

card showers

Jennie Somers is turning 90 on Sunday, Sept. 28 and her family and friends are requesting cards to be sent to her at Nicol Home, 303 E. Buffalo, Glasco, Kan. 677445.

patient news

Dave Smith is home recovering from back surgery on Thursday, Sept. 18, in Denver. Cards may be sent to him at 2810 Commerce Road Lot 11, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

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. The center will display entries for the Flatlander Photography Contest through Saturday, Sept. 27. The Mile-long Art Walk will also take place through September. For information call (785) 890-6442.

The Goodland Public Library is open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Story hour for preschool children ages 3 to 5 is Wednesdays from 10 to 11 a.m. or Wednesdays from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. or Thursdays from 10 to 11 a.m. Story hour will start on Wednesday. Born to Read for children ages 0 to 3 on Fridays from 10:30 a.m. Children need to be accompanied by a parent or caregiver for the Born to Read group. For information call Marcy Melia at (785) 899-5461.

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. 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 AI-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 8 p.m. Fridays

the calendar

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Prairie Land Food distribution is from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Saturday at the Goodland Elks Lodge back door. Anyone interested in seeing the food may stop in on distribution day. For information call (785) 899-3631.

Cheryl Hancock, Middle Eastern Broadcaster for Bible Voice Broadcasting, will speak about the Middle East at 6 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Sunday at the St. Francis High School Auditorium. For information call (785) 332-2487.

The Carnegie Arts Center, will have a bridge marathon from 1 to 4 p.m. on Friday as part of the Fall Flatlander Festival. On Saturday there will be caricature drawings, musical entertainment and other art displays and refreshments.

Jodie Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs will be in Goodland from 1 to 2:15 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 2, 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.

The Sherman County Health Department, 1622 Broadway, will be closed on Tuesday, Sept. 30.

There will be a Basin Advisory Committee for the Upper Republican at 8 a.m. (Mountain Time) on

Tuesday, Sept. 30, at Atwood City Building, 106 South Third.

4-H Open House will be from 2 to 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 5, at the 4-H Building at the fairgrounds. Boys and girls will have a chance to visit with community club leaders and project leaders.

senior menu

Today: Pork roast, steamed cabbage, carrots and onions, applesauce gelatin, cook's choice complement and bread. Wednesday: Barbecue chicken, pasta salad with vegetables, blushing pears, bread and cookie. Thursday: Chili with beans, orange pineapple salad, crackers and cinnamon roll. Friday: Turkey dressing casserole, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, bread and apricots. Monday: Salmon patty or loaf, seasoned broccoli, cinnamon apples, bread and garden rice. Tuesday: Meat Balls, au gratin potatoes, spinach, bread and cook's choice fruit.

school menu

Today: Rib-q sandwich, tri-tator, pickle spear, half orange and milk. Wednesday: Beef and noodles, mashed potatoes, beets, whole wheat roll, fruit crisp and milk. Thursday: Tator tot casserole, green beans, whole wheat roll, strawberries and bananas and milk. Friday: Grilled cheese sandwich, potato wedges, pickle spear, half apple and milk. Monday: No school. Tuesday: Pizza, lettuce

at 1013 Center. 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

Full Circle, an aging expo, will be from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Friday at the Educational Service Center, Oakley. For information call Libby Curry at the Northwest Area K-State Research and Extension Office in Colby at (785) 462-6281.

Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission with the Last Indian Raid Museum will have a tour of the sites of the last Indian raid on Sunday. For information call (785) 475-2712, (785) 475-3557 or (785) 470-0218.

A seven-week quilting workshop will be from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. starting on Tuesday, Oct. 7 at the Dane G. Hansen Memorial Museum at Logan. For more information call (785) 689-4846.

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

"Joy of Painting with Bob Ross" program will have classes from 8 to 11 a.m. and noon to 2 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Saturday, Oct. 11, painting "The Mailbox" and Sunday, Oct. 12, "The Old Kansas House" at the Dane G. Hansen Museum and Plaza, Logan. For information call (785) 689-4846.

Atwo day basket weaving classes will be on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 1 and 2 at the Dane G. Hansen Museum at Logan. The instructor will be Jo Campbell-Amsler of Monticello, Iowa. For information call (785) 689-4846.

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.

health department

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

salad, corn, brownie and milk.

school calendar

Today: Gold Day. High school and junior high pictures. 2:45 p.m., cross country at Ulysses Invitational. 2 p.m., junior varsity tennis at home invitational. 2:45 p.m., seventh and eighth grade volleyball quad at Hays. Wednesday: Black Day. Academic Awards Assembly. Thursday: Gold Day. 3 p.m., Varsity, junior varsity and C team volleyball quad. 4 p.m., cross country at Ogallala. Noon, varsity tennis at Russell. 2 p.m., varsity golf at Holcomb High School. 5:30 p.m., Parent-footbal team meal. Friday: Black Day. 6 p.m., Varsity football against WaKeeney. Saturday: 8 a.m., C team volleyball at Oberlin. 7 a.m., varsity tennis at Garden City. Car Rally at Central Elementary. 9:30 a.m., Fifth grade youth football game. 11 a.m., Sixth grade youth football game. Monday: No School. Teacher professional day. 5 p.m., junior varsity football at Norton. Tuesday: Gold Day. 4:30 p.m. varsity, junior varsity and C team volleyball against Dundee County. 9 a.m., varsity golf at Ulysses. 4 p.m., cross country at Oberlin Invitational. 2 p.m., varsity tennis at Colby. 3 p.m., seventh and eighth grade football at Garden City. West Elementary picture day. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America state officer meeting in Hesston. 8 a.m., student council conference.

obituaries

Jeffrey Todd Beeson

Jeffrey Todd Beeson, 43, Phoenix, son of Ron and Jeanie (Meyers) Beeson of Kanorado, died Monday, Sept. 15, 2008, in Dallas, Texas, from complications of diabetes.

