

patient news

Joan Finders is in the hospital in Littleton and would like to receive cards from her friends. Her address is Life Care of Littleton, Room 106A, 1500 W. Mineral Ave., Littleton, Colo. 80120.

activities

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

The High Plains Museum, 1717 Cherry Ave., is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

The Carnegie Arts Center is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday 120 W. 12th.

The Goodland Public Library is open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Story Hour on Wednesdays will be a group at 10 to 11 a.m. and one at 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Thursday group will meet at 10 to 11 a.m. These groups are for children ages three to five. On Friday's we will have Born to Read for infants and toddlers ages zero to three, accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

For questions call Marcy Melia at 899-5461.

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

Goodland Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) will meet from 6 to 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of the month at the First Christian Church, Eighth and Arcade.

The Sherman County Alzheimers and Dementia support group will meet 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at Good Samaritan Society, 208 W. 2nd.

Diabetes Support Group meets at 4 p.m. the last Tuesday of each month in the large board room at Goodland Regional Medical Center. Patients, family and friends meet each month for a speaker and educational program. Call Sarah Linton at 899-6044.

Breast Cancer Support Group meets at 5 p.m. the first Monday of the month. Any woman with cancer is welcome. Call Cheryl at 899-5528 for more information.

Emotions Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the Goodland Regional Medical Center board room.

Aerobics Classes - 5:30 a.m. aerobics classes are offered Mon-

the calendar

calendar

Jodie Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs will be in Goodland from 1 to 2:15 p.m. Thursday in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. Call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572. Tubbs will be in Goodland on the first and third Thursday of each month.

Carriage ride tours of the Handy House and the Carnegie Arts Center will be from 1 to 4 p.m. on Saturdays. Afterward enjoy a warm drink at The Grind and Gallery. Tickets are \$12 and available at the Arts Center, Handy House and the coffee shop. Proceeds will go the Sherman County Historical Society and Goodland Arts Council.

The Christmas Store at the Carnegie Arts Center is open from Saturday to Monday from

1 to 4 p.m. and Tuesday to Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The exhibit is by local artists and are Christmas and other items.

The free movie at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday will be "Christmas with the Kranks" (PG) at The Sherman Theatre.

The First Baptist Church will have children's and adults' services at 9:30 and regular church services at 10:30 a.m. Sundays at Bateman Funeral Home, 11th and Broadway, while moving from Fifth and Center to 12th and Main.

school calendar

Today: Gold Day. 3:30 p.m., varsity, junior varsity and C team basketball at Scott City. 5:30 p.m., second grade music program rescheduled at high school auditorium. 7 p.m., fifth and sixth grade band concert at North Elementary School. Wednesday: Black Day. North Site Council. PDC screening. Thursday: Gold Day. 7 p.m.,

junior high band and vocal concert in high school auditorium. Friday: Black Day.

school menu

Today: Chili, crackers, cinnamon roll, peaches and milk. Wednesday: Ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, whole wheat roll strawberry gelatin and milk. Thursday: Spaghetti, lettuce salad, corn, garlic bread, brownie and milk. Friday: Cook's choice. Monday: Winter break.

senior menu

Today: Ham, winter mix vegetables, cranberry apple salad, bread and sweet potato casserole. Wednesday: Lasagna, pea salad, pears, garlic bread and yogurt. Thursday: Salisbury steak with mushroom gravy, potatoes Romanoff, strawberries and bananas, bread and birthday cake. Friday: Chicken Fajita salad or taco salad, five cup salad, crackers or tortillas and cherry crisp.

obituaries

Jack W. Fay

Jack W. Fay, 81, a lifelong Goodland resident and former service department employee at Finley Motors, died Saturday, Dec. 8, 2007, at his home.

He was born March 20, 1926, to Fred and Ethel (Hubbard) Fay in Goodland. He served in the U.S. Army. On April 30, 1956, he and Kathryn Ann Daise married in Goodland.

Mr. Fay worked in the service department for Finley's before he retired. He was a member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church.

Preceding him in death were his parents; his wife; a brother, Robert; and a twin brother, Jerry.

Survivors include three brothers-in-law, Eugene (Caroline) Daise of Holyoke, Colo., and Robert Daise and Richard Daise of Kanorado.

Services will be at 10 a.m. today, Tuesday, Dec. 18, 2007, at the church, 307 W. 13th, with Father Norbert Dlabal presiding and inurnment in the Goodland Cemetery.

Contributions to the Jack Fay Memorial may be sent to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Norman Ray Zogg

Norman Ray Zogg, 76, Burlington, a former Goodland business owner and caretaker at the Goodland Cemetery, died Tuesday, Dec. 11, 2007, at the Grace Manor Care Center in Burlington after a long bout with with Alzheimer's disease.

He was born May 6, 1931, to George and Gretchen (Bowers) Zogg at their farm north of Stratton, Colo. He attended Plainview School for the first eight grades and graduated from Stratton High School in 1949. In high school, he drove his Model A car and took neighbor kids to school. He worked for farmers during spring and summer. He and Shirley Scheierman married March 2, 1952.

In 1965, he started farming and running livestock, as well as order buying for himself and other ranchers. In 1976, the couple moved to Goodland, where they bought and ran the Goodland Livestock Co.

After that, he worked for the city, and after retiring worked on an area farm. The couple was foster parents for many years.

In March 2002, they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary and then moved to Burlington.

Preceding Mr. Zogg in death were his parents.

