

card showers

Roger Collins is recuperating at Citizens Medical Center, 100 E College Dr., Colby 67701 and would like to hear from his friends.

Friends of **Peggy Bagley** are requesting that cards be sent to her. She is at Wesley Medical Center, 550 North Hillside Street, Building 4, Room 424, Wichita, Kan. 67214.

Jeannie James will be 90 on Thursday, July 8, and friends are requesting that cards be sent to her at Valley View Manor, Box 630, Saratoga, Wyo. 82331.

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 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. 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.

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., aerobics with Jessica. Wednesday: 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins, 9 a.m., low impact aerobics with Jessica, starting at 4 p.m. taekwondo classes and 5:30 p.m. aerobics with Lisa Malsom. Thursday: 5:30 a.m., aerobics with Jessica. 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 Pat T. at 890-3915 or Laura at 821-4277.

Goodland A1-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, 8 p.m. Fridays and 8 p.m. on Sundays** at 1013 Center. Call 890-8369.

Bird City Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at **6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Fridays** at the

the calendar

calendar

The Sherman Theatre will have **summer matinees at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday**. The movie playing will be "Shrek the Third" PG. The movie for next week is "Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian" PG.

Celebrate Fridays from noon to 1 p.m. (weather permitting) every Friday at the Carnegie Arts Center, 120 W. 12th, by bringing a sack lunch to the center, sit under the shade of the trees, eat lunch and listen to live music by guitarist Joe Eli. Don't forget to visit the gift shop and monthly exhibit.

Prairie Land Food distribution is **1:30 to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday** at the Knights of Columbus, 7th and Caldwell. For information call 821-4364 pr 899-4278 or order online at www.prairielandfood.com. The Prairie Pak will have Italian grilling sausage, fully cooked beef steak strips, ham steak, boneless and skinless chicken breast fillets, sliced turkey break, tray pak of chicken thighs with seasonal non meat items and fruits and vegetables. The specials are baby back pork ribs, Italian dinner entrees, a steak box and chicken breast special.

On the Kiwanis sponsored **swim night for kids from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Thursday**, and Thursday, Aug. 12, the first 200 kids under 18 will have their admission to Steever Water Park paid for by the Goodland Kiwanis. Everyone can come to swim on those nights.

The Goodland Public Library will start its **Annual Book Sale on Wednesday** and will run until Saturday, Aug. 14. The hours are from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday through Thursday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday and Saturday. Items for sale include hardback books, paperbacks, magazines, audio cassettes, video cassettes, DVDs, computers and lots of miscellaneous.

The **Second Music Art and Drama Camp** will be from **5:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Monday to Thursday, July 29**. This camp is for kids from five to 14 and is being sponsored by the First Christian Church, Disciples of Christ, 711 Arcade.

The **Sunflower Celebration** will be from 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Mountain Time) on **Friday, Aug. 13**, at the K-State Research and Extension Center at Colby.

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 Dane G. Hansen Museum, 110 W. Logan, Logan will have the exhibit **"Fragile Nature, Photographs by Joel Sartore"** to Sunday, Aug. 8. Museum hours are Monday through Friday 8 to 11 (Mountain Time) and noon to 3 p.m. (Mountain Time), Saturday 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. (Mountain Time) and Noon to 4 p.m. (Mountain Time), Sunday 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.

The Dane G. Hansen Museum, 110 W. Logan, Logan will have the exhibit **"The Science of Supercroc"** opens Sunday, Aug. 15, to Sunday, Nov. 7. Museum hours are Monday through Friday 8 to 11 (Mountain Time) and noon to 3 p.m. (Mountain Time), Saturday 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. (Mountain Time) and Noon to 4 p.m. (Mountain Time). For information call (785) 689-4846.

thrift store

Anyone wanting to donate to the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop, 1002 Main, should call 890-2007. The store is accepting all types of donations but please call to set up a time to drop off your donation.

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

Breakfast and lunch will be provided.

