

patient news

The family of **Doug Loomis** is requesting cards be sent to him at Rose Medical Center, Intensive Care Unit Room 10, 4567 E. 9th, Denver, Colo. 80220. He has been there for three months following heart surgery.

Eileen Krayca was in the hospital for testing and is now at her daughter's and would like to hear from people. Send cards for her to Patricia Bunny, 430 Park Avenue, Eaton, Colo. 80615.

elks blue star flags

If you have a **son or daughter or grandson or granddaughter serving in the military** the Goodland Elks Lodge would like to present to you a Blue Star Flag for your window or door. Call secretary of the lodge Zona Price at (785) 890-6251 or write to the lodge at Box 146, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

activities

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

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 is always in need of host and hostesses from 1 to 4 p.m. on Sundays. The display for November will be Indian art and artifacts. Marilyn Cooper of WindWoman and Gerald Paxton with his collection of Indian arrowheads. It will run through Friday, Sunday, Nov. 30. For information call (785) 890-6442. From 1 to 3 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 23, a forum on Indian art and artifacts by Cooper, Paxton and Dan Busse. Busse will give an update on an archeological dig near Edson.

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 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. or Thursdays 10 to 11 a.m. Born to Read for children ages 0 to 3 is on Fridays 10 to 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. The center is open from 5:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Fridays, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturdays and 1-5 p.m. Sundays.

the calendar

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Jonathan McClung's Eagle Scout Ceremony will be at 2 p.m. on **Sunday** at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

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.

Prairie Land Food distribution is from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. on **Saturday, Nov. 22**, at the Goodland Elks Lodge back door. Anyone interested in seeing the food may stop in on distribution day. For information call 899-3631 or 890-3083.

There will be a **breakfast** for the Goodland Skate Park from 6:30 to 10 a.m. on **Saturday** at the Rock House, 5th and Caldwell. They will serve sausage, eggs, pancakes, juice, coffee or milk. It is \$5 per ticket. Sponsored by Shine on Sherman County Youth Committee. For information call 899-3482, 821-2993, 899-6454, 890-6153, 899-9213 and 899-6318.

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 8 p.m. Fridays** 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

Hays Medical Center, Hays, will host its **Fifth Annual Multidisciplinary Practice Conference** on Evidence-Based Practice: Strategies to Improve Healthcare from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Monday at the Memorial Union Black and Gold Room at Fort Hays State University, Hays. The program is designed for continuing education credit for nurses, respiratory therapists and athletic trainers. Fee for the program is \$50. For information call (800) 248-0073.

High Plains Mental Health Center is having free seminars on "**Solving the Disability Puzzle**" which will review the complex and confusing application process for Social Security Disability Insurance and Supplemental Security Income. The seminars will be at 10 a.m. on Monday at High Plains Branch Office, 723 Main, Goodland; 1 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Monday at Colby Community Building, 285 E. 5th, Colby; and at 8 a.m. (Mountain Time) on Tuesday at Norton County Hospital Conference Room, 102 East Holme Street, Norton.

The Oberlin Arts and Humanities will host the **Highway 285 Band** at 6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Saturday, Nov. 22 at the Oberlin Gateway Center. For information call (785) 475-3557 or (785) 470-0218.

A **Senior Health Insurance Counselor of Kansas** will be at the Goodland Public Library on **Monday, Dec. 1, to Friday, Dec. 5**, to help Medicare patients enroll in a new drug plan. Call (785) 890-5908 or (785) 821-1626 to set up an appointment.

The **Annual Christmas Home Tour and Open House** by the Carnegie Arts Center will be from 1 to 4 p.m. on **Sunday, Dec. 7**. Homes on tour will be Brian and Victoria Freeman, Gregory and Dennie Sorwell and J.D. and Jan Wilson. There will also be an open house and bake sale at the center. Tickets are \$15 and \$12 for members.