Survivors included his wife, of the home; two daughters, Jan (Bob) Churchwell of Burlington and Trish (Doug) Busby of Louisburg; two sisters, Colleen (Norm) Travis and Peggy (Kenneth) Hubbell of Burlington; and 13 grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Dec. 17, 2007, at the Evangelical Free Church, Burlington, with Pastor Ron Lee officiating and inurnment at Fairview Cemetery in Burlington.

Contributions to the church building fund or the Burlington Public Library may be left at the First National Bank in Burlington.

Post office planning holiday open house

Tina Hansen, postmistress at Brewster, is having an open house on Wednesday. Come on in for refreshments.

The Community Christmas Caroling and hayride was cancelled on Sunday, Dec. 9, as was the Sagebrush basketball tournament was postponed. They finished the tournament last Saturday.

Because of weather Tuesday, the center's soup and sandwich lunch, became a home delivery. I didn't want the older ones trying to get out, so my sister Erma Palmgren and I delivered eleven home meals with Gene Hawkins driving us around town. Six came in for lunch. We cancelled potluck on Wednesday.

The center's annual meeting will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Friday.

The moisture we received was much needed and we thank God



betty jo baird

• brewster news

for any that he gives us. Just be very careful out there this winter. The ice covered with snow is very deceiving.

Talked to Marge Westover on Tuesday night. She is in Haxtun, Colo., hospital. She is having problems with the swelling of her legs and feet. I know she would love to hear from any of you. Her address is Marge Westover, Room 104, Haxtun Hospital Haxtun, Colo. 80731. Her phone number is (970) 774-6123.

May the many joys of Christmas and Christ's birth fill your home with love.

matters of record

District Traffic

The following fines have been paid in the Sherman County District Court:

Oct. 14: Matthew C. Davis \$156 for speeding.

Jeffrey W. Higgins \$150 for speeding.

Joshua S. Stewart \$166 for violating motor carrier safety rules and regulations.

Amy M. Woods \$174 for speeding.

Oct. 16: Jacob L. Lucero \$138 for speeding.



First United Methodist Church 5:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Candlelight Service 12th and Sherman Goodland, Kan. (785) 899-3631

The customer who guessed weight of the coal won a ton

Upcoming cold weather for the winter of 1932-'33 was the incentive for a local contest offered by Foster Lumber in Goodland. The Goodland News-Republic gave details of the prize, a ton of coal, which would have made a good Christmas present.

CORRECT WEIGHT GETS TON OF COAL

Paul Rasure, manager of the Foster Lumber Company, is conducting a novel guessing contest on a big lump of coal that he has just received at his coal yard.

Any man or woman over 18 years old living in Sherman County is privileged to make their guess on the weight of the chunk of coal, and the one who guesses the correct weight, or the nearest, will receive a ton of coal. The guessing will be closed at one o'clock in the afternoon of December 24th, and the prize awarded and delivered before Christmas Eve.

In the case of a tie Mr. Rasure will award a ton of coal to each of the winners, and if there should be more than two guessing the correct weight the two tons will be divided up among the individuals tying.

The local newspaper was the social lifeline for rural and city residents alike seventy-five years ago. Two to three pages of the weekly paper was filled with school district and township news. Area residents acted as the reporters for each little community. Today, these items give a glimpse into the lives of Northwest Kansans. Following are several excerpts from those articles in late



marcia smith

• from the vault

November/early December, 1932.

Goodland Route 2 Mrs. Irvin Linnell

Lawrence House ran his car into a ditch Friday breaking a wheel and doing considerable damage to the car but no one was hurt.

Mrs. Wilfred Taylor has been on the sick list this week and has been staying in Goodland at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ed Ross, where she can receive medical aid.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hayden entertained at dinner Sunday for Mrs. Jote Parker and son, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Robidoux, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayden and Bob Hayden.

Doris Elliott returned home Tuesday from Goodland where she had been working for Dr. and Mrs. B.H. Rouse.

Ruelton Route 1 Mrs. W.R. Gernhart

E.L. Donoho, Tom Beem, Delph McCall and W.R. Gernhart have finished shucking corn.

Frank Olson from Burlington sold 3 cows at the stock pavilion in Goodland Friday.

Mrs. Mattie Kirby's brother came

for a visit with her and Mr. Kirby and children Saturday. It has been five years since she last saw him. He reports that the farmers did not dig potatoes in the mountains where he came from. He says the best hay is from four to five dollars a ton there.

Henry Johnson sold barley last week to the Ruelton elevators.

Jesse Phillips and Vincent Hawks placed telephone poles for a telephone to be placed at the Grant Center school, Dist. 55.

George Wolverton, Ruelton, was painfully injured Thursday while pulling a pump at his home. Some of the mechanism fell and a one-half inch bolt struck Mr. Wolverton in the left foot piercing the shoe and going entirely through his foot just behind the toes.

Prairie Gem Mrs. Frank Baird

Monday members of the John Fiechter family noticed an unusual amount of smoke in the yard, but thought the wind was driving the smoke to the ground until the smell of burning wood was noticed in the house. Mrs. Fiechter opened the door leading upstairs and was nearly overcome by smoke which was pouring down the stairs. The



Thank You

The Goodland Kiwanis Club would like to Thank all the people in Sherman County who helped out with the Toys for Tots program this year. With your help there will be several kids in our community put a smile on there face.

Come to our Open House Tuesday, Dec. 18 to Friday, Dec. 21

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