


weather report



18°
10 a.m.
Thursday

Today
• Sunset, 4:59 p.m.

Saturday
• Sunrise, 6:59 a.m.
• Sunset, 5:00 p.m.

Midday Conditions
• Soil temperature 31 degrees
• Humidity 88 percent
• Sky cloudy and overcast
• Winds south 15-20 mph
• Barometer 30.17 inches and falling

• Record High today 70° (1935)
• Record Low today -11° (1957)

Last 24 Hours*
High Wednesday 59°
Low Wednesday 19°
Precipitation none
This month 0.02
Year to date 0.02
Below normal 0.25 inches

The Topside Forecast
Today: Sunny with a high near 52, winds out of the northwest at 5 mph switching to the south and a low around 27. Saturday: Partly sunny with a 30 percent chance of rain at night, a high near 54, winds out of the south at 10 to 15 mph and a low around 33.

Extended Forecast
Sunday: Mostly sunny with a 30 percent chance of rain, a high near 59 and a low around 34. Monday: Mostly sunny with a 20 percent chance of rain and snow at night, a high near 55 and a low near 42. Tuesday: Partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of rain and snow.
(National Weather Service)

Primary election set for Feb. 26

By Kevin Bottrell

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The deadline has passed to file for the April 2 general election and with seven Goodland City Commission candidates, there will have to be a primary election on Tuesday, Feb. 26.

County Clerk Janet Rumpel said the city has an ordinance that requires a primary if the number of candidates is one more than twice the number of seats open, which would in this case be seven.

Candidates are incumbents Gary Farris, Bill Finley and John Garcia as well as Dan Knitig, J.J. Howard, Brian Linin and Phil Erickson.

The primary election will be non-partisan, and the voter registration deadline will be 5 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 5.

The Unified School District 352 board on the other hand has fewer candidates than it has open seats. There are three open seats, and incumbents Gary Slough, Mike Cochran and Amy Sederstrom did not file for re-election.

The two candidates who filed are Lee Ihrig and Ron Vignery.

Rumpel said because there is an open seat, the person with the highest number of write-in votes will be elected to office.

Superintendent Bill Biermann said he was also researching what could be done to fill the third seat. Someone could run as a declared write-in candidate, he said, or the board could choose someone to fill the seat after the election, and there are several different ways they could do that.

There are also mayor and city council seats up for election in Kanorado. Current Mayor Dennis Korbelik has filed for re-election. He will face candidate Hazel Estes. Dagmar Korbelik and Robin Valdez have filed for the council seats.

Cash Schilling was the only person to file for the Sunflower Extension District board seat.

For the general election, the registration deadline will be 5 p.m. March 15, with advance voting to begin on March 19 or 20.



Third graders Aidan Barnes (left) and Javy Conde at Central Elementary School received their free dictionary from the Goodland Elks Club on Tuesday. The Elks give out the student dictionaries each year. Photo by Kevin Bottrell/The Goodland Star-News

Elks Club delivers dictionaries

Representatives from the Goodland Elks Lodge went to Central Elementary School on Tuesday to hand out dictionaries to third grade students.

This is the 10th year that the club has provided the Webster Student Dictionaries. The Elks

also provided eight to Weksan, 15 to Sharon Springs, seven to Winona, 10 to Cheylin, three to Brewster and 21 to St. Francis.

In total, the Elks gave out 144 dictionaries this school year. Over the last ten years, the Elks have given out 858 dictionaries.

The project was started in South Carolina by Mary French with the goal of helping students become better writers, active readers and creative thinkers, and it has since branched out across the United States.

State looking for info on biking, walking

The Kansas Department of Transportation is seeking public input to help identify statewide bicycling and pedestrian needs.

Becky Pepper, the department's bicycle pedestrian coordinator, said an online survey has been posted on the department's website, www.ksdot.org, to collect the opinions and comments of Kansans. The survey takes about 10 minutes to complete.

"The survey will help us better

understand how to use limited resources for bicycling and pedestrian facilities in Kansas," Pepper said. "The survey is part of the Kansas Bicycle and Pedestrian Transportation Plan update to enhance transportation and related goals of safety, public health, recreation, tourism and community development."

Survey respondents will be asked how they use and value bicycling and walking facilities and policies and whether changes are needed.

"We are interested in knowing whether there are differences in how rural, suburban and urban Kansans view bicycle/pedestrian needs," Pepper said. "We are also surveying public agencies on how KDOT can best serve cities, counties, regional planning organizations and others to promote local objectives related to safe biking and walking."

Department planners are also interested in identifying possible collaborations and cost sharing ar-

rangements to best leverage limited resources for the greatest impact, she said.

An 18-member Kansas Bicycle and Pedestrian Transportation Plan Advisory Board is providing multiple perspectives and guidance on this study that will be completed by fall 2013. The consultant team includes the Transportation Research Institute of the University of Kansas, with Smalley Community Planning of Fairway.

County to put on wellness challenge

By Pat Schiefen

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A group spearheaded by the Sherman County Health Department wants people to sign up for their Wellness Challenge at their table at the Sherman County Health Fair from 8 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday at the Northwest Tech Student Union.

"I am excited about the family challenge," said Donna Terry, the head of the Sherman County Health Department. "Families can come together and talk about physical activities."

The challenge will focus on nutrition, physical activity and tobacco use and will last from February to the end of April. The kick off will be Monday, Feb. 4.


People can sign up to participate in three ways: in a family challenge, a corporate or organization challenge and in an individual challenge. Scores will be kept in a point system and each week of the month will have a topic. At the health fair volunteers can help people determine their body mass index and help them assess habits and behaviors.