The Carnegie Arts Center, 120 W. 12th, will host the **Talent Show at the Annual Flatlander Festival** on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 25 and 26. The talent show is for groups or individuals aged four and up and all forms of talent are welcome including dance, vocal, instrumental, comedy routines, skits and recitations. Applications will be available in August.

senior menu

Today: Beef and noodles, green beans, beets, bread and cantaloupe. **Wednesday:** Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, cucumbers and tomatoes, bread and rosy pears. **Thursday:** Ham sandwich, tomato soup, gelatin with fruit, bread and blueberry crisp. **Friday:** Meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, pasta salad with vegetables, bread and peaches. **Monday:** Chili dog with cheese, Italian blend vegetables, applesauce, bun and cookie. **Tuesday:** Turkey with gravy, sweet potatoes, mixed fruit, bread and yogurt.

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:** courtesy Emma VanVleet. **Wednesday:** a.m. Shirley Hayden, p.m. Shelby Miller and courtesy Linda Woods. **Thursday:** a.m. Faye Paxton and courtesy VanVleet. **Friday:** a.m. Avis Alcorn and courtesy Woods. **Monday:** a.m. Fern Heckman, p.m. Jo Simmons and courtesy Woods. **Tuesday:** a.m. Connie Soellner and courtesy VanVleet.

yearbooks

If you have copies of any old Goodland High School, Sherman Community High School, Northwest Kansas Area Vocational Technical School or Northwest Kansas Technical College yearbooks that you are not using, the Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway, would appreciate the donation of such to their collection. Call (785) 899-5461.

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, 716 W. Business U.S. 24. Call Jeannie Topliff at 899-2426.

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 Colleen Wagner 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 890-4575 or go to www.petfinder.com and be sure to enter the Goodland zip code 67735. You can also call the Goodland Police Department at 890-4570.

obituaries

Doris Mae Rowland

Doris Mae Rowland, 87, Greeley, Colo., former resident of Brewster, died Monday, July 12, 2010, at her home in Greeley.

She was born on Aug. 3, 1922, to Clyde and Vera Jones at Brewster. Mrs. Rowland attended school at Brewster.

On Aug. 3, 1941, she and Albert Rowland were married at Brewster. The couple then moved to Ellis.

Preceding her in death were her parents; two brothers, Ralph Jones and Floyd Jones; and a sister, Evelyn Amos.

Survivors include her husband

of the home, a son, Larry (Sharon) Rowland of Greeley; two daughters, Sherri Kelm of Greeley and Rynthia (Jerry) Kohlbrecher of Kansas City, Mo.; five grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and several foster children.

A graveside inurnment service will be held at noon on Wednesday, July 21, 2010, at the Brewster Cemetery.

Memorials to the Hospice and Palliative Care of Northern Colorado at Greeley may be sent to Bateman Funeral Home, Box 278, Goodland.

Patricia Ann Weltz

Patricia Ann (Silkman) Weltz, 78, Burlington, 1951 graduate of Goodland High School, died Wednesday, July 14, 2010.

She was born on Nov. 26, 1933, to Arthur and Violet Fern Silkman at Goodland. She grew up on a farm southwest of Goodland and attended country school near her home. Mrs. Weltz was active in 4-H show calves, riding horses and caring for her pet pigs.

On July 2, 1950, she and Cletus Weltz were married at Goodland. The couple moved to Burlington in 1952.

Mrs. Weltz always worked outside the house yet was actively involved with her children's activities. She was a member of St. Catherine's Altar Society.

Preceding her in death were her parents; her sister, Delma Teel; a son, Arthur Weltz; a daughter, Diana; a granddaughter, Megan Ann Weltz; a great-granddaughter, Hope Brotherton; and a great-grandson,

Cash Brotherton.

