

student news

Emma Cress of Weskan who is a junior majoring in athletic training received Collegiate Scholar distinction for the fall 2009 semester at Northwestern College of Orange City, Iowa. The list includes students who achieved a semester grade point average of 3.75 or above while carrying 12 hours.

activities

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

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. Tuesday through Saturday, 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday and 1 to 6 p.m. on Monday** at 120 W. 12th. The center is always in need of hosts and hostesses from on Sundays. New monthly exhibits and you are invited to visit the gift shop.

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 kids, ages 3 to 6, are Wednesday mornings 10 to 11 a.m., Wednesday afternoon 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. or Thursday morning 10 to 11 a.m. For information call (785) 899-5461 or stop by the library.

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** from September to May at the First Baptist Church, 12th and Main.

Diabetes Support Group meets at **4 p.m. the last Tuesday** of each month in the large board room at Goodland Regional Medical Center.

the calendar

calendar

Prairie Land Food distribution is from 10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 30, at the Goodland Elks Lodge back door. For information call 821-4364 pr 899-8281 or order online at www.prairielandfood.com.

The **Tuesday Flick** for this week is “Shall We Dance” (2004) at **1:30 p.m. on Tuesday** at the Goodland Public Library,, 812 Broadway.

Saturday Children’s Art Classes are from **10 to 11 a.m. on Saturdays, Jan. 23 and 30**, at the Carnegie Arts Center. The classes will be taught by Hannah Schlosser. At the Jan. 23rd class students will work with uncooked noodles and beans. At the Jan. 30th class students will be creating their favorite three-dimensional character out of assorted craft materials.

The Community Partnership for Prevention and Education is having a town hall meeting on **prescription medicine abuse at 7 p.m. on Wednesday** at the Elk’s Lodge, 1523 Arcade. There will be prizes, snacks and a panel of local professionals who have expertise in the growing problem of prescription medicine abuse.

Kansas Day, Friday, Jan. 29, will be observed at **10 a.m. at the Bird City Legion Hall**. Registration will start at 10 a.m. and a potluck lunch will be at noon.

The **Jump Rope for Heart** event for elementary, junior high and high school students will be from **10 to noon on Saturday**,

Jan. 30, at the Goodland Activities Center, 808 Main. For information call 890-7242 or (785) 821-4344 or clivengood@usd352.k12.ks.us.

The Girls Scouts will have their **annual cookie sale from Saturday to Sunday, Feb. 1**. To contact someone for cookies call 821-1720 or 899-7329.

For assistance with comparing plans for the open enrollment for the **Medicare Prescription Drug Program** call the Sherman County Health Department at (785) 890-4888 or call Carol Guyer at (785) 899-5908 or (785) 821-1626. Open enrollment runs until Thursday, Dec. 31.

senior menu

Today: Baked spaghetti, broccoli salad, corn, garlic bread and mixed fruit. **Monday:** Sloppy joes, hash brown casserole, carrots, bun and cinnamon apple slices. **Tuesday:** Meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, peas, bread and peaches. **Wednesday:** Oven fried chicken, pasta salad with vegetables, potato wedges, bread and strawberry shortcake. **Thursday:** Chef salad, five cup salad, bread sticks and brownies. **Friday:** Chili, tropical fruit, cracker and cinnamon roll.

school menu

Today: Chili, crackers, cinnamon rolls, peaches and milk. **Monday:** Corn dogs, tator tots, pickle spear, half a banana and milk. **Tuesday:** Chicken patty sandwich, lettuce, pickle, baked beans, rosy applesauce and milk.

