

card shower

The family is requesting a card shower for **Evelyn Kling** who will celebrate her 102nd birthday today. Cards may be sent to her at Goodland Samaritan Society — Sherman County, 208 W. 2nd Apt. 210, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

**Dee and Shelby (Hunt) Miller** will be married 50 years today. Cards may be sent to them at Box 892, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

student news

Skylyne Fulwider of Brewster received her Bachelor of Business Administration in management from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

Melissa Baird of Goodland received her Bachelor of Science in elementary education from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

Maurice Bennett of Goodland received his Bachelor of General Studies from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

Brock Einspahr of Goodland received his Bachelor of Science in technology studies (industrial technology) from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

Christopher Foltz of Goodland received his Master of Business Administration in leadership studies from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

Dual Rall of Goodland received his Bachelor of Science in technology studies (industrial technology) from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

Chantel Thornburg of Goodland received her Bachelor of Fine Arts in art (graphic design) from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

Jace Young of Goodland received his Bachelor of Business Administration in management from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

Jade Sexson of Weskan received his Bachelor of Science in medical diagnostic imaging (ultrasound) from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

Teegan Callicrate of Wheeler received a Bachelor of Business Ad-

the calendar

calendar

**Prairie Land Food** distribution is 1 to 2 p.m. on Saturday at the Knights of Columbus, 7th and Caldwell, or the Bernadine Johnson residence, located at 704 Walnut. For information call 821-1827, 821-1275, or 890-3793, or order online at [www.prairieland-food.com](http://www.prairieland-food.com).

There will be historical readings and a stained-glass window dedication at **3:30 p.m. on Sunday** at the **Ennis-Handy House**, 202 W. 13th, Goodland. You will need to bring lawn chairs. There will be a

band concert and ice cream and iced tea.

There will be a **Singles Dance from 6 to 10 p.m. on Sunday** at the Goodland Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall. The music is swing and country. Couples are welcome and it's \$8 per person.

**Tuesday Flicks** are at **1:30 p.m.** at the **Goodland Public Library**, 812 Broadway. Call the library for the title of the movie at 899-5461.

senior menu

**Today:** Baked spaghetti, green beans, cantaloupe, garlic bread

and cook's choice complement. **Monday:** Hamburger, potato salad, baked beans, bun and watermelon. **Tuesday:** Ham, saucy sweet potatoes, cottage cheese salad, bread and mixed fruit. **Wednesday:** Country fried beef steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, California blend vegetables, bread and gelatin with fruit. **Thursday:** Cook's choice entree, potatoes Romanoff, peas, bread and ambrosia fruit salad. **Friday:** Baked fish, macaroni and cheese, tomatoes and cucumbers, bread and pears.

ministration in accounting (public accounting) from Fort Hays State University after the spring 2012 semester.

activities

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

The **High Plains Museum**, 1717 Cherry Ave., is open from **9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Wednesday through Saturday and from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday**. Closed Tuesdays.

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**. 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.

The **Good Sam Family Support Council** meets at **7 p.m.** the second Thursday of every month at the Goodland Elks Lodge. Meetings are open to all interested people. For information call 890-3117 or 890-5936.

**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.

**Cancer Support Group** meets at **3 p.m. on the third Thursday** of each month at the Goodland Regional Medical in the large board room. Group open to any cancer patient, survivor, caregiver and family members. Call Tina Goodwin at (785) 890-6036.

The **Goodland Activities Center** has the following activities. **Monday:** 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins, 5 p.m. taekwondo and 5:30 p.m. group exercise with Lisa Malsom. **Tuesday:** 5:30 a.m., workout with Grady Bonsall. **Wednesday:** 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins, 9:30 a.m. low impact class with Sarah King, 4 p.m. taekwondo classes and 5:30 p.m. aerobics with Lisa Malsom. **Thursday:** 5:30 a.m., workout with Grady Bonsall. **Friday:** 5:30 a.m. aerobics with Tena Tompkins, 9:30 a.m. low impact exercise group with Sarah King and starting at 5 p.m. taekwondo classes. For information call 890-7242. Certified personal training offered with Kyla Sheldon. Memberships options for everyone including day passes for \$5. Visit [goodlandgac.com](http://goodlandgac.com) or stop by 808 Main.

**Weight Watchers** meets at **5:30 p.m. for weigh in** and 6 p.m. for the meeting every **Tuesday** at the Right Combination Dance Studio, 902 W. Hwy. 24. For information call (785) 890-3285 or visit [dance.com.](http://rightcombination-</a></p>
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**Goodland Alcoholics Anonymous**, 1013 Center. If you drink alcohol, that's your business. If you want to stop, we can help. Call 821-3826 pr 728-7491.

**Goodland Al-Anon AFG** meets at **6 p.m. on Fridays** at First Christian Church, 711 Arcade. For information call Alice or Marilyn at 890-5914 or 821-2862.

