

card showers

Norma Schlepp has moved to a new assisted living home in Haviland. She would enjoy Christmas cards from her friends in Goodland. Her new address is 321 N. Main #7, Haviland, Kan. 67059.

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from **1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, 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. The center is always in need of host and hostesses from 1 to 4 p.m. on Sundays. Once again the center will have its Christmas Shop selling Christmas ornaments, woodwork, paintings, jewelry, organic doggie treats made by local artists. New are original satin ornaments with feather nut florals, AlBo glass ornaments, original Santa icicle ornaments and homemade goodies. Also available are locally authored books and CD's, hand-crocheted afghans, hand-knitted baby clothes, original jewelry, pottery and cards.

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.

Goodland Alcoholics Anonymous meets at **8 p.m. Monday,**

the calendar

calendar

The **free Holiday Matinees at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday** will be "Monster House" at the Sherman Theatre, 1203 Main. "Night at the Museum" will show on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 20 and 21.

Prairie Land Food distribution is from **10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 20,** at the Goodland Elks Lodge back door. Anyone interested in seeing the food may stop in on distribution day.

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.

Eternity Focus will give a free

concert at **3 p.m. on Sunday** at the Student Union Assembly Room at the Northwest Kansas Technical College. It is sponsored by Calvary Gospel Church.

Sherman County Kansans for Life will meet at **6:30 p.m. on Tuesday** at the Rock House.

A **Farm Bill Informational meeting** will be held at **9:30 a.m. on Thursday** at the Sherman County 4-H building. Farmers and rancher will be given new eligibility criteria and new legislation on commodity, livestock, price support, conservation and disaster programs. For information call (785) 899-3070.

senior menu

Today: Tater tot casserole, corn, bread and heavenly hash. **Monday:** Smothered steak, gold rush casserole, peas and carrots, bread and rosy pears. **Tuesday:** Chicken fajita salad, citrus slices, tortilla chips and bread pudding.

school menu

Today: Macaroni and cheese with meat, beets, whole wheat roll, frosted banana and milk. **Monday:** Cook's choice. **Tuesday:** Ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, whole wheat roll, strawberry gelatin and milk.

school calendar
Today: Gold day. 1 p.m., varsity wrestling at Colby Invitational. Topside Tip-off Tournament. **Saturday:** 7 a.m., varsity wrestling at Colby Invitational. ACT test. High school Kansas Music Educators Association at Hays. Topside Tip-off Tournament. **Monday:** Black day. 3 p.m., junior varsity basketball tournament. First round junior high league basketball tournament. 7 p.m., high school band and vocal concert in high school auditorium. **Tuesday:** Gold day. 3 p.m., varsity, junior varsity C team basketball at Hays High.

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.

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: Avis Alcorn, a.m., Jan Lambertz, p.m. and Mazie Sutton, courtesy. **Monday:** Fern Heckman, a.m. and Sutton, courtesy. **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.

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

obituaries

Peter Alexander Jensen

Peter Alexander Jensen, Sr., 90, lifelong Sherman County farmer, died Thursday, Dec. 11, 2008, at Goodland Good Samaritan.



Jensen

He was born on Dec. 11, 1918, to Jens and Ellen Mary (West) Jensen at his grandfather's house southwest of Goodland. Mr. Jensen attended schools in rural Sherman County.

From April 1, 1942 to December 22, 1945, he served in the army. On February 4, 1943, he and Ruth Elisabeth Notz were married at Goodland.

He was a member of the Goodland Veterans of Foreign Wars and Goodland American Legion.

Preceding him in death were his parents; three sisters, Roberta Strange, Vera Hoss and Verna Hoss; three brothers, Bill Butts, John Butts and Neil Butts; a grandson, Chris Jensen.

Survivors include his wife of

the home, two sons, Luther Jensen and his friend Kathy Skinner and Peter (Kay) Jensen Jr., all of St. Francis; three daughters, Ruth (Dick) Stramel of Stratton, Stratton, Colo., Bonny Walt and her friend Carl Kaiser of Quinter and Judi (Greg) Nemechek of Goodland; a sister, Betty Wegner of Goodland; a brother, Dan (Georgia) Butts of Edson; 15 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 13, 2008, at Koon Chapel, 211 N. Main, Goodland, and burial with military honors at the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation is from 9 a.m. till services on Saturday at the funeral home.

Memorials to Goodland Good Samaritan or Hospice Services of Sherman County may be left at the funeral home.