He was born Sept. 16, 1964, in Burlington. He graduated from South Eugene High School of Eugene, Ore., in 1982 where he ran in cross country and track and sang in the Acapella, Concert and Madrigal Choirs.

Mr. Beeson started college at Oregon University in Eugene to be a dentist where he worked at a downtown deli and began his career in the culinary world. He transferred to Arizona State University in Tempe, Ariz. where he also worked in the restaurant.

He was a chef at Top of the Rock and Windows on the Green in Tempe and then executive chef at Pointe Hilton Different Pointe of View in Phoenix where he developed a mountainside garden that was known in the culinary world.

Mr. Beeson opened his own restaurant Convivo in Phoenix with a

five star rating. He was featured in many culinary magazines and was a regular for many years on "Good Morning Arizona" television. He was a guest on Food Network's Sara Moulton Show, a guest chef at the James Baird House in New York City and was sent to China as a guest chef by the City of Phoenix.

Preceding him in death were his grandfathers.

Survivors include his parents; two daughters, Sydnee Beeson, 11, and Chloe Beeson, 8, of Phoenix; a sister Michelle (Jason) Herschberger of Russell Springs; a brother, Timothy (Carol) Beeson of Mansfield, Texas; and two grandmothers, Melba Beeson of Goodland and Doris Meyer of Burlington.

A private family service was Saturday, Sept. 20, 2008, at the First Baptist Church of Burlington with Pastor Aubrey Howell officiating.

Memorials to the American Diabetes Association may be sent to the First National Bank, 202 E. 11, Goodland, Kan. 67735.



Beeson

Raymond G. Schlereth

Raymond G. Schlereth, 90, Dodge City, father of Elaine (Jon) Felver of Goodland, died Friday, Sept. 19, 2008, at his home in Dodge City.

He was born Aug. 27, 1918, to John Michael and Anna Mary (Knopp) Schlereth. He was a rancher and farmer in Hodge- man and Ford Counties. He served in the Army during World War II as a Private First Class.

On May 2, 1946, he and Mary Agnes McCue at Hollidaysburg, Pa. She died in Dec. 2, 1984. On March 2, 1990, he married Kathie Mass at Dodge City.

Mr. Schlereth was a member of the Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Dodge City and Howard Gotschall Veterans of Foreign Wars Post in Dodge City.

Preceding him in death were his first wife; his parents; two brothers, Henry M. Schlereth and George Schlereth; and a sister, Agnes Glad- den.

Survivors include his wife of his home; another daughter, Ann Loo- ney of Jetmore; a brother, Howard (Maureen) Schlereth of Dodge City; a sister, Margaret Wolfe of Dodge City; two granddaughters; three grandsons; and two great-granddaughters.

Services will be at 9 a.m. (Mountain Time) on Wednesday, Sept. 24, 2008, at Sacred Heart Cathedral, 903 Central, Dodge City, with Father Ted A. Skalsky presid- ing and burial in the Greencrest Memorial Gardens of Dodge City with military rites by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The vigil will be at 6 p.m. (Moun- tain Time) on Tuesday, Sept. 23, 2008 at Burkhart-Ziegler Funeral Chapel, 1901 N. 14th Avenue, Dodge City.

Memorials to Hospice of the Prairie or the Dodge City Veterans of Foreign War may be sent to the funeral home.



Schlereth

Peggy Ann Alander

Peggy Ann (Shaske) Alander, 51, Lake Worth, Fla., former me- teorologist at National Weather Service office in Goodland, died Friday, Sept. 12, 2008, at her home after battling cancer for several years.

She graduated from Florida Key Community College and Embry-Riddle Aeronautical Univer- sity and was a 20-year veteran of the Navy. She worked as an upper air observations

contract employee at the forecast office in Kay West, Fla. before ac- cepting a permanent job as a Meteorological Tech- nician with the weather office in Goodland. In 2003 she became the Port Meteorological Officer at Port Everglades, Fla.

Survivors include her husband of the home; a daughter, Amanda Jean Neth; and a son, Jacob Alander.



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sunflower 4-H

The regular monthly meeting of the Sunflower 4-H club was held at the Methodist Church on Monday, Sept. 15.

The meeting was called to order by President Dusti Chadwick. Presi- dent Chadwick also led the Flag Salute and 4-H Pledge.

Roll call of "What is your favorite Holiday?" was answered by nine members, five parents, one leader and three guests.

Shania Smith led the club in sing- ing "Baby Bumblebee".

After the business meeting and

reports, Ryan Irvin gave a project talk on how to give a project talk. Joshua Smith gave a demonstration about his tool box and tools he used for his project in woodworking.

Recreation was led by Jessica Johnson; all had fun playing the golf ball race.

Refreshments were served by the Chadwick and Fitzgibbons family.

Our next meeting will be Monday, Oct. 20 at the Methodist Church.

Submitted by Jessica Johnson Reporter

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