



Material girls Holly Wilkening (far left) and Michaela Langley sang in the sixth-grade music program last Tuesday at the Goodland High School auditorium. Jacob Schnabel (above) showed that he could play two recorders at once. Photos by Liz West/The Goodland Star-News

## Sixth graders take a musical trip

Sixth graders from North Elementary took the audience on a musical trip through time last Tuesday night at the Goodland High School Auditorium.

The 1950s featured early rock 'n' roll. Speakers Stephanie Lee, Victoria Steggall, Chloe Goodwin, Kimber Linnell and Josh Whisnant gave bits of history from that era, while Gloria Bustillos, Trace Waugh, Shyenne Sharon, Paige Ford, Courtney Cowan and Steggall sang "Tutti Frutti." "Yakety Yak" featured Dustin Juleson, Shayley Miller, Carly McCracken, Mario Flores and Elizabeth Wellmen.

The '60s brought memories of the Beach Boys, Supremes and Beatles. Taylor Milke, Courtney Cowan, Whisnant and Stevan Williamson talked about it while "Beach Boys" Stetson Johnson, Jayme Davis, Alex Nelson, Marshall Slough and Spencer Smith sang "Surfin' U.S.A."

Idalia Martinez, Tania Hernandez and Brianna Salinas were the Supremes in "Where Did Our Love Go." Beatles Jed Gray, Gage Ownes, Jeffrey House and Brandon Sissel did "Yesterday."

Talking about the '70s were Jordan McCombs, Tanner Jones and

Goodwin. Songs from that time featured Sheldon Nelson, Cy Paxton, Aaron Twombly, Tiffany Charron, Whisnant, Tyler Raby, Drew Dautel, Linnell, Amy Floyd, Milke, Chantel Coates, McCombs, Brianna Lawrence, Ashlee Roeder, Michelle Jefferson and Nathaniel Smith.

Speakers for the '80s were Milke, Sabra Carver, Paxton and Wellman. Featured in "Material Girl" were Lacie Cowan, Lydia Oliver, Paige Phillips, Rachel Hageman, Goodwin, Michaela Langley, Brooke Lockhart, Victoria Hayes, Sadie Avila, Holly Wilkening and

Miller.

Featured in the other songs were Michael Mosher, Bustillos, Ray West, Cory Sampson, Elias Flores, Jones, Davis Rascon, Jazzmin Weis, Thern Bagley, Dylan McLemore, Tyrell Yarbrough and Ruben Lazaro.

Speakers for the '90s were Roeder, House, Whisnant, Waugh and Paxton. They sang "Rhythm Nation," "Make it Happen," "You Are Our Heroes" and "Choices."

Music teacher Char Avila directed with the help of teachers Jeremy Sampson, Pam Hardy, Jona Neufeld and Linda McKee.

## School district to demolish old flower shop

By Pat Schiefen

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The Goodland School Board agreed to tear down the Cobblestone Greenhouse buildings to give the high school more parking space, accepting the low bid from Mike Yarger of Goody's for \$27,000 to do the job.

"The property went down hill real fast," said board member Marty Melia.

Superintendent Shelly Angelos said they worried about part of the roof collapsing after the winter snows, and that is a safety concern.

Melia said he did not know it would cost almost as much to tear the buildings down as it cost to buy the property. The district paid \$30,000 for the business in January, 2006, and the buildings have not been used much since.

Angelos said they had checked and the amount was not out of line. The other bid was from Grasser Construction and Paving of Stratton, Colo., for \$34,917.

North Elementary School Principal Jim Mull told the board the fifth grade will go fossil hunting on Friday, May 4. The sixth grade vocal program was last Tuesday, he said.

He said that North had 90 to 95 percent of parents come to parent-teacher conferences. The fifth grade has finished its reading assessment test, he said.

Central Elementary Principal Sharon Gregory said they had 93.6

percent attendance at parent-teacher conferences.

"We are finishing up our assessments," she said, adding that the fourth grade will go to the circus on Friday.

West Elementary Principal Verna Milnes said the first grade would be having its music program on Tuesday at the Goodland High School auditorium.

"We had 95 percent participation in parent teacher conferences," she said.

She said the school is planning a "safari" as a reward for the students meeting their goal of collecting 10,000 Boxtops for Education, raising about \$1,000 for the school.

Milnes said she is concerned about the condition of the Topside Territory playground. There has been some vandalism and the kids bring in loose boards, she said.

Grant Junior High Principal Steve Raymer said they have finished the math assessments and he thinks the early scores look good.

He said they have made adjustments on study halls. If a student is on the down list, they have to go to academic study hall in the morning

and at noon.

High School Principal Harvey Swager said students there have finished their assessments, and enrollment for next year has started. They had a 54 percent attendance at the parent-teacher conferences, he said.

Wednesday at 7 p.m. there will be a town hall meeting on underage drinking at the high school auditorium sponsored by the Regional Prevention Center, Swager said. The junior senior prom is on Saturday.

Activities Director Don Smith said the volunteer help from the junior high for the 9-10 track meet was great. One shot put rink has been redone and is in great shape, he said.

Angelos said Goodland Crimestoppers has donated \$12,000 to the district to help secure the school buildings.

In other business, the board:

- Approved payment of bills for \$128,548.
- Rehired all the certified teaching staff for 2007-8.

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