

card showers

Vivian Jensen will be celebrating her 90th birthday on Monday, July 21, 2008. Her family is requesting card be sent to 1404 College, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Virginia Elliott will be celebrating her 90th birthday on Monday, July 28, 2008. Cards may be sent to her at Good Samaritan Center, 208 W. 2nd, Goodland, Kan. 67735

The children of Arnold and Edna (Gramm) Warren are planning a card shower in honor their parents' 50th Anniversary on Saturday, Aug. 2, 2008. They were married on Aug. 2, 1958, in Bethune, Colo. Cards may be sent to them at 6215 Road 1, Kanorado, Kan. 67741.

student news

Lea Acuff, daughter of Mark Acuff and Kim Acuff, made the Spring 2008 Honor Roll at Kansas University. She is a pharmacy major.

Ashley Jo Hallagin, daughter of Rollie and Jean Hallagin, made the Spring 2008 Honor Roll at Kansas University. She is a pharmacy major.

Craig Mason, son of Jeff and Nona Mason, made the Spring 2008 Honor Roll at Kansas University. He is a senior in the liberal arts college.

Michael Smith, son of Celia Smith, made the Spring 2008 Honor Roll at Kansas University. He is a sophomore in the liberal arts college.

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, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday.

The Carnegie Arts Center is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday at 120 W. 12th. Carriage rides are available on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and cost \$5. New summer items are baby clothes and quilts, photography by Rich Huguen and pottery by Steve Coburn. New card lines are Marilyn Frisbee, Michael George King and Rebecca Kunz. Art work on display is by Shirley Houston and Elwyn Vatcher.

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.

Prairie Piecemakers Quilt Guild will meet at 6 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at Wheatridge Acres in Goodland. The Piecemakers will have open sewing from 8 to 11 a.m. on the fourth Saturday of the month at Wheatridge. For information call Cora House at 899-2619, Joan Reid at 890-7301.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 890-3665.

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.

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 890-6044.

Breast Cancer Support Group meets at 5:30 p.m. the second Monday of the month. Any woman with cancer is welcome. Call Cheryl at 890-5528 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.

the calendar

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Prairie Land Food pick up will be from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, at the Goodland Elks Lodge for the July distribution. Anyone who wants to see what is in the packages can stop in on distribution day.

The Sherman Theatre summer matinee is at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday. The movie is "The Pirates Who Don't Do Anything."

Moonlight Entertainment, Goodland Public Library and the

Goodland Arts Council will have Movies on Main at the VFW north wall parking lot between the VFW and the GAC on Thursdays every other week. Showing will be "Big" on Thursday, July 31 and "Rocketman" on Thursday, Aug. 14. Movies will start at sunset (8:30 to 9 p.m.) Bring lawn chairs, blankets and snacks. There is no charge.

senior menu

Today: Turkey and noodles, pea salad, beets, bread and man-

darin oranges. Wednesday: Chili dog with cheese, broccoli salad, tater tots or wedges, bun and pears. Thursday: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, cantaloupe, rolls and cookie. Friday: baked spaghetti, tossed salad with carrots, corn, garlic bread and gelatin with bananas. Monday: Sloppy joes, au gratin potatoes, peaches, bun and pudding. Tuesday: Swedish meat balls, spinach, cranberry pineapple crunch, noodles and brownies.

aerobics classes are offered Monday, Wednesday and Friday at the Goodland Activities Center. 5:30 p.m. aerobics classes are offered Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Call 890-7242.

TOPS Meetings - Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays at North Elementary School. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m. A new group may be started and meet at a different time. Call Norma Mullen, area captain, at (785) 689-4362.

Goodland Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. Monday, closed meeting, Wednesday, the book meeting, and Saturday, an open meeting, at 1013 Center. For Alcoholics Anonymous, call Rob at 890-3023 or Linda at 399-2353.

Goodland Al-Anon Serenity Seekers group meets at 5:30 on Wednesdays at 1013 Center. For information call Cheryl at 890-3023.

The "Freedom Today" group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. Tuesdays and 7 p.m. Saturdays at the Goodland Elks Lodge. Call 890-8369.

Stratton "AA by the Book" Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at 7 p.m. Thursdays for a beginners open meeting. Families and young people welcome. Call (719) 348-5398 for men and (719) 346-8553 for women. On U.S. Highway 24 go to Statton and it is the second house on the left, 513 Iola Street.

