkey Dinner Sunday from noon to 1:30 p.m. at Goodland Methodist Church Fellowship Hall at 12th and Sherman. Donations accepted. Carryout will be available.

A **food parade to Genesis** will be held at 10:20 a.m. **Sunday** by the Emmanuel Lutheran Church education classes.

There will be a **Thanksgiving service** at St. Paul's Episcopal Church at 10 a.m. Offerings are food for Genesis.

Sherman County Economic Development meeting will be **Tuesday** at 5:30 p.m. at Western State Bank.

The **Sherman Theatre** will be having **holiday matinees at 1:30 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays** "Big Fat Liar" will be shown this week; "The Wild Thornberrys" will be shown Nov. 29 and 30; "Spy Kids 3-D: Game Over" will be shown Dec. 6 and 7 — admission will be a toy, food or \$1 donation to Genesis; "Ice Age" will be shown Dec. 13 and 14; "How

The Grinch Stole Christmas will be shown Dec. 20 and 21. All the shows are rated PG.

Registration and team fees for the city/county recreation men's basketball league are due **Saturday**, at the Goodland Activities Center. The league will have games after 8 p.m. **Wednesday** and **Thursday** evenings Dec. 3-March 4 at the high school gym.

SHARE sign up for the December distribution of food will be until **Monday, Dec. 8**, at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. **Pickup** will be **Saturday** for the November distribution.

Registration and fees for the Goodland Activities Center boys wrestling program are due by **Sunday** at the center. Boys age four through sixth grade are eligible and will wrestle 5:30-6:30 Mondays Dec. 1-Dec. 22.

school activities

Today: "Gold Day".

Monday: Student of the week-

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 aero-

tics 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 North Elementary School. 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 Ar-

cade. 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.

Downing & Lahey East Chapel handled the arrangements. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.downingandlahey.com.

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Visitation will be from 7-9 p.m. tonight and Nelsen Funeral Home 3785 Strawberry Rd., Williamsburg, with a wake service at 8:30 p.m.

Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, Suite

154, 895 Middle Ground Blvd., Newport News, Va. 23606 or Hospice Support Care of Williamsburg, 4445 Powhatan Parkway, Williamsburg, Va. 23188.

Judy Sloan

Julia Belle Sloan, 75, Sharon Springs, a retired teacher, died Sunday, Nov. 16, 2003, at Greeley County Hospital in Tribune.

She was born Dec. 30, 1927, at Greensburg, the daughter of Emma (Bertram) and Harold McClung Beck. She graduated from Greensburg High School. In 1945, attended Emporia State Teachers' College and then worked for Farm Bureau and Dillon's.

In 1949, she continued her education at Wichita State University. Her teaching career began in Leon and continued in Mullinville.

On May 17, 1953, she married Royce C. Sloan at the First Methodist Church in Greensburg. They moved to Weskan to make their home and begin farming. She taught in the Weskan School District for 23 years and continued her education at Fort Hays State University.

Mrs. Sloan was a member of the Sharon Springs United Methodist

Church; the Order of the Eastern Star in Goodland, where she was a past matron; the Sagebrush Art Guild; and the American Association of University Women. She had been a leader for both the Cub Scouts and 4-H.

Preceding her in death were her husband on Dec. 13, 1991; her parents; a sister, Betty Wyssenbach; and a brother, Keith Beck.

Survivors include a daughter, Sue Lunsford of Salina; a son, Craig (Inga) Sloan of Sharon Springs; a sister, Joan Sondergard of Wichita; and six grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. today, Friday, Nov. 21, 2003, at the church with Dr. David Upp officiating. Rites by Order of the Eastern Star will follow. Burial will be in the Sharon Springs Cemetery.

Visitation was from 3-7 p.m. Thursday and from 9-11 a.m. this morning at Koons Funeral Home in Sharon Springs and at the church before the service.

Memorials may be made to the church or to Wallace County Emergency Medical Services in care of the funeral home in Sharon Springs, or may be mailed to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, 67735-1555.

Fibromyalgia 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 Burlington. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

Goodland Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) meets from 6:30-8 p.m. **on the first Monday of the month** at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 220 W. 13th.

area events

A **Pray for Rain meeting** will be held from 3-6 p.m. **Central Time Saturday**, at the 4-H building in Colby. Those who have drought in their area and are able to attend are asked to send a card or letter with their name, address and phone number and bring a scripture, comments and a prayer. Those who are not able to attend can send a card to represent their area. Mail to Pray for Rain, Box 275, Brewster, Kan. 67732. Call 785-694-2671.

La Leche League of Northwest Kansas announces the Fall series of informal evening and morning meetings on Breastfeeding Your Baby at the First Presbyterian Church nursery, 515 West 4th Street HWY 24, Colby, at 7:30 p.m. **Central Time on Thursday, and 10 a.m. on Saturday.** Why and How to Breastfeed will be at 7:30 p.m. **Central Time on Dec. 18**, and Nutrition and Weaning at 10 a.m. on **Dec. 20.** All interested mothers-to-be, mothers with nursing babies, and their partners/ support people are invited to attend one or both monthly meetings. Call 785-462-7188 or 785-675-3504 for breastfeeding information, to rent or buy a breast pump.