Wednesday: Macaroni and cheese with meat, peas, banana bread, half an apple and milk. **Thursday:** Tator tot casserole, green beans, whole wheat roll, spiced pear and milk. **Friday:** Pizza, lettuce salad, corn, brownie and milk.

school calendar

Today: Orange and Black Classic Basketball Tournament. 2 p.m., varsity wrestling at Hays Senior Prairie Classic Wrestling. **Saturday:** Orange and Black Classic Basketball Tournament at Colby. 8:30 a.m. varsity wrestling at Hays Senior Prairie Classic Wrestling. 8:30 a.m., junior varsity wrestling at Atwood Wrestling Tournament. 9 a.m., Mustang Wrestling Invitational. 9:30 a.m., seventh and eighth grade basketball at Burlington. **Monday:** 12:30 p.m., junior high scholars’ bowl at Brewster. 3:30 p.m., high school scholars’ bowl at Brewster. 3:30 p.m., seventh and eighth grade basketball at St. Francis. Central Soup Supper. 7 p.m., Board of Education meeting. **Tuesday:** 3:30 p.m., junior high wrestling at Colby. 3:45 p.m., varsity, junior varsity and c team basketball against Norton. **Wednesday:** Black day. Family, Community and Career Leaders of America District A Star Events in Hoxie. **Thursday:** Gold day. 3:30 p.m., seventh and eighth grade basketball at Quinter. 5:30 p.m., varsity and junior varsity wrestling against Burlington. **Friday:** 3/45 p.m., varsity, junior varsity and c team basketball against Oberlin.

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.

The **Goodland Activities Center** has the following activities. Monday: 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins and 5 p.m. taekwondo. Tuesday: 5:30 a.m., boot camp style aerobics with Tiffini. Wednesday: 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins, starting at 4 p.m. taekwondo classes and 5:30 p.m. aerobics with Lisa Malsom. Thursday: 5:30 a.m., boot camp style aerobics with Tiffini. Friday: 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tina Tompkins and starting at 5 p.m. taekwondo classes. For information call 890-7242.

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.

Goodland Adult Children of Alcoholics meets at **6 p.m. on Fridays** at 1013 Center. For information call Laura or Marilyn at 821-4277 or 821-2862.

The “Freedom Today” group of **Narcotics Anonymous** meets at **8 p.m. Tuesdays and 8 p.m. Fridays** at 1013 Center. Call 890-8369.

Bird City Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at **6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Fridays** at the Senior Center on 4th Street. **Narcotics Anonymous meets at 6:30 (Mountain Time) on Tuesdays** at the Senior Center. Call (785) 734-2734 for more information.

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 **USS Maddox Destroyer Association** (DD731, DD622 and DD 168) will have its reunion on Thursday, Aug. 26 to Sunday, Aug. 29, in Philadelphia, Pa. For information contact Dennis Stokhaug, 571 W. 14562, Muskego, Wis. 53150 or call (262) 679-9409 or email maddox64@aol.com.

Dane G. Hansen Museum, 110 W. Main, Logan will the exhibit “Sum of the Parts, Surface Design” beginning on Friday, Dec. 11, 2009 and runs till Sunday, Feb. 7, 2009. The works are hand dyed, woven, knitted, crocheted, quilted, batiked, rusted, composted, digitally printed, hand stitched, painted, discharged, fused, appliques, hooked, Jacquard woven, collaged, stamped, braided, screen printed, bonded, felted, embroidered, waxed and pieced. Museum hours are Monday through Friday 8 to 11 a.m. and noon to 3 p.m. (Mountain Time), Saturdays 8 to 11 a.m. and noon to 4 p.m. (Mountain Time) and Sundays and Holidays noon to 4 p.m. (Mountain Time). 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.

thrift store

Anyone wanting to donate to the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop should call 890-2007. Please no clothing at the present time.

obituaries

Ruby Mae Mueller

Ruby Mae Mueller, 96, former Bird City homemaker, died Monday, Jan. 18, 2010, at Wheat Ridge Retirement Community of Goodland.

She was born on Aug. 4, 1913, the fifth child of Mary Elizabeth (Murphy) and William Henry Elliott in Franklin County, Neb. Her family moved to a farm northwest of Bird City in April 1917. Mrs. Mueller attended Green Ridge Country School and in 1931 graduated from Bird City High School and then taught at country schools for eight years.

On July 31, 1938, she and Iron Henry “Dutch” Muller were married. The couple lived on a farm briefly and then moved to a home in Bird City until 2004 when she moved to Wheat Ridge.

Mrs. Mueller was a member of the Immanuel United Methodist Church of Bird City where she served on several church boards and held various offices. She was a member of the Northwest Kansas Vocational-Technical School’s

Endowment Association Board of Trustees, Bird City Library Board, Federated Club and a 4-H leader. After her husband’s death she became active in the operation of the family’s farms and continued to perform a role in the business.