Survivors include her husband of 60 years; a daughter Cynthia (Mike) Hagelstrom of Dazey, N.D.; two sons, Christopher (Kim) Weltz of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Stephen (Mona) Weltz, D.C. of Jefferson, Iowa; two brothers, Elton Silkman of Burlington and Leon Silkman; four grandsons, four granddaughters; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were at 10 a.m. on Monday, July 19, 2010, at the St. Catherine's Catholic Church, 450 3rd, Burlington with Father Kirk Slatery officiation and inurnment will be at a later date.

Vigil was at 7 p.m. on Sunday, July 18, 2010, at the church.

Memorials to St. Catherine's Catholic Church Altar Society may be sent to the Bank of Burlington, 410 14th, Burlington.

Arrangements were handled by Love Funeral Home, 377 15th, Burlington.

Inez A. Bennett

Inez A. Bennett, 95, Sherman County farmer and homemaker, died Wednesday, July 14, 2010, at the Good Samaritan Center.

She was born on Dec. 1, 1914, to George and Emma Fiechter and attended Edson Consolidated School graduating in 1933.

On Aug. 22, 1934, she and Harry Bennett were married in Goodland.

Mrs. Bennett was a member of the United Methodist Church, Methodist Quilters, Federated Womens Club, Edson Social Club and Llanos 4-H leader. She loved to volunteer for community services.

Preceding her in death were her husband; her parents; a son, Arden Bennett; a brother, Frank Fiechter; sisters, Edna, Marjory, Dorothy and Judy; and a son-in-law, Ron Callahan.

Survivors include a son, Eldon

(Carol) Bennett of Vermillion; two daughters, Avonell (Marty) Spomer of Goodland and Emalee Callahan of Edson; 13 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; seven step great-grandchildren; and a step great-great-grandchild.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, July 19, 2010, at the church, 12th and Sherman, Goodland, with burial in the Freeland Cemetery, north of the Pleasant Home Church in rural Sherman County.

Visitation is from 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, July 18, 2010, at Bateman Funeral Home, 211 E. 11th, Goodland.

Memorials to Freeland Cemetery Maintenance Fund or the United Methodist Quilting Ladies may be left at the funeral home.



Weltz



Bennett

country clovers 4-h

The monthly meeting of the Country Clovers 4-H club was held at the 4-H building on Monday, June 28. The meeting was called to order by President Garrett Nemechek. The flag salute and the 4-H pledge was led by Ella Ihrig. Ihrig also led the club in a song of "I am a Little Tea Pot." Secretary Megan Siruta did roll call and members answered by their favorite project in 4-H. There were 18 members, two leaders, one guest and six parents present.

Secretary Siruta read the minutes and they were approved as read. Treasurer Kelsey White gave the treasurer's report and it was received as read. Leaders Glenda Cochran and Rhea Daise discussed upcoming dates.

There was no unfinished business.

ness. For new business on Sunday, July 25, there will be a Country Clover 4-H club tour.

Jamie Nemechek had a demonstration on "How to make Trail Mix." White gave a talk about the dog project. Kaitlyn Daise gave a health and safety talk on "Heat Wave." Jamie Nemechek had the club members participate in a fun game of "Red Rover."

The meeting was adjourned by saying a club motto and putting up their chairs.

The Cochran family brought delicious refreshments that were enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be the 4-H club tour at 2 p.m. on Sunday, July 25.

Kaitlyn Daise, reporter

In Loving Memory

Our beloved husband, brother and friend, Dr. Raymond E. Finegan, age 63, made his final transition on 7/1/10 in the comfort of his home in Mt. Vernon, WA. Ray is survived by his devoted and loving wife of 26 years, Joanell Tylor-Finegan and younger brothers, James and Dr. Paul Finegan, currently residing in Colorado. Ray was born in Goodland, Kansas on 6/1/47 and is preceded in death by his parents, Willard and Leona Finegan. A celebration of his unique life will be held at Tazer Valley Farm (www.tazervalleyfarm.com) in Stanwood, WA on 7/30/10 at 6:00 PM.
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