The **Incognito Group**. If alcohol has made your life unmanageable and you find yourself powerless. Our group meets at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday in Goodland. Talking about it is the first step. Call for our meeting place (303) 905-3817, (785) 728-7022 and (785) 728-2120. Leave a message and number and we will get back to you.

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) 734-2734 for more information.

**Stratton "AA by the Book" Alcoholics Anonymous** group meets at **7 p.m. Thursdays** for beginners open meeting. Filies 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 Lola 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.

Woman to celebrate her 95th birthday

Alberta Hayden will celebrate her 95th birthday Saturday, June 30, with a family dinner hosted by her son Ben of Norman, Okla., and daughter Gaylene Shank of Goodland, and their families.

Alberta was born June 30, 1917, at Lucas. She moved with her family to rural Wallace County Oct 29, 1929. She and her husband, William B. Hayden, Jr. made their home on their farm south of Ruleton after their marriage in 1942. They moved to Goodland in 1995. Bill passed away in 1998.

Alberta has two grandchildren: Tiffany Musil of Louisburg and Cade Shank of Hays; and three great-grandchildren, Megan Scott of Hays, and Hannah Jones and Zachary Musil of Louisburg.

Birthday wishes may be mailed



Alberta Hayden

to her at 521 W. 8th Street, Apt. 2, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

birth

Lavere James Cullens

Lavere James Cullens was born at 7:21 a.m. on Friday, May 25, 2012, at Wesley Medical Center in Wichita. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long.

His parents are Eric and Casey Cullens of South Haven and his grandparents are Larry and Brenda Bacon of South Haven and Dan and Connie Cullens of Goodland. Great-grandparents include James and Virginia Bacon of South Haven, Ted Flauding and the late Doris Flauding of Hunnewell and Marcella Cullen and the late Lavere Cullens of Sharon Springs.

L.J. was welcomed home by siblings Alivia, Landon and Courtlyn, all of South Haven. He has three sisters, Paige and Erica Cullen of Goodland and Marlo Jensen of Saint Francis.



Lavere Cullens

obituaries

Alice Lucille Nemechek

Alice Lucille Nemechek, 81, Ness City, former Goodland resident, died Monday, June 18, 2012, at her home.

She was born March 14, 1931, to Linwina (Yonker) and Isidore Kreutzer in Ellis County. Mrs. Nemechek attended Ellis County Public Schools.

On Aug. 31, 1948, she and Leo Eugene Nemechek were married in Ellis County and they made their home in Goodland.

Mrs. Nemechek was a member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church and St. Ann's Circle in Goodland and Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Ness City. She also belonged to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary and Women's Bowling Association and was a volunteer with Meals on Wheels.

After the death of her husband on Nov. 8, 1992, she continued to live in Goodland. In 2004 she moved to Ness City to be closer to her daughter.

Preceding her in death were her husband; her parents; two brothers, LeRoy Kreutzer and Kenny Kreutzer; and a granddaughter, Jill Medina.



Nemechek

Survivors include a daughter, Diane (David) Medina of Ness City; two sons Tim (Michelle) Nemechek of Ulysses and Dan (Kim) Nemechek of Olathe; five sisters, Anna Sander of Englewood, Colo., Verla (Roger) Stab of Hays, Millie Flax of Hays, Neola Schmidtberger of Russell and Ferma (Jim) Pfannenstiel of WaKeeney; two brothers, LeRoy (Sandy) Kreutzer of Hays and Mrvin Kreutzer of Bennett, Colo.; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 21, 2012, at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, 307 W. 13, Goodland, with Father Norbert Dlabal presiding and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

Vigil and rosary will be at 9 a.m. on Thursday, June 21, 2012, at the church.

Visitation was from 3 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 20, 2012, at Koons Chapel, 211 N. Main, Goodland.

Memorials may be made to the church.

Ernest E. "Shorty" Baker

Ernest E. "Shorty" Baker, 93, Sharon Springs, died Tuesday, June 19, 2012, at Wallace County Community Care Center in Sharon Springs.

He was born Jan. 2, 1919, to Agnus M. (Greenfield) and Elza Baker in Denver. Mr. Baker attended Edison School No. 54 at Yoder, Colo.

Mr. Baker worked with the Civilian Conservation Corps and the Rio Grande Railroad and then in 1939 he worked for Sam Franklin at his farm and dairy in Elbert County, Colo. In 1940 he and Wilma Franklin, Sam's daughter, were married, but later divorced. From 1939 to 1945 he served his country in the U.S. Army.

On April 29, 1955, he and Alice Lucille King-Brooks were married at Raton, N.M. They made their home in Sublette, where he worked for Haskell County Road Department. To this union were born Debbie Michael, Ernest and James and to join them were Alice's children Donald Moser, Joan Moser and Janet Moser.