Fibromyalgia and Chronic Myofascial Pain Support Group meets from 6:30 to 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.

area events

The Board of Directors and the Advisory Council of the Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging will meet at 9 a.m. (Mountain Time) Tuesday, July 29, at the Q-Inn Restaurant in Quinter. For information call (800) 432-7422 or (785) 628-8204.

Colby Community College will offer a certified nurse aide class beginning on Monday, Aug. 4. Classes will meet from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Aug. 4, 6, 8, 11, 13, 15, 18 and 20 will meet at the Health Science Building room 809. Clinicals will meet from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Aug. 5, 7 and 12 and from 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Aug. 14, 19 and 21 at Prairie Senior Living Center of Colby. Cost is \$435.

Bead International will be at the Dane G. Hansen Museum at Logan until Sunday, Sept. 7. Hours are Monday to Friday 8 to 11 a.m. and noon to 3 p.m. (Mountain Time).

"The purse and the person, a century of women's purses" will be at the Dane G. Hansen Museum at Logan until Sunday, Sept. 28.

Training for volunteer health insurance counselors by the Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging will be Wednesday and Thursday, and Tuesday, Aug. 19, in Garden City. The staff of Senior Health Insurance Counseling for Kansas Program will do the training. The counselors help Medicare beneficiaries who have questions and problems regarding their health

insurance. For information call Glenna Clingsmith at (800) 432-7422 or (785) 628-8204.

Prairie Museum of Art and History, 1905 S. Franklin, in Colby is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Central Time Tuesday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

The USS Hollister Destroyer Reunion (DD-788) will be from Wednesday to Sunday, Sept. 17 to 21, at Branson, Mo. For information contact Mrs. Nelda Rupp, 2118 15440 SE Hartnell Ave., Portland, Ore. 97267, (503) 656-4949 or hnrupp@comcast.net.

health department

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

Blood pressures; infants', children's and adult's immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar and hemoglobin; and family planning available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free. Call 890-4888. WIC program available.

If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care, call the health department.

Water Testing — The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group does well evaluations, including testing for bacteria and nitrates. To schedule an evaluation or discuss environmental concerns, call the Health Department at 890-4888.

hospital volunteers

Gift shop hours are 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; a.m. and p.m. volunteers are in the gift shop.

Today: Jan Lambertz, a.m. and Emma VanVleet, courtesy. Wednesday: Shirley Hayden, a.m. and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. Thursday: Avis Alcorn, a.m. and Van Vleet, courtesy. Friday: Debbie Lucas, a.m. and Sutton, courtesy. Monday: Fern Heckman, a.m. and Sutton, courtesy. Tuesday: Lambertz, a.m., Faye Paxton, p.m. and VanVleet, courtesy.

cell phone drive

Save a Life-Give a Phone collects used cell phones and refurbishes them to provide 911 access for domestic violence victims locally and nationwide, including all YWCA Domestic Violence Shelters. Phones are also provided to the elderly and others in need of an emergency cell phone. The group has a drop-off point at American Communications, 726 W. Business U.S. 24. Call Jeannie Topliff at 899-2426.

thrift store

Anyone wanting to donate to the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop should call 899-2007 to arrange to meet by the door in the alley and take donations directly from the car to the warehouse.

The store needs zippered bags like those bedding and curtains are sold in, seal-a-meal bags or any bags that can be heat-sealed, and jewelry gift boxes.

early head start

Early Head Start is a state funded program for income eligible

families with prenatal mothers and children up to three. Families participate in a variety of educational activities and receive free medical and dental care.

Services include special needs of children with disabilities. If you have a family member with a special problem, such as drug or alcohol abuse, job loss or other family crisis, your family can qualify. Call 785-672-3125, ext. 187.

preschool

Sherman County Head Start is a free preschool for eligible 3 and 4 year olds. The federally funded program is targeted to families who meet certain economic guidelines and provides hearing, vision, dental and educational screenings. Nutritious meals are served, and parents are encouraged to get involved in their children's education. Families interested in having their child in the program should call Carrie Starns at 890-2552 or go to Sherman County Head Start, 823 W. 11th.

crimestoppers

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 Domestic and Sexual Violence Services provides help day or night to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available in Hays. Support group for women's domestic violence victims/survivors is from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. Central Time on Wednesdays; a men's domestic violence victims/survivors support group from noon to 1 p.m. Central Time Tuesdays; and a youth support group is available by appointment. A sexual violence victims/survivors support group in Hays and a domestic violence support group to meet in Colby are being formed. If interested in joining or for information or help, call (800) 794-4624. In the Colby area, call (785) 443-1130 ask for Becky. For time and location of youth support group, ask for Jennifer Follis.

tree donations

Many trees at the Goodland Cemetery 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.

animal shelter

Lost a pet? Call the Goodland Police Department at 890-4570. Interested in adopting a pet? Call the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 821-4142 or 821-4146.