The first week will focus on nutrition with a brown bag lunch and educational opportunity. The second week will focus on physical activity with a brown bag lunch at the Goodland Activities Center, the Healthful Solutions or the Right Combination Dance Studio with tips on how to keep fit in the winter. The third week will deal with decreasing the use of tobacco products. The fourth week will deal with stress reduction. The schedule hasn't been finalized yet. Possible events may be a 5K walk, run, bike, roller blade or walk the dog in so many minutes, a nutritional cook off or an amazing race.

Organizations helping with the event are the Sherman County Health Department, Goodland Regional Medical Center, Sunflower Extension District, Goodland Activities Center, City of Goodland, Healthful Solutions and the Right Combination Dance Studio.

For information call the department at 890-4888.

local markets



10 a.m.

Wheat — \$7.61 bushel
Posted county price — \$7.78

Corn — \$7.28 bushel
Posted county price — \$7.27

Milo — \$6.83 bushel

Soybeans — \$13.50 bushel
Posted county price — \$13.99

Millet — no bid

Sunflowers

Oil current crop — \$24.10 cwt.
Confection — no bid

Pinto beans — \$28
(Markets by Scoular Grain, Sun Opta, Frontier Ag and 21st Century Bean. These may not be closing figures.)

inside today



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Seventh grade beats Scott City

The Grant Junior High seventh grade basketball A and B teams each won their home games against the Scott City Bluejays on Tuesday.

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TV host to speak in St. Francis

Dr. Jimmy Sites will be speaking at the First Christian Church in St. Francis on Monday, Jan. 28. There is a free dinner at 5 p.m. (Mountain Time) followed by Dr. Sites at 6 p.m.

Dr. Sites is the producer and host for the award-winning national television show, "Spiritual Outdoor Adventures." He will share his adventure stories from across the world.

Dr. Sites was in rural St. Francis at the Ringneck Country, Rex and Sandi Murray's lodge south of Wheeler, in November 2011. He and Ricky Skaggs, country-bluegrass singer, spent several days hunting pheasant and deer, while being filmed for one of his shows. Skaggs

Moon and Jupiter share the sky



Monday night the planet Jupiter (the small, white dot on the left) shined closer to the waxing moon than it has in quite some time, and closest to the moon that it will be until 2026. This photo was

taken with a handheld Nikon camera with a 300 millimeter lens. Photo by Kevin Bottrell/The Goodland Star-News



genesis and salvation army

Genesis and Salvation Army are available year round to help those in need. Please call 785-890-2299 to speak to a volunteer.

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, 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 Norma at 890-6629 for more information.

The **Goodland Activities Center** has the daily activities. For information call 890-7242. Memberships options for everyone including day passes for \$5. Visit goodlandgac.com or stop by 808 Main.

Aerobics with Tena Thompkins at 5:30 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays. **Aerobics** with Lisa Malsom at 5:30 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday. **High Impact Workouts** with Grady Bonsall at 5:30 a.m. on Tuesday and Thursday.

Taekwondo with Wayne Luckert on Tuesday at 5 to 5:30 p.m. Tigers, 5:30 to 7 Karate Kids and 5:30 to 7 p.m. adult. Wednesdays 5 to 5:30 p.m. Tigers, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Karate Kids and 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. adults.

Weight Watchers meets at **5:30 p.m. for weigh in** and 6 p.m. for the meeting every **Tuesday** at the Harvest Evangelical Free Church, 521 E. Hwy. 24. For information call (785) 890-6423.

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 Family Group 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. Our group meets at 7 p.m. on Tuesday and Friday at the First Christian Church, 711 Arcade, Goodland West entrance. Talking about it is the first step. (785) 728-7022 and (785) 501-8282.

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.**

the calendar

calendar

Prairie Land Food distribution is 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday at the Knights of Columbus, 7th and Caldwell, or at 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.

A **Soup, Dessert, Fellowship** will be held from **10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. (Mountain Time) Sunday** at the Brewster United Methodist Church, 202 Nebraska. A "We Care" free will offering will be taken to help April Albritton with her cancer treatments.

Come watch the **Big Game on the Theatre Screen** at the Sherman Theatre, 1203 Main, on **Sunday, Feb. 3.** Admission is food or a \$1 donation to Genesis. Goodland Soup BoL will be operating a food stand to help raise money for the program.

A video recording of 2010 Goodland High School graduate **Ben Vaughn's senior performance "<3"** will be at **1:30 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 24**, at the Sherman Theatre, 1203 Main.

AARP Tax-Aide counseling, preparation, e-filing and teaching service will help you file your 2012 Tax Return through April 15. Call (785) 890-2287 or (785) 821-1827 to make an appointment.

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: Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, bread and rosy pears. **Monday:** Polish sausage with kraut, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, bread and plums. **Tuesday:** Chili, gelatin with carrots and crushed pineapple, crackers and cinnamon roll. **Wednesday:** Chopstick tuna casserole, stewed tomatoes, green beans, bread and apricots. **Thursday:** Cook's choice entree, hash brown casserole, corn, bread and pineapple upside down cake.

school menu

Today: Breakfast - egg taco with salsa, yogurt cup, pineapple chunks and milk. Lunch - cowboy cavatini, tossed salad, green beans, wheat roll, banana and milk. **Monday:** Breakfast - aloha muffin square, whole grain cereal, grapes and milk. Lunch - chicken tetrazzini, tossed salad, steamed carrots, whole grain breadstick, fresh strawberries and milk. **Tuesday:** Breakfast - star spangled pancakes, sausage, juice and milk. Lunch - pork rib on a bun, lettuce and tomato, tri-tater, green beans, fresh kiwi, cherry crisp and milk. **Wednesday:** Breakfast - whole wheat bagel with toppings, fresh oranges and milk. Lunch - lasagna,

spinach salad, whole grain garlic bread, apple wedges and milk. **Thursday:** Breakfast - breakfast pita with salsa, hash browns, kiwi and milk. Lunch - baked chicken drumstick, savory rice, fresh broccoli, corn, oatmeal roll, sliced peaches and milk.