In 1974 he began working for the Sherman County Road Department and later for the Wallace County Cop. Alice died on Oct. 27, 1977.

On July 25, 1981, he and Virginia Boyle were married in Sharon Springs. Later they made their home in Goodland. They made their home in Goodland where they were members of the First Christian Church and also caretakers there for 10 years.

He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars — Lowell Coleman

Post 1133.

Preceding him in death were his parents; his wives Alice and Virginia; a son, Donald Moser; six brothers, Herb Baker, Byron Baker, Pete Baker, Frank Baker, Ralph Baker and Leslie Baker; three sisters, Eva Hite, Virginia Baker and Betty Jane Baker; and a granddaughter, Beverly Caldwell.

Survivors include three daughters, Debbie (Mike) Lucas of Harlingen, Texas, Joan Regnier of Harlingen, Texas and Janet (Art) Nelson of Copeland; three sons, Michael Baker of Harlingen, Texas, Ernest Baker of Colby and James Baker of Port Huron, Mich.; a brother, George (Helen) Baker of Colorado Springs, Colo.; two sisters, Dorothy (Bill) Webb of Michigan and Pauline (Jim) Beveridge of California; 16 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, June 23, 2012, at Hi-Plains Baptist Church, 201 E. Second, Sharon Springs with the Rev. Paul McCall officiating and burial in the Sharon Springs Cemetery.

Visitation is at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, June 23, 2012, before the service. Memorials to the Wallace County Community Care Center in Sharon Springs may be left at the service or mailed to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Mitchell "Bones" Smith

Mitchell "Bones" Ray Smith, 52, Fayetteville, Ark., died Friday, June 15, 2012.

He was born May 14, 1960, to Richard H. Smith and Carma Heckathorn Hughey in Hutchinon. Mr. Smith graduated from Holdenville, Okla., high school and attended Okmulgee Technical School.

Mr. Smith was a Christian who enjoyed music, motorcycles and spending time with family and friends.

Preceding him in death were his father and his grandparents, Ray H. and Alluwe Smith of Holdenville, Okla., and Carmen and Dan Cook of Great Bend.

Survivors include his mother of the home and a brother, Don Lee



Smith

Smith of Fayetteville.

Services will be at 10 a.m. (Mountain Time) Saturday, June 23, 2012, at Beards Funeral Chapel, 855 South Happy Hollow Road, Fayetteville, Ark., with Pastor Ray Baggett officiating. Burial will be at a later date in Shawnee, Okla.

The family will receive friends from 9 to 10 a.m. (Mountain Time) Saturday, June, 2012, before the service at the funeral home. Cremation was chosen.

Memorial may be made to Fayetteville Animal Shelter, 1640 S. Armstrong Ave., Fayetteville, Ark. 72701 or the Humane Society of the Ozarks, 413 North College Avenue, Fayetteville, Ark. 72701.

Elvin "Leroy" Krafft

Leroy Krafft, age 75, of Goodland, Kansas, died Tuesday, June 12, 2012, at Wellsville Manor Care Center in Wellsville, Kansas. He was born on Wednesday, July 15, 1936, in Phillipsburg, Kansas, the son of Elvin and Thelma (Randolph) Krafft.

He was a lifelong resident of Goodland, Kansas, and also a lifelong member of the Elks Club.

Leroy graduated from Goodland High School with the class of 1955 and attended a mechanic school in Kansas City. Leroy was a teacher at Northwest Technical College for ten years in the automotive department. Following his teaching career, Leroy was a farmer in the Goodland, Kansas area, retiring in 2003.

Survivors include daughter Lori Krafft of Ottawa, Kansas; Daughter Kelli Edell and her husband, David, of Houston, Texas; Daughter Nicol Bruner and her husband, Randy, of Hesston, Kansas; two Grandchildren, Bryce and Brayden Bruner of Hesston, Kansas; nephews Brian, Kevin and Alvin Walt of California. He is preceded in death by parents Elvin and Thelma Krafft and sister Donna Walt.

Inurnment Services will be held at Goodland Cemetery in Goodland, Kansas at 10 a.m. MT on Friday, July 13, 2012.

The family suggests memorial contributions to Alzheimer's Association c/o Dengel & Son Mortuary, 235 S. Hickory, Ottawa, Kansas 66067. An online Guest Book is available at [www.dengelmortuary.com](http://www.dengelmortuary.com).

**Thank You!**

Thank you for your kind greetings on my birthday. It was a wonderful time for me, seeing family and friends.

-Lavaughn Glasco

**Wedding Registry**

Brooke Chartier  
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August 25, 2012

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Jacque's Hallmark and  
J.C. Penney's

1124 Main, Goodland  
Phone: 785-899-7255

**In memory of Lowell Chatfield**

Daddy...Lowell...Grandpa.  
We miss you so much!

Love, Janet, Charley, David & Jennifer,  
Michael & Angie.

**Classifieds work! 899-2338**