

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.

**Vernice Leslie** will be turning 87 on Sunday and would like to hear from her friends. Send cards in care of Advance Health Care of Aurora, 1800 S. Potomac, Aurora, Colo. 80012. Her number is (720) 213-1700.

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. 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 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, 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 Senior Center on 4th Street. **Narcotics Anonymous** meets at 6:30 **(Mountain Time) on Tuesdays** at the Senior Center. Call (785) 734-

the calendar

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The Sherman Theatre will have **summer matinees at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday.** The movie playing will be "Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian" PG. The movie for Wednesday, Aug. 11, is "Alvin and the Chipmunks: The Squeakquel" 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.prairieland-food.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.

Come to the **singles and couple dance from 6 to 10 p.m. on Sunday** at the Goodland Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall, 824 Main. The music will be played by Swing and Country from Imperial, Neb.

On the Kiwanis sponsored **swim night for kids from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. on 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.** 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. 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:** 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. **Wednesday:** Salmon patty, green bean casserole, mandarin oranges, bread and cottage cheese salad. **Thursday:** Taco salad, strawberries and bananas, chips and brownie. **Friday:** Barbecue pork sandwich, potato wedges, carrot and raisin salad, bun and watermelon.

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), Sunday and holidays 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 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, in-

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

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

obituary

Melvin Harvey Harper

Melvin Harvey Harper, 87, Norton, brother of Lucy (Ron) Ackerman and Carol Tupper of Goodland, died Monday, July 19, 2010, at the Norton County Hospital.

He was born on May 12, 1923, to Harvey and Marie Harper at Miland, Mo. He grew up in Goodland in 1942 graduated from Sherman Community High School at Goodland. Mr. Harper was a veteran of the U.S. military.

On Sept. 8, 1948, he and Betty Jean Cayton were married in Oakley. The couple made their home in Oakley, Colby and Hays before moving to Norton where he worked for Southwestern Bell Telephone.

Mr. Harper was a member of the Masons, American Legion, Eagles and the Rotary Club.

Preceding him in death were his wife in Sept. 9, 2006; his parents;

three brothers and three sisters.

Survivors include four children, James Harper of Norton, Linda Melanine (Dennis) Molzahn of Independence, Mo.; Marilyn Harper of Shawnee and Lynn Harper of Norton; three other sisters, Joyce Dean of Oberlin, Erma Alger of Dodge City and Linda Hawks of Yreka, Calif.; six grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and a great great-grandchild.

Services will be 1 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Thursday, July 22, 2010, at the Norton Christian Church, 208 N. Kansas, Norton and burial in the Norton Cemetery.

Visitation was from 2 to 7 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Wednesday, July 21, 2010, at Enfield Funeral Home, 215 W. Main, Norton.

Memorials in his name may be sent to the funeral home.



Brenden Files and Cody Pettibone

Couple plans to wed

Cody Pettibone of Kanorado and Brenden Files of Burlington plan to marry on Saturday, Sept. 4, 2010 in Burlington.

Her parents are Greg and Sally

Pettibone of Kanorado and his parents are Shelli Huddleston of Burlington and Bert and Deb Files of Holly, Colo.

Daughter joins Monument family

Halee Joy Johnson was born on Saturday, July 12, 2010, at Citizens Medical Center at Colby. She weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces and was 21 inches long.

Her parents are Tom and Valerie Johnson of Monument and

her grandparents are Rod and Janis Martins of Curtis, Neb.; Carol Johnson of Colorado Springs, Colo.; and Dale Johnson of Sharon Springs.

She is welcomed home by siblings Andelyn, Jaelle and Brynn.

## Canned Goods For Relay For Life 2010

Please donate canned goods to the following locations for this years Relay for Life so that we may use them to keep our luminaries in place. There are collection bins at the following locations:

**Gleason's Chiropractic**  
**First National Bank**  
**Prairie Rose Floral Co.**  
**Jacque's Hallmark Store**  
**The Goodland Star-News**

The canned goods that are donated will be given to the Genesis Program here in Goodland following the conclusion of Relay for Life. Please help in collecting canned goods not only for one cause but two.

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