school calendar

Today: 2 p.m. boys varsity wrestling at Hays High School. **Saturday:** Girls junior varsity basketball. 9 a.m. boys junior high basketball A/B against Colby and Ulysses at Max Jones Fieldhouse. 2 p.m. junior varsity and c team basketball against Burlington. 3:45 p.m. varsity basketball against Burlington. **Monday:** 3:30 p.m. boys junior high basketball A/B against Oakley at the junior high gym. Junior varsity basketball at the Colby Junior Varsity Basketball Tournament. 7 p.m. board of education meeting. **Tuesday:** Black day. **Wednesday:** Gold day. 7:30 a.m. professional learning communities. Family Career and Community Leaders of America Star Events in Goodland. **Thursday:** Regional scholars' bowl. 3 p.m. boys junior high basketball A/B at Holcomb. 5:30 p.m. varsity and junior varsity wrestling, Senior Night, against Atwood at Max Jones Fieldhouse. Junior varsity basketball at Colby Junior Varsity Basketball Tournament.

obituaries

Pauline M. Maupin

Pauline M. Maupin, 83, retired employee of the Sharon Springs grocery store, died Monday, Jan. 21, 2013, at the Wallace County Community Care Center in Sharon Springs.



Maupin

She was born on Feb. 24, 1929, to George and Ethel Herl in Sharon Springs where she graduated from school.

On June 12, 1949, she and Nolan O. Maupin were married in Raton, N.M. They lived in the Texas panhandle, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas before returning to Sharon Springs in 1993 to retire.

Mrs. Maupin was very active with the Wallace County Alumni Association.

Preceding her in death were her parents, her husband in 2000, a son Jack Maupin and a sister Edna Heyl.

Survivors include a son Nolan L. (Janis) Maupin of Moresse, Texas, and a daughter, Paula (Ray) Conradt of Keller, Texas, a brother John Herl of Goodland; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services were at 10 a.m. on Thursday, Jan. 24, 2013, at the High Plains Baptist Church in Sharon Springs with Pastor Richard DeWees officiating. Burial will follow in the Sharon Springs Cemetery.

Visitation was from 3 to 6 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 23, 2013, at the church.

Memorials to be designated by the family at a later date may be sent to Bateman Funeral Home, Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Howard G. Forsythe

Howard G. Forsythe, 82, Louisville, Ky., a retired Sherman and Cheyenne County roofer, died Thursday, Jan. 17, 2013, at Norton Brownsboro Hospital in Louisville, Ky.



Forsythe

He was born on July 1, 1930, to Florence Cora (Angel) and Howard G. Forsythe in St. Francis. In 1951, he graduated from St. Francis High School.

After high school he served as a Corporal in the U.S. Army Reserves and was discharged in 1955. He moved to Goodland shortly after that.

Howard loved to play the guitar. He and his friends started the band, The Country Drifters. They play at various community events.

He spent much of his time rebuilding antique wagons that were used for various community events; carrying Santa during the Christmas Parade and many newlyweds used his wagons to carry them after their wedding.

Mr. Howard enjoyed elk hunting

with his brothers. He also enjoyed horseback riding and team roping.

He was active in the Moose Lodge, Elks Club, Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion.

Preceding him in death were his parents and two brothers, Ernie and Jerald Forsythe.

Survivors include four children, Linda J. (Kenneth) Bishop of Kanorado, Gary L. Forsythe of Goodland, Jolene F. (Christopher) Vignoe of Louisville, Ky., and Alan G. Forsythe of Chicago, Ill.; three brothers, Harvey (Carol) Forsythe, Larry (Deanna) Forsythe and Walter (Fern) Forsythe, all of St. Francis; a sister, Allyne Koutz of Delta, Colo.; three grandchildren; and a great-grandson.

Cremation has been chosen and a memorial service will be announced in March. Inurnment will be beside his mother in the St. Francis Cemetery.

Memorials in his his name may be sent to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

(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. 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 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

Prairie Museum of Art and History, 1905 S. Franklin, 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. On exhibit during the month of October is a selection of works from the art department at Colby Community College. The pieces in the show, created by art instructor Rebel Jay and her students from several art classes, utilize a variety of media including acrylics, chalk, clay, paper and found objects.

thrift store

The Goodland Churches Thrift Shop, 1002 Main, is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday through Friday. Donations welcome. For information call 890-2007.

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 adults' 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. WIC program available. Call 890-4888 or go to www.sherman.kansas.com.

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.

early head start

Early Head Start is a state funded program for income eligible families with prenatal mothers and children up to age 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. For information call 890-2552.

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.

The police department can also be called at 890-4570.

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.

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 or Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 899-4398. Interested in adopting a pet? Call the animal shelter or go to the website www.nwkasgoodland.webs.com.

Business numbers tell how you are doing

Just as your doctor checks your vitals, you must check your business numbers to determine how you're really doing. Whether you have cash in the bank or not is not a good indicator of income. Review your financial statements. Do you see any



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business tips

trends? Review your sales. Are your prices set appropriately? Review your expenses. Can any of them be cut or reduced? Reviewing your numbers regularly

can help you catch problems early and fix them before it's too late.

This tip was brought to you by Western Kansas Business Consulting sponsored in part by Sherman County.