The **Community Thanksgiving Worship Service** will be at 7 p.m. on **Tuesday, Nov. 25** at the First Christian Church, 711 Arcade, with Father Norbert Dlabal preaching. Bring a dessert to share at fellowship time following the service. Sponsored by Goodland Ministerial Alliance.

senior menu

Today: Hamburger steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, bread and gelatin with mixed fruit. **Monday:** Baked spaghetti, tossed salad, corn, garlic bread and fruit. **Tuesday:** Chicken and noodles, pea salad, gelatin with oranges and pine-

apple, muffin and pudding.

school menu

Today: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup, crackers, relishes, mandarin oranges and pineapple and milk. **Monday:** Macaroni and cheese with meat, peas, whole wheat roll, grapes and milk. **Tuesday:** Corn dog, French fries, pickle spear, half apple and milk.

school calendar

Today: Black Day. Sectional football. 7 p.m., Goodland High School musical. Fall athletic buffer week. Family, Career, Community Leaders of America wiffleball tournament. **Saturday:** 8 a.m., Northwest Kansas Basketball Officials Clinic. 9 a.m., eighth basketball clinic. 7 p.m., Goodland High School musical. Fall athletic buffer week. **Sunday:** 2 p.m., Goodland High School musical. Fall athletic buffer week. **Monday:** Gold day. 3:45 p.m., high school scholars' bowl. First day of practice for high school basketball and wrestling. 3:45 p.m., Professional Development Committee meeting. Black and Gold Booster Club meeting. **Tuesday:** Black day. 3:30 p.m., eighth grade basketball against Colby and seventh grade basketball at Colby. Football potluck dinner.

The Dane G. Hansen Memorial Museum, 110 W. Main, Logan will have a four-day **painting workshop** with pastelist Kaye Franklin from Tuesday to Saturday, Dec. 2 to 6. Instruction will be on the use of oils and pastels on various subject matter.

The **Colby Christmas Homes Tour** will be from 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 7. Homes included are the Lon Frahm's Carriage House and Pond Retreat, 18 Cottonwood Drive; Janice and Lynn Kreider, 670 N. Grant, Ave.; Tanya and Brian Staats, 5 Cottonwood Drive; and Judi and Jim Withers, 430 W. 4th.

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.

memorial field

The Goodland Baseball Club is planning to install sod and a sprinkler system for the infield at Memorial Field. The group also is interested in planting a windbreak around the field. If anyone is planning on moving healthy evergreen, blue spruce or pine trees off of their property, the club would like to have the trees.

The group is accepting donation for this project. For questions, call Roxann Kling at (785) 899-5011, John Dautel at 899-3444, Gary Smith at 899-6166 or any other Goodland Baseball Club member.

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: Faye Paxton, a.m. and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. **Monday:** Lisa Malsom, a.m. and Sutton, cour-

tesy. **Tuesday:** Debbie Lucas, a.m. and Emma Van Vleet, 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.

death notice

Tal C. Schneider

Tal C. Schneider, 53, Fairfax, Va., son of Cecil and Wanda Schneider, lost his battle with cancer and died Tuesday, Nov. 11, 2008.

A full obituary and information will follow about services. Koons Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Baby sister joins Goodland family

Ginger Sue Pummer was born on Tuesday, Nov. 4, 2008, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. She weighed 5 pounds 6 ounces and was 18 inches long.

Her parents are Richard Pummer and Heather Blake of Goodland

and grandparents are Carol Graham of Sharon Springs, Jerry Blake of Goodland, Steve Williams of Sharon Springs and Kevin and Mary Delano of Goodland.

She will be welcomed home by siblings, Davada and Britney.

Couple plan wedding in Mulvane

Mindi Bellamy of Goodland and Joshua Hill of Concordia plan to marry on Saturday, Nov. 22, 2008, at Wyldewood Cellars of Mulvane with Steve Colaw presiding.

The bride-to-be's parents are Brian and Shelly Bellamy of Sharon Springs and her grandparents are Bob and Shirley Wieck of Goodland and Joe and Lloydelle Bellamy of Elwood, Neb.