How to hire the right employee

Employees are a company's most important resource, yet how do employers know which person will be the right "fit" for their business?



jamie morphew

business tips

"Hiring the Right Employee," a four-hour session scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 25, in Hays, will provide information on "Behavioral Interviewing," a way to gather information about what candidates have done in the past to show how they would handle future situations, which can help you select the best candidate for your company.

Included in this seminar will be:

- Key elements of the behavioral interview.
• Identifying technical and interpersonal skills required for success.
• How to build rapport with interviewees.
• How to overcome barriers that inhibit use of behavioral interviewing.

Les Lauber, University of Kansas

public management instructor, will be the featured speaker. He has made presentations across North America to corporate audiences and national conferences.

For information or to register (cost is \$50 per person), contact Linda Koci, of KansasWorks at (785) 625-5654 or e-mail lkoci@kansasworks.com

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For information or to set up an appointment, call Jamie Morphey at (620) 874-0771 or e-mail wkbcb@wbsnet.org.

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First grade teacher has taught for 25 years

A Goodland teacher was honored by the University of Kansas School of Education for 25 years of teaching in Kansas.

Janet Davis, a first grade teacher at West Elementary, has taught all 25 years for the Goodland School District.

KU's School of Education an-

nually invites Kansas school district officials to identify educators who are eligible for recognition. This year the school honored 797 teachers from 173 school districts statewide with certificates recognizing 25 years or more of service to education in Kansas.



Family gathers

In Manhattan four generations got together on Friday, July 4. Dad Trampis Nickel holds son Tasen Nickel, both of Manhattan. Next is Grandma Karen Nickel of Johnson City and Great Grandma Rosie Lindsten (far right) of Goodland.

matters of record

District Traffic

The following fines have been paid in the Sherman County District Court. All ages are at the time of the ticket.

March 13: Jeffrey C. Kruger, 20, Carthage, Mo., \$126 for speeding, 85/70.

April 2: Arnold Johnson, 53, Dallas, \$166 for violating motor carrier safety rules and regulations, no current registration in possession.

April 4: Rupert E. Rangel, 25, Santa Paula, Calif., \$132 for speeding, 86/70.

Tom A. Schmitt, 47, Wallace, \$30 for not wearing a seat belt.

April 22: Stacey E. Manos, 36, Independence, Mo., \$183 for speeding, 93/70.

Bryant J. Thomas, 24, Suffolk, Va., \$228 for speeding, 98/70.

April 26: James A. Lowe, 42, Glasco, \$192 for speeding, 94/70.

April 29: Gregory S. Keran, 25, South Plains, N.J., \$246 for speeding, 100/70.

May 2: Levi A. Troyer, 44, Silt, Colo., \$120 for speeding, 84/70.

May 3: Oscar R. Soberaines, 36,

Los Angeles, \$126 for speeding, 85/70.

Michael S. Wagner, 46, Womelsdorf, W. Va., \$132 for speeding, 86/70.

May 4: David J. Leech, 32, Moab, Utah, \$126 for unlawful acts with vehicles, expired registration.

Maia V. Yunker, 27, Colorado Springs, \$144 for speeding, 88/70.

Alfredo Zambrano-garcia, 25, Indianapolis, \$126 for operating a motor vehicle without a valid license and \$99 for speeding, 91/70.

May 5: Rodney G. Sanderson, 50, Pilot Point, Texas, \$216 for violating motor carrier safety rules and regulations, false log.

May 6: April N. Smith, 17, Sharon Springs, \$138 for speeding, 87/70.

May 7: Kenneth L. Manola, 58, Wheat Ridge, Colo., \$166 for violating motor carrier safety rules and regulations, 14-hour rule.

Martin J. McClure, 41, Goodland, \$165 for speeding and \$200 for transporting an open container of alcohol.

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Sherman County Bastille The following people were booked into the Sherman County Bastille:

June 20 — 11:30 p.m., Miguel Angel Santibanez-Gasca, 35, Goodland. Arrested by city police for disorderly conduct. Bond supplied.

June 21 — 6:33 p.m., Donald W. Ming, 49, Goodland. Arrested by deputy sheriff for driving under influence third conviction. Court pending.

June 30 — 1:01 p.m., Kurt R. Winkler, 46, Kearney, Neb. Arrested by state trooper on a warrant

and commercial driver's license

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