Jack Reacher (PG-13) starts February 1st!
January 18-31 Lincoln (PG-13)
 An intense scene of war violence; some images of carnage; brief language.
 www.goodlandnet.com/movies

Bring this Ad to the theatre to get 10% off large popcorn & 2 drinks. Exp. 12/31

NIGHTLY 7 PM MOVIES
 Movie bucks make great gifts!
 Sunday Matinee 1:30 PM

Sherman
 1203 Main - Phone 899-6103

THE BIG GAME ON THE BIG SCREEN! FEBRUARY 3

Sherman County Health Fair
Saturday, January 26 - 8 to 11:30 a.m.
NWTC Student Union

- Free Carotid Ultrasound Screening—by appointment, call (785) 890-6033
- Free Pulmonary Function Screening—by appointment, call (785) 890-6023

Free at Health Fair: Blood profile consultations, DRE (Prostate), Skin Cancer Screening, Balance Test Screening, & much more.

Take your Child to the Library Day!

Goodland Public Library
 812 Broadway, Goodland • Ph: (785) 899-5461
Saturday, Feb. 2, 2013
Come and Go from 2-4:30 p.m. MT

Free arts and crafts, playtime, prizes and fun!
 All children must be with an adult.

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Comedy to be served

Troupe America is servin' it up again in the church basement kitchen musical comedy, "Church Basement Ladies 2: A Second Helping!"

The Western Plains Arts Association will sponsor the program at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in the Oakley High School Auditorium. The sequel picks up the same group of women as they continue to deal with life, death and new adventures in the world and their lives.

This time around, the year is 1969 and the world is changing. As folks protest the Vietnam War and women are demanding equal pay for equal

The Church Basement Ladies will be back for a second helping on Thursday in Oakley.

work, in their small rural Minnesota community, the women are dealing with changes of their own. With their humor and antics, the show takes us from serving the high school students at the Luther League Banquet to a church-sponsored Missionary Night and rise and fall of a Vikings Super Bowl Sunday. From the elderly matriarch of the kitchen to the young mom-to-be, these women find strength in each other as they deal with the joys and upheavals from below the "House of God."

Admission is by season ticket or at the door, adults \$20 and students \$10.

It's not too late to get your car ready for weather

The last thing any driver needs is a vehicle that breaks down in cold, harsh winter weather. It's not too late to have your vehicle checked, saving you from the cost and hassle of unexpected emergency repairs when severe weather strikes.

Battery - Keep the battery connections clean, tight and corrosion-free. Batteries don't always give warning signs before they fail completely so it's wise to replace batter-

ies that are more than three years old.

Antifreeze - Antifreeze (coolant) should be flushed and refilled at least every two years in most vehicles. As a reminder, do not add 100 percent antifreeze as full-strength antifreeze actually has a lower freeze point than when mixed with water.

Brakes - Have the brakes checked. The braking system is the vehicle's most important safety item and is key while driving on

icy or snow-covered roads.

Tires - Check the tire tread depth and tire pressure. If snow and ice are a problem in your area, consider special tires designed to grip slick roads. During winter, tire pressure should be checked weekly as tires will lose pressure when temperatures drop.

Oil - Be diligent about changing the oil and filter at recommended intervals. Dirty oil can spell trouble in winter. Consider

changing to low-viscosity oil in winter, as it will flow more easily between moving parts when cold.

Wiper blades - Cold weather can affect the life of windshield wipers. Wiper blades that are cracked or torn, or that chatter, streak and don't properly clean your windshield, should be changed. Check the windshield washer reservoir in case it needs fluid.

Be sure to keep your vehicle's gas tank at

least half full as that decreases the chances of moisture forming in the gas lines and possibly freezing. If you're due for a tune-up, consider having it done as winter weather magnifies existing problems such as pings, hard starts, sluggish performance or rough idling. To help you drive smart and save money, visit www.carcare.org and check out the free digital Car Care Guide.

matters of record

The following real estate transactions have been reported by the Sherman County register of deeds.

Ivan Rodriguez conveys and warrants to Harold A. George and Debra K. George, Lots 10 and 11, Block 18, CK&N Addition to City of Goodland, AKA 1622 Caldwell.

Edna R. Warren to Rick Warren, Lot 1 in NE/4 and Lot 2 in SE/4 of Sec. 31, T8S, R42W.

David Krien and DeAndrea Krien, and David Krien, Trustee of the Lester and Gladys Confer Trust, quit claim to David Krien and DeAndrea Krien, Trustees of the Krien Trust dated January 11, 2013, the NE/4 of Sec. 6, T6S, R41W; E/2 of NW/4 of Sec. 6, T6S, R41W; SE/4 of Sec. 35, T7S, R42W.

Bryant A. Nemechek and Melissa Nemechek, to Alexander Roy Howard and Chelsie Brienne Gausman, the W20' of Lot 8, all of Lot 9, and E15' of Lot 10, Block 49, Original Town of Goodland.

Lynn E. Fulwider and Kathleen A. Fulwider convey and warrant to The Lynn Evan Fulwider Revocable Trust UTD 1/9/2013 as to an undivided 1/2 interest and to the Kathleen Ann Fulwider Revocable Trust UTD 1/9/2013 as to an undivided 1/2 interest, all interest in S/2 of Sec. 12, T9S, R37W.

C. Curtis Coffey and N. Sue Coffey, as co-trustees of the Coffey Revocable Trust dated March 18, 1991, to Terry L. Taylor and Shari L. Taylor, the SW/4 of Sec. 34, T6S, R37W; N/2 and a tract of land in SE/4 of Sec. 24, T8S, R38W; Thomas County property situated in SW/4 of Sec. 28, T6S, R36W.

Sally Pettibone, Executrix of the Estate of Lois J. Winter, to Sally Pettibone, Lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, Block 25, Hartstine's Addition to Town of Kanorado; Lots 29, 30, 31 and 32, Block 18, Rule's Addition to City of Kanorado.

Dennis M. Saint and Linda L. Saint to Ivan Rodriguez, Lots 10 and 11, Block 18, CK&N Addition to City of Goodland.