The future groom's parents are Herman and Lisa Hill of Hamilton, Mont. and the late Sara Hill and his grandparents are Milo and Mollie

Iman and Bill and Lee Bierlmeier. She graduated from Goodland High School in 2002 and from Fort Hays State University with a Bachelor in Elementary Education. She teaches sixth grade math and language arts at Mulvane.

He graduated from Concordia High School and from Kansas State University with a Bachelors in Aviation Maintenance. He works at Wichita Air Services Inc. as a corporate pilot.

The couple plan to live at 911 Cedar Point Circle, Rose Hill.

High school group promotes car pooling

Goodland High School's Family, Community and Career Leaders of America challenged the high school, Western State Bank, BankWest and First National Bank to go green by cutting their percentage of cars driven to school or work by car pooling on Wednesday, Oct. 29.

The club counted the number of cars that were parked in the parking lot that morning and declared the winner by lunch. The winner won \$125. In fourth place was the First National Bank by cutting their percentage down to 63 percent.

Goodland High School took third by cutting their percentage to 33. There was a tough competition between the first and second place banks. BankWest had a total of three cars in their parking lot and a percentage of 17. In first place was Western State Bank with a total of two cars in the parking lot and they cut their percentage to 15 percent.

Western State Bank won the \$125 and donated it back to the club. The group will be donating the money to The Salvation Army.

Greensburg group looking for volunteers

The South Central Kansas Tornado Recovery of Greensburg is looking for volunteers to help finish houses for people still living in Federal Emergency Management Agency trailers in Greensburg.

Volunteer for one day or one week. Volunteers will work seven days a week. Call South Central Kansas Kansas Tornado Recovery of Greensburg at (620) 723-3155 or www.scktro.org for information.

matters of record

Municipal Court

These are cases decided by the Goodland Municipal Court:

Oct. 8: Melinda Hayse, disorderly conduct, fined \$160.

Delicia Lucas, disorderly conduct, fined \$160.

Alvaro H. Sandoval, dog at large, dog license required, fined \$100.

Toniarae G. Schreiber, racing exhibition of speed and no child restraint, diversion, \$280.

Oct. 9: Joshua W. Mazanec, racing exhibition of speed, fined \$120.

Oct. 10: Nicole M. Holub, no child restraint, fined \$120.

Goodland Police

The following incidents have been reported to the Goodland Police Department:

Oct. 20 — 9:33 a.m., 202 E. 11th, a juvenile was taken into custody.

Case referred to county attorney.

Oct. 21 — 8:06 a.m., 1302 College Ave., Sherry Skinner reported motor vehicle burglary and theft.

Oct. 22 — 11:07 a.m., 1400 Center Ave., City of Goodland reported criminal damage and theft.

Oct. 23 — 10:57 a.m., 2021 Enterprise Rd., Orscheln Farm and Ranch reported theft. Case referred to city attorney.

9:48 p.m., 515 E. Fifth, Apt. 120, Darrel Webster Farris reported burglary and theft.

Oct. 25 — 7:25 a.m., 220 E. 10th, Joshua Wade Mazanec reported criminal damage.

9:51 p.m., 2420 Commerce Rd., arrested Roberto Cerda for minor in consumption. Case referred to city attorney.

Oct. 26 — 12:19 a.m., 901 Main Ave., Meilia Glover reported battery. Case referred to city attorney.

Community Conversation and Free Chili Supper!

Shine on Sherman County invites you to a community conversation and free chili supper.

When: Tuesday, November 18
Time: 6:00 p.m.
Location: Goodland Elks Lodge (1523 Arcade)

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- * Youth and skate park
- * Community Beautification
- * Government Alliance
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Sherman County Economic Development Council

Three positions are open for the Council beginning January 1, 2009. Two of these positions will be for 3 year terms and one will be for a one year term. Interested parties are asked to contact the office at 104 E. 10th Street in Goodland or call (785) 890-3743 by November 17, 2008, and are encouraged to attend the monthly meeting on November 18th at 5 p.m. at the Goodland Elks Lodge at 1523 Arcade.

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