Preceding her in death were her husband on Oct. 4, 1980; three sisters, Leta Anders, Bertha Snider and Ruth Mackey; and two brothers, Roy Elliott and William Elliott.

Survivors include two daughters, Janice Phipps of Goodland and Vicky (Gary) Thomas of Cheyenne, Wyo.; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10 a.m. (Mountain Time) on Friday, Jan. 22, 2010, at the church in Bird City and burial in the Bird City Cemetery.

Visitation is from noon to 6 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 21, 2010, at Knodel Funeral Home, 202 S. Benton, St. Francis.

Memorials to the church or talking books may be left at the funeral home.

Max Alderman

Max Alderman, 81, retired Goodland public servant, died Saturday, Jan. 16, 2010.

He was born on July 22, 1928, to Hal and Dorothy (Lawrence) Alderman at Lyons. When he was in his teens he traveled with his grandfather John Lawrence from Lyons to the farm in Sherman County. After two years at K-State, he served his country in the Army. In September of 1951 he was honorably discharged after serving in Japan and Korea and returned to Sherman County.

As a member and also as president of Friends of Cedar Crest, he gave untiring service toward the restoration of the Governor’s Mansion in Topeka during the governorships of Mike Hayden, Joan Finney, Bill Graves and Kathleen Sebelius.

In addition to agriculture, he

had a desire for information in philosophy, theology and history and he enjoyed his studies at the University of Denver and Colorado University. He enjoyed traveling in many countries, especially England to visit his brother.

Preceding him in death were his parents.

Survivors include a sister, Deanna Alderman of Arvada, Colo. and a brother, John R. “Bob” Alderman of London, England.

The body was cremated and there will be no service.

Memorials may be made to the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter or to the Northwest Kansas Technical College Endowment Association for scholarships and may be sent to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland.

Jack J. Kamper

Jack J. Kamper, 73, retired owner of Kamper Liquor, died Saturday, Dec. 26, 2009, at his home.

He was born on July 18, 1936, to Cornelius and Freda Ellen (Shaggett) Kamper in Denver.

Mr. Kamper had been an instructor at Northwest Kansas Technical College.

Preceding him in death were his parents.

Private burial was in the Goodland Cemetery.

Memorials to the Jack Kamper Memorial may be sent to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland.

Henry David Hawks

Henry David Hawks, 95, retired truck driver for the Goodland Co-Op, died Wednesday, Jan. 20, 2010 at Good Samaritan Society — Sherman County of Goodland.

He was born on Jan. 26, 1914, to Vincent Otto and Dessa Florence (Linnell) Hawks at Almena. In 1932 he graduated from Ruleton High School of Ruleton.

On July 29, 1933, he and Pearl Virginia Brannick were married in Hill City and the couple lived in Goodland.

Mr. Hawks belonged to the Church of the Nazarene of Goodland.

Preceding him in death were his wife; his parents; two infant sons, Vincent Hawks and Gary Hawks; a son, Richard Hawks; a granddaughter, Michele Bevier; a great-grandson, Mikel George; two sisters, Violet Roeder Lampe and Lelah Schweitzer; and four brothers, Orville Hawks, Lyle Hawks, Cloyd Hawks and Lowell Hawks.

Survivors include two daughters,

Marjorie (Warren) Bevier of Prairie Grove, Ark. and Beverly (Curtis) Hurd of Goodland; a son,

David (Lynda) Hawks of Yreka, Calif.; three sisters, Beulah McClung and Zona (Dale) Price, both of Goodland, and Ina Mae (Glenn) Guinn of Loveland, Colo.; eight grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; four great great-grandchildren; and numerous step great-grandchildren and step great great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, Jan. 25, 2010, at the church, 305 Caldwell, Goodland, with the Rev. Robert Willis officiating and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation if from 3 to 5 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 24, 2010, at Koons Chapel, 211 N. Main, Goodland. Memorials to the church or the Goodland Cemetery Tree Fund may be left at the funeral home.