David L. Horinek and Kimberly Horinek, to J. Alan Rumpel and Janet R. Rumpel, Lot 13 and S21' of Lot 14, Block 9, Third Addition to City of Goodland.

J. Alan Rumpel and Janet R. Rumpel, to David Horinek and Kimberly Horinek, Lots 9 and 10, Block 25, Beahm's Addition to City

of Goodland.

Elzora Duell, trustee under deed dated August 26, 1985, to Jennifer Duell Popovec and Steffanie Schreiber, a 32 acre strip west of NW/4 of Sec. 8, T7S, R41W; a 10 acre strip east of W50 acres of NE/4 of Sec. 10, T8S, R41W.

Sherman County, Kansas quit claims to Drew Wilkens, all of Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20 and S15' of Lot 21, Block 17, CK&N Addition to City of Goodland, AKA 212 E. 17th.

Steven A. Raymer and Debra A. Raymer convey and warrant to Steven A. Raymer and Debra A. Raymer, a tract of land in N/2 of NW/4 of Sec. 24, T8S, R40W.

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Hitchcock, Inc., a Colorado corporation, to Hitchcock Inc. of Goodland, a Kansas corporation, a tract of land in SE/4 of Sec. 19, T8S, R39W; a tract of land in SE/4 of Sec. 19, T8S, R39W; two tracts of land in SE/4 of Sec. 19, T8S, R39W.

Milan D. Garder and Gaye L. Garder to Babette J. Garder, Trustee of the Babette J. Garder Revocable Trust, to Garder Farms, LLC, the SE/4 of Sec. 35, T8N, R41W.

Bank of the West to Linda S. Morris, Lot 11 and 12, Block 3, Sharp's Addition to City of Goodland.

Glenn O. Burk Revocable Trust dated March 14, 1990 by and through its trustees Glenn O. Burk, Evelyn Burk and Michael G. Burk, to Michael G. Burk, a tract of land in NW/4 of Sec. 29, T8S, R39W.

Glenn O. Burk Revocable Trust UTD March 14, 1990, and the Evelyn Burk Revocable Trust UTD March 14, 1990, both trusts by and through their trustees Glenn O. Burk, Evelyn Burk and Michael G. Burk, to Michael G. Burk, a tract of land in SW/4 of Sec. 20, T8S, R39W.

Glenn O. Burk and Evelyn Burk convey and warrant to Michael Burk and Joyce Burk, a tract of land in NW/4 of Sec. 29, T8S, R39W.

Ronnie G. Maifeld and Kevin

K. Maifeld, as officers of Maifeld Brothers, LLC, to Janmes L. Mosbarger and Darla Mosbarger, the SE/4 of Sec. 13, T6S, R42W.

Richard R. Golden and Kara M. Golden to Ad Astra per Aspra, a Kansas Limited Liability Company, an undivided 20% interest in: Sec. 12, T10S, R42W; NE/4 and W/2 of Sec. 16, T10S, R42W; SE/4 of Sec. 22, T10S, R42W; NE/4 of Sec. 3, T10S, R42W; S/2 of Sec. 23, T10S, R42W.

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Margaret G. Bowker and Jeffrey J. Bowker, to Ad Astra per Aspra, a Kansas Limited Liability Company, an undivided 20% interest in: Sec. 12, T10S, R42W; NE/4 and W/2 of Sec. 16, T10S, R42W; SE/4 of Sec. 22, T10S, R42W; NE/4 of Sec. 3, T10S, R42W; S/2 of Sec. 23, T10S, R42W.

John H. Golden and Marcia L. Golden, to Gennifer G. House, Margaret Bowker and Richard Golden, an undivided 60% interest in: Sec. 12, T10S, R42W; NE/4 and W/2 of Sec. 16, T10S, R42W; SE/4 of Sec. 22, T10S, R42W; NE/4 of Sec. 3, T10S, R42W; S/2 of Sec. 23, T10S, R42W.

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Marcia Lee Sitton and Steve Sitton convey and warrant to A.G. Greene and M.C. Greene, Lot 3, Block 10, Rosewood Addition to City of Goodland.

Loretta Sue Hennigan and Marietta L. Whalen, trustees of the Marietta L. Whalen Revocable Trust dated December 1, 1987, to Juan Diaz and Carmina Diaz, a tract of land in NE/4 of Sec. 25, T8S, R40W, less a tract.

Craig A. Crouch and Debora J. Crouch, convey and warrant to Keith Coon and Judith P. Coon, the southernmost 60 acres of NE/4 of Sec. 3, T7S, R39W, with sellers retaining all oil, gas and other minerals until March 19, 2030.

Amber Alerts can help find a missing child

Kansas Attorney General Derek Schmidt reminds Kansans to stay alert when the public's assistance is needed to help locate missing children. Schmidt's reminder comes as National Amber Alert Awareness Day was observed on Sunday, Jan. 13.

"Kansans should always be mindful when an alert is issued," Schmidt said. "In 2012, the two Amber Alerts issued in Kansas led to children being safely located. Public tips played a role in both of these successful recoveries. The watchful eyes of Kansas citizens can help save a child's life."

When an alert is issued, the media are notified to begin broadcasting the details of the missing child and suspect. Kansans can also receive Amber Alerts on Facebook by liking the Kansas Amber Alert page at www.facebook.com/AmberAlertKS.

The Amber Alert program, named for nine-year-old Amber Hagerman, is a voluntary partnership between law enforcement agencies, broad-

casters and transportation agencies to activate an urgent bulletin in the most serious child-abduction cases. Broadcasters use the Emergency Alert System to air a description of the abducted child and suspected abductor. The goal of an Amber Alert is to instantly galvanize the entire community to assist in the search for and safe recovery of the child.