Robert Hines

Robert Hines, 80, retired Goodland employee of Southwest Bell Telephone Company, died Sunday, Dec. 7, 2008.

He was born on May 12, 1928, to Eugene and Mary Hines in Moberly, Mo. Mr. Hines attended school and graduated in 1946 from Leavenworth High School. He served in the Army from 1951 to 1952.

On Dec. 22, 1957, he and Betty Talley were married in Leavenworth. The couple moved to Goodland in 1958. He retired for the telephone company in 1993.

Mr. Hines was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Elks, Communications Workers of American and Telephone Pioneer.

He enjoyed listening to and watching baseball games and sending time

with his family especially his two grandsons. Mr. Hines enjoyed visiting every week by phone with his former phone workers.

Preceding him in death were his parents and a sister-in-law, Shirley Bowen.

Survivors include his wife of the home, a daughter, Barb (LeRoy) Thomas of Goodland; a brother, William (Jeanette) Hines of Coushatta, La.; and two grandsons.

Services will at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, Dec. 12, 2008, at Bateman Funeral Home, 211 E. 11, Goodland and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation was from 1 to 6 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 11, 2008.

Memorials to be designated later may be sent to the funeral home.

Phillip Emil Krien

Phillip Emil Krien, 90, Parker, Colo., former Cheyenne County farmer, died Monday, Dec. 8, 2008, in Parker.

He was born on Sept. 1, 1918, to George and Carolina (Walz) Krien in St. Francis. Mr. Krien was a retired grocery store clerk.

Preceding him in death were his parents, a son, Arlen in 1972; a grandson, Bobby Krien in 1999; three brothers, Fred G. Krien, John Krien and Louie Krien; and two sisters, Emma Bier and Nettie Hamala.

Survivors include his wife, Lydia (Zweygardt) of the home; a son, Gary Krien of Salina; two daughters, Elaine (Kenneth) Willt of Holyrood and Marlene (Dwayne) Reynolds of Parker; a brother, Ferdinand (Chloris) Krien of St. Francis; six grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10 a.m. (Mountain Time) on Friday, Dec. 12, 2008, at Peace Lutheran Church, 202 N. College, St. Francis and burial in the St. Francis Cemetery.

Visitation was on Thursday, Dec. 11, 2008, at Knodel Funeral Home, 202 S. Benton, St. Francis.

Memorials for the National Rifle Association may be made to the funeral home.

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 fine.

Aug. 23, 2006: Ashleigh A. Grigalus, 23, Gaithersburg, Md., \$219 for speeding.
Sept. 15, 2006: Dorothea Johnson, 44, Las Vegas, \$165 for speeding.

Oct. 20, 2007: Latosha Marshall, 27, Little Rock, Ark., \$160 for speeding.

Nov. 3, 2007: Tracey D. Mears, 48, Evansville, Ind., \$129 for speeding and \$30 for not wearing a seat belt.

The Goodland United Methodist Church invites you to join us for our **Christmas Eve Candlelight & Communion Worship** December 24th at 6:00pm (MST) All are welcome! 12th & Sherman • Goodland, KS • (785) 899-3631

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

Oct. 2 — 1:43 p.m., Louann Marie Medrano, 21, Greeley, Colo. Arrested by sheriff deputy on warrant for other agency. Released to other agency.

Oct. 6 — 11:12 a.m., Michael Keith Hartzell, 28, Goodland. Arrested by sheriff deputy on warrant. Released to other agency.

Oct. 7 — 9:33 a.m., Brandy Rhiannon Jackson, 28, Goodland. arrested by city police on a warrant. Bond supplied.

7:40 p.m., Peter Hopkins, 36, Goodland. Arrested by sheriff deputy for warrant. Released on own recognizance.

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Thank You Friends!

Thank you, to everyone, who made my 90th birthday party a happy time for me. Thank you to the daughters for all their help. We'll have another party in 2018!

Joan Hartley

TEXAS RED'S BAR-B-Q
will be at Frontier Ag in Goodland on Monday, December 15 to Friday, December 19.
Beef brisquet • Turkey Breast • Chicken Halves • Sausages • Pork Ribs
Fountain Drinks, chips and snacks also available inside!
*Formerly Frontier Equity Exchange in Goodland

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1018 Main Street
Downtown Goodland
11 AM to 9 PM Sunday-Thursday
11 AM to 10 PM-Friday & Saturday

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* tanning products
* body jewelry
* popular flip-flops

We also offer gift certificates for:
* tanning
* movies
* games

Happy Holidays from all of us!