Larry F. Milke

Larry F. Milke, 60, Goodland contractor and owner of B & L Construction and Repair, died Monday, Jan. 18, 2010, at St. Luke’s Presbyterian Hospital of Denver.

He was born on June 6, 1949, to Francis Joseph and Alice (Mermis) Milke in Russell. In 1967, he graduated from Gorham High School and served in the Army from Jan. 25, 1968 to Jan. 9, 1970.

Mr. Milke was a member of the Goodland Veterans of Foreign Wars and enjoyed woodworking, riding his Harley and watching sports.

Preceding him in death were his father and a brother, Gary Milke.

Survivors include two daughters,

Danyale (J.L. Wilson) Nothdurft of Kanorado and Misty (Jerrold Burk)

Milke of Goodland; a son, Kevin (Crystal) Milke of Goodland; his mother of Victoria; a sister Debbie (Randy) Knobbe of Powell, Wyo.; and 12 grandchildren.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 23, 2010, at Koons Chapel, 211 N. Main, Goodland with Dr. Chet Ross officiating and burial with military honors in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3 to 7 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 22, 2010, at the funeral home.

Memorials to the American Heart Association may be left at the funeral home.



Hawks



Milke

Coletta Susan Soellner

Coletta Susan Soellner, 93, longtime Goodland resident, died Tuesday, Jan. 19, 2010, at Wheat Ridge Acres of Goodland.

She was born on Sept. 15, 1916, to Peter and Elizabeth (Rebein) Arensdorf at Willowdale. She attended school at Willowdale and then in 1972, she earned her General Equivalency Diploma.

On Oct. 9, 1935, she and James Frank Soellner were married at Willowdale and the couple made their home in Sherman County.

Mrs. Soellner belonged to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church of Goodland, Our Lady’s Guild, Daughters of Isabella, Dominican Associates and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary.

Preceding her in death were her husband; two sons, Bob Soellner and Jerry Soellner; a daughter, Janice Soellner; a granddaughter, Dayna Soellner; five brothers, Leo Arensdorf, George Arensdorf, John Arensdorf, James Arensdorf and

Anthony Arensdorf; and a sister, Josephine Arensdorf.

Survivors include two sons, Kenny (Connie) Soellner of Goodland and Jim (Sally) Soellner of National City, Calif.; a daughter, Mary (Tom) Butler of Goodland; a sister, Agnes Rabe of Spearville; sisters-in-laws, Marcella Arensdorf of Kingman and Gen Laggert of Wichita; a daughter-in-law, Shirley Soellner of

Goodland; 19 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and two great great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 23, 2010, at the church, 307 W. 13, Goodland, with father Norbert Dlabal and Father Daryl Olmstead officiating and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation is from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 22, 2010, at the church with vigil and rosary at 7 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the church and left at Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland.

Inez Lucille Blain

Inez Lucille (Rice) Blain, 85, Albuquerque, N.M., former resident of Brewster, died on her 85th birthday, Saturday, Jan. 16, 2010, in Albuquerque.

She was born on Jan. 16, 1925, to Elwood Amos and Aurelia Maude (Clifford) Rice at Brewster.

In 1941 she and Rex Blain were married and they moved to Albuquerque in 1952. They worked for many years at Automotive Electric.

Mrs. Blain was a member of Sandia Baptist Church of Albuquerque.

Preceding her in death were her husband; an infant son, Douglas Blain; two infant grandsons; and all nine of her brothers and sisters.

Survivors include four sons, Dennis (Christine) Blain, Jack (Brenda) Blain, Jarrett Blain and Cpl. Brian Blain; a daughter, Jennifer; and five grandchildren.

A memorial service was held at the church of Albuquerque and private burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

Memorials to the Inez Blain Memorial may be sent to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland.

Classifieds work!
899-2338

God Bless,
Blayze, Randy, Kathy, Bryce and Brett Babe

Come dance and help celebrate Marie Edward's 86th birthday
Sunday, January 24
Goodland VFW Hall
6-10 p.m.
Music-Swing and Country (Polka, Waltz, Western Swing, Line, etc.)

ATTENTION!
As of February 1, City of Goodland utility bills are envelopes, not postcards. If you have any questions, please call the City at (785) 890-4512.