Since its inception in 1996, this program has successfully brought 602 children home safely. In Kansas, 23 children have been safely returned since 2002.

In addition to the Amber Alert program, the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children maintains a list of all missing children from Kansas. The database can be accessed at www.missingkids.com. Anyone with information about the whereabouts of any of these missing persons should contact a law enforcement agency or call (800) KS-CRIME.

For information visit www.ag.ks.gov/amber-alert.

corrections

The story "Cowboys take fourth at wrestling tourney" on Page 10 of the Friday, Jan. 18, edition of the Goodland Star-News contained an incorrect score for John Peden's championship match. Peden won that match by a 13-7 decision. This was an editing error.

The Goodland Star-News will correct any mistake or misunderstanding in a news story. Please call (785) 899-2338 to report errors. We believe that news should be fair and factual. We want to keep an accurate record and appreciate you calling to our attention any failure to live up to this standard.

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from our viewpoint...

Congressman is a principled man

The last couple of weeks, Rep. Tim Huelskamp of Kansas' big 1st District has been under attack for standing by his principles. From out here in the far northwest corner of his district, we can only shake our heads.

When did it become a sin to have principles?

It's a given that, as with any representative, not every one of us in the district will agree with our congressman, today or even most of the time. You just can't expect that, not when you choose one person to represent roughly 711,000 people with as many points of view.

But this district has elected Mr. Huelskamp to Congress twice, the first time choosing him from a field that included a wide spectrum of Republicans, and then over a Democrat opponent.

No one bothered to run against him the last time around, and you have to assume that most of the people in the district are comfortable with their representative — or they'd have backed somebody else.

We knew what we were getting when we voted for Tim Huelskamp. He's a known commodity, a doctrinaire conservative who believes in less government, lower taxes, fewer regulations, lower spending and a balanced budget. He never pretended to be anything else.

He's also a committed social conservative, a devout Roman Catholic who hews to the teachings of his church. And an advocate for adoption, as well as a loving family man.

Yeah, he's about as far to the right as an American could be, staunchly opposed to abortion and strong on social issues. So what?

The voters elected him. He believes what he believes. Wouldn't it be worse if he sold out? If he gave in to blackmail, even by the speaker of the House?

Yet there's a line of ("What's the Matter With Kansas?") thinking that goes something like this: That people in places like Kansas, who are comfortable standing on principle, often vote against their own self-interest when they stand by their beliefs.

So people here vote for Republicans who stand against abortion instead of Democrats who send us welfare and other government goodies. It's not that simple, but still, are principles that outmoded?

No, Mr. Huelskamp isn't a compromiser. He's not going to lead the House to make whoopee with the Democrats and solve the problems of the day. He's the guy who's going to stand to the side and remind the rest of them what their principles are supposed to be.

There's nothing dishonest or wrong about that, is there?

No one expects all of us to agree with Mr. Huelskamp's stands. It's perfectly OK to say he's wrong and call him out. Run against him if you feel that way.

We know Washington needs compromisers and negotiators and log rollers. That's how deals are made at the end of the day. But someone has to stand on principle. There are days when we'd be better off if more of our leaders did, on all sides of any issue.

As for Mr. Huelskamp, well, you know where he stands. The voters put him where he is, and they could, we suppose, change their minds. Meantime, deal with it. He is who he is. — *Steve Haynes*



Lincoln, Huelskamp and compromise

This past month residents of Kansas' First Congressional District were treated to a stark juxtaposition in political styles. On the big screen Abraham Lincoln, played by Daniel Day-Lewis in Steven Spielberg's movie "Lincoln," cajoled, maneuvered, pleaded to both the higher and lower instincts of others, and yes, compromised, in pursuit of passage of the Thirteenth Amendment. Meanwhile in the present, First District Congressman Tim Huelskamp, proud of the fact that he does not compromise, was removed from his Agriculture and Budget Committee Assignments by the Republican House Steering Committee. It's worth examining the differing approaches to "principle."

In case history has sanitized Lincoln's reputation as someone above the frequent horse-trading of the political process Spielberg presents a compelling case to the contrary. Lincoln went so far as to keep Congress in the dark about the status of peace talks with the South, feeling that a peace treaty prior to such a definitive statement eliminating slavery would set the country up for failure and a future war. Lincoln clearly regarded compromise in pursuit of his principles as a necessary part of the game.

Admittedly, it's a little unfair to compare a second-term congressman to arguably our nation's greatest President. A better comparison is to examine Huelskamp with Lincoln's congressional ally/critic Thaddeus Stevens, the fiercely anti-slavery congressman from Pennsylvania who played a prominent role in the Amendment's passage.

Congressman Stevens' commitment to the



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• alan jilka

principle of racial equality was never questioned by his peers. Yet at a crucial moment in the debate he surprised others by dropping his insistence that the Amendment deal with matters beyond the elimination of slavery. Stevens decided to compromise and leave issues such as the question of voting rights for Negroes for another battle.

The "principle" for which Mr. Huelskamp claims to stand up is murkier. He says he's concerned about the federal deficit, arguably the biggest issue of our time, yet refuses to consider revenue-increasing measures. And he won't admit to being a pawn of anti-tax groups such as the Club for Growth, which took credit on their website for delivering his 2010 primary victory. But we can rest assured he won't vote for any tax increases, no matter what the situation.

And he hasn't changed his "principles." As a State Senator Huelskamp was never one to compromise in the interest of his own constituents. In 2003 he was removed from the Senate Ways and Means Committee by fellow Republicans. He never voted for a final budget in fourteen years in the State Senate, and vigorously opposed both highway bills that passed during his tenure, despite the efforts of his district to have Highway 54 widened to four lanes. That stretch of two-lane highway run-

ning through his district had, and has one of the highest accident/fatality rates in the nation.