Get into the spirit of Christmas! join the Ellis County Historical Society Museum "Winter Wonderland" Christmas Open House is 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on **Friday, Dec. 5**

and **Saturday, Dec. 6** There will be free admission to the museum, live Christmas music, hayrack rides, door prizes, refreshments and more. We will be open after the Frost Fest parade on Sunday, Dec. 7.

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

Monday: Blood pressures 10-11:30 a.m. at the Kanorado Senior Center. **Tuesday:** WIC in Oberlin. Scheduled appointments. Voucher pickup 11 a.m.-1 p.m. **Wednesday:** Blood pressures 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the Goodland Senior Center. **Thursday and Friday:** Office closed for Thanksgiving.

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. 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

Monday: Helen Hughes, courtesy, and N. Finley, a.m. **Tuesday:** Anita Coleman, a.m., and Beulah McClung, p.m. **Wednesday:** Carmelita Clark, courtesy. **Friday:** Carol Jolly, a.m.

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.

obituaries

Bernice Holiman

Bernice Marzee Holiman, 78, a Goodland homemaker, died Tuesday, Nov. 18, 2003, at Goodland Regional Medical Center, where she had been a patient for three days.

She was born Oct. 4, 1925, in Stillwater, Okla., the daughter of John and Martha (Vanderpool) Worley. She grew up in Bunch, Okla., and attended schools in Cave Springs, Okla.

On June 2, 1951, she married Lester Holiman. They moved to Goodland in 1968 and more recently lived in Brewster and then at the Goodland Good Samaritan Center. She enjoyed cooking for her family.

Preceding her in death were her husband in 2000 and a grandson, Curtis Sporing, in 1996.

Survivors include a son, Don (Leona) Holiman of Brewster; four daughters, Elizabeth Ann (Darrel) Bowan of Goodland, Kathy (Ed) Holsman of Gem, Rhonda Cain of Scott City and Angel (Don) Dodds of Kensington; a sister, Ethel (Jim) Svacina of Sterling, Colo.; 13 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. today, Friday, Nov. 21, 2003, at Bateman Funeral Home. Burial will follow in the Brewster Cemetery.

Visitation was from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made in her

name in care of the funeral home at Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Earl Wood Jr.

Earl Dennison "Boogie" Wood Jr., 52, step-father of Leslie Barnes-Wiley and husband Curtis of Goodland, died Sunday, Nov. 16, 2003, at his home in Lindsborg.

He was born March 27, 1951, in Abilene, the son of the late Earl Dennison and Sarah Ellen (Dunkel) Wood. He attended Tescott High School and Colby Community College.

Mr. Wood had been maintenance supervisor at Villa Ro in Lindsborg for the last eight years, and before that had been a police officer in Salina and Oakley. He was a truck driver for Heavy Haulers in Salina, Swick Gooch in McPherson and Woolworth in Junction City. He was also a licensed journeyman electrician and plumber in the Salina and the McPherson area.

He was the director/ and developer of the Salvation Army Kansas Youth Football program. He enjoyed doing pen and ink drawing, woodworking, photography, gardening and canning.

Mr. Wood was a member of the First Southern Baptist Church in Salina.

Preceding him in death were a sister-in-law, Joan Wood; a brother-in-law, Steve Troyer; and a step-father, Floyd R. Gawith.

Other survivors include his wife, Jerri Lynne (Troyer) Wood; three sons, Jason (Patty) Wood of Tescott and Jeff Wood and Jeremy (Shannon) Wood, both of Salina; two step-sons, Tom (Cheri) Barnes and Curtis (Jill) Barnes, both of

Lindsborg; a brother, Lloyd Wood of La Quinta, Calif.; three sisters, Earlene (Kenny) Gawith of Salina, Darlene Coope of McPherson and Gina Troyer of Lindsborg; an honorary sister, Jena Troyer; father and mother-in-law, Robert (Barbara) Troyer of Lindsborg; a step-mother, Ruth Wood of Holton; and nine grandchildren.

Services will be at 10 a.m. today, Friday, Nov. 21, 2003, at the church with the Rev. Glenn Davis officiating. Burial will be at the Gypsum Hill Cemetery in Salina.

Visitation was from 5-8 p.m. Wednesday and from 9 a.m.-8 p.m. Thursday at Carlson-Ford-Geisendorf Funeral Home with the family present from 5-8 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the Wood Scholarship Fund in care of Lindsborg State Bank, 201 S. Main, Lindsborg, Kan. 67456. Condolences may be sent to www.carlson-ford.com.

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Memorials may be made to The First Tee, World Golf Village, 425 S. Legacy Trail, St. Augustine, Fla. 32092 or Hospice Care of Kansas, 2205 N. Main, North Newton, Kan. 67117.

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