Huelskamp has worked furiously to spin his latest political setback to his advantage by saying that House Speaker Boehner keeps a scorecard of votes, thereby penalizing those who stand up for principle. Boehner denies the existence of such a scorecard.

Congressman Lynn Westmoreland (R-GA) suggested in a politico.com article another reason for the Steering Committee's action. "It came down to the a**hole factor." According to Westmoreland spokesperson Leslie Shedd "it had to do with (his) inability to work with others."

As a result Huelskamp and his constituent farm groups now have little leverage to influence the ag legislation that is so crucial to his district, a fact lost on those who gave him a standing ovation at the recent First District Republican Convention.

Criticism of Huelskamp has recently come from an unlikely source, former Kansas House Speaker Mike O'Neal, now CEO of the Kansas Chamber of Commerce. O'Neal was recently quoted as saying, "Principle is important, but ... at the end of the day, something has to get accomplished. You can be irrelevant if you say there's not a set of circumstances where you'll compromise."

As Congress returns and tackles the great issues of our day Mr. Huelskamp looks increasingly irrelevant in the debate.

Alan Jilka is a former mayor of Salina and a one-time candidate for U.S. Congress.

Alcohol on tap again at statehouse

The "Weekly Five Hard Facts" is a good place to start my commentary:

- Last year, Kansas set a record for job creation by adding 16,000 jobs to the private sector.

- The goal in reducing the state income taxes is to stay on a path that promotes our state's prosperity and continues to care for its residents.

- Nationally, state budgets average 35.3 percent for education spending per student.

- Long-term budgeting is the best way for our state to prepare for the future, and to ensure the state's vital services are receiving the funding needed to support the people of Kansas who need assistance.

The first Wednesday of the session, the Senate passed a Pay-Go provision. This would require a two-thirds vote to consider any amendment to appropriation bills which would increase its total cost. This may help to keep not-so-serious spending amendments out of budget bills at the end of the session. There are generally gotcha amendments that are used for re-election purposes at the session's end.

This year brings new and different responsibilities. I have served the past eight years on the Federal and State Affairs Committee,



Ralph Ostmeyer

• state senator

and this year I will be chairman. I am blessed to have two excellent staff members to guide me. Carole McFarland is my new office secretary and Connie Burns is my new committee secretary.

"Uncork Kansas" will again be considered with the hope of prevailing this time. This is the 13th year that this issue has come up. Also in the hopper are a couple of "trailer" bills to fix minor problems with the big liquor bill pushed through last session. There have been more than bills filed about various issues so far in Federal and State Affairs.

This past week in Natural Resources, Sheila Ellis and Jill Hansen testified about prairie dogs and black-footed ferret populations in Logan County. I was pleased with the research and facts presented to our committee. It is always better to have someone testify who is close to the problem or issue. I hope someday to see this problem resolved. This really has

been an economic drain on farmers whose land is adjacent to these prairie-dog towns.

I welcome students to come to Topeka to page for me. They can call my office at (785) 296-7399 and set up a date with my office secretary, Carole. Monday is the day I am allotted because of the time and distance needed to travel.

I would encourage everyone to come and see the beauty of the Capitol, the People's House. All legislative offices and committee rooms are again under the dome.

Both chambers, the Senate and the House, are under conservative leadership. I hope that this will lead to a timely session that stays under the allotted 90 days.

Gov. Sam Brownback mentioned in his State of the State address he would consider placing the Department of Transportation and the Turnpike Authority under the same umbrella. This issue has been mentioned many times in the past. There would seem to be a savings, but I am not sure how much.

I will keep you abreast of the issues facing the Legislature this session and especially those coming before the committees on which I serve: Agriculture, Natural Resources, Federal and State Affairs and Education.

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Television host to speak in St. Francis

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sang several numbers and Dr. Sites shared his religious experiences with those present.

Dr. Sites' latest television production is involved in the national award-winning television series Spiritual Outdoor Adventures. The program began airing in October 2002 and is now entering its ninth season, reaching 68 million households weekly across the country. Many celebrity guests appear on the program including Rascal Flatts lead singer Gary LeVox, Marty Roe of Diamond Rio, Contemporary Christian singer Michael W. Smith, coach Jeff Fisher of the Tennessee Ti-

tans, and numerous other professional athletes, movie stars, country singers, and well-known outdoorsmen and women.

Legendary outdoorsman Hank Parker has partnered with Jimmy on 13 episodes of show, and includes Jimmy as an occasional guest on his own hunting and fishing shows.

Most recently, the Atlanta Braves hosted a Faith Night where Jimmy and ace pitcher John Smoltz delivered testimonies immediately following the game. David Letterman and Jay Leno commented on the event, calling it the "Sermon on the Mound."

matters of record

The following real estate transactions have been reported by the Sherman County register of deeds.

Brian Shimmick and Nicole Shimmick convey and warrant to Shimmick Family Trust, dated November 4, 2009, all interest in and to NE/4, Sec. 12, T6S, R42W.

Gladys E. Hash Trust dated April 8, 1991, to Robert Alexander Hash, the SE/4 of Sec. 24, T7S, R37W.

Shad D. Sheldon and Penny S. Sheldon to Christopher A. Loeffler, the S/2 of SW/4 of Sec. 20; N/2 of N/2 of Sec. 20 and N355' of W2450' of S/2 of NW/4 of Sec. 20, less road right-of-way; and that portion of NW/4 of Sec. 29 lying North of County Road 75.5 less road right-of-way, all in T6S, R38W.

Harry C. Haverly and Kathleen M. Haverly to Haverly Family Farms, LLC, the S/2 of NW/4 of Sec. 35, T8S, R41W.

Harry C. Haverly and Kathleen M. Haverly to Haverly Family Farms, LLC, S/2 of NE/4 of Sec. 35, T8S, R41W.

Harry C. Haverly and Kathleen M. Haverly to Haverly Family Farms, LLC, N/2 of NW/4 of Sec. 35, T8S, R41W. Seller to reserve mineral rights.

Harry C. Haverly and Kathleen M. Haverly to Haverly Family Farms, LLC, N/2 of NE/4 of Sec. 35, T8S, R41W, including all mineral rights.

Darrel O. Cloyd and Gladys R. Cloyd, Trustees of the Revocable Inter Vivos Trust of Darrel O. Cloyd dated 2/19/2002, to Dawn M. Janmes and Greg J. James, an undivided 1/2 interest in SW/4 of Sec. 33, T9S, R42W.

Water program deadline approaching

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service in Kansas will be providing about \$1.5 million to conserve the water in the Ogallala Aquifer through the Ogallala Aquifer Initiative, but the deadline to sign up is coming up fast.

Applications are accepted on a continuous basis; however, to be considered for fiscal year 2013 money, the deadline is Friday, Feb. 15. The Conservation Service will fund this initiative through its Environmental Quality Incentives Program.

"Water quantity is a high priority resource concern under EQIP in Kansas," said Eric B. Banks, State Conservationist. "Agriculture producers have the opportunity with the additional

funding to implement water-saving practices. This allows them to implement conservation practices such as irrigation water management, crop rotations, and replacing inefficient gravity irrigation systems."

Much of the High Plains region relies on the Ogallala for water but the water in the Ogallala Aquifer is diminishing because of widespread irrigation use in the High Plains states.

The Ogallala Aquifer, also known as the High Plains Aquifer, is a vast, yet shallow underground water table aquifer located beneath the Great Plains in the United States. It is one of the world's largest aquifers and covers an area in portions of eight states: Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Wyoming

and Texas.

Financial assistance is available through the initiative for producers considering converting from irrigated cropland to dryland cropland, as well as assistance for more efficient irrigation systems and management. All participants must meet Environmental Quality Incentives Program eligibility requirements. In Kansas, socially disadvantaged, limited resource and beginning farmers and ranchers will receive a higher payment rate for conservation practices related to the initiative.

For more information, contact the local Agriculture Department Service Center in Goodland and visit with the staff or visit www.ks.nrcs.usda.gov/programs.

Money available for prairie chickens

The deadline to participate in the lesser prairie-chicken habitat conservation program is coming up on Friday, Feb. 15.

Eric B. Banks, State Conservationist for the Natural Resources Conservation Service said the multi-state initiative is designed to improve the lesser prairie-chicken's habitat by promoting the overall health of grazing lands and the long-term sustainability of ranching operations in Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas.

Applications are accepted on a continuous basis; however, to be considered for fiscal year 2013 funds, the application cutoff date is Feb. 15.

"Over the past three years, the Lesser Prairie-Chicken Initiative has succeeded in improving and increasing lesser prairie-chicken habitat acres in all five states," said Banks.

"Kansas received an allocation for the Lesser Prairie-Chicken Initiative for fiscal year 2013 of \$3 million. This initiative offers finan-

cial assistance for implementing necessary conservation practices for lesser prairie-chicken habitat and development of efficient grazing management systems."

Expired or expiring Conservation Reserve Program fields in permanent cover that may benefit prairie-chicken's habitat may also be eligible for funding.

The initiative is available in 36 Kansas counties: Barber, Clark, Comanche, Edwards, Ellis, Finney, Ford, Gove, Graham, Grant, Gray, Greeley, Hamilton, Haskell, Hodgeman, Kearny, Kiowa, Lane, Logan, Meade, Morton, Ness, Pawnee, Pratt, Rush, Scott, Seward, Sheridan, Sherman, Stafford, Stanton, Stevens, Thomas, Trego, Wallace, and Wichita.

Interested farmers and ranchers must meet eligibility requirements to qualify. The unique circumstances and concerns of interested historically underserved ranchers are also addressed by offering a higher payment rate for them.

Sign up now for shelterbelt, riparian initiative

The Natural Resources Conservation Service is making money available to farmers and ranchers to renovate shelterbelts and restore forested riparian buffers.

State Conservationist Eric B. Banks, announced the availability of Fiscal Year 2013 funding under the Cooperative Conservation Partnership Initiative. Sign-up deadline is Friday, Feb. 15. To sign up, visit the local Conservation Service office.

"Through the CCPI, the Kansas Forest Service, in partnership with NRCS, can address two areas of critical forestry needs - renovating shelterbelts and restoring forested riparian buffers in Kansas," said Banks.

"The CCPI fits nicely into the renovating and restoring ef-

orts," said Larry Biles, Kansas Forest Service State Forester. "Many shelterbelts in Kansas and throughout the central Great Plains are old and are no longer providing the benefits that they used to. This is also true of forests along rivers and streams."

The initiative provides assistance through the Environmental Quality Incentives Program. In Kansas, socially disadvantaged, limited resource and beginning farmers and ranchers will receive a higher payment rate for conservation practices related to CCPI.

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Tips to improve efficiency in kitchen

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Economic Research Service estimates about 20 percent of the energy used in the United States is used for food production, transport, processing, packaging, distribution, storage, sales and household food handling.

While much is out of an individual's control, Kansas State University professor Mary Meck Higgins said she believes "most people could be able to reduce household utility costs in the kitchen."

Higgins, who also is a food and nutrition

specialist with Kansas State Research and Extension and a registered dietitian, has written a new Kansas State Research and Extension fact sheet titled "Making Everyday Choices for a Healthy, Sustainable Diet." She includes cost-saving changes that are fairly easy to incorporate into everyday living.

Here are some examples of her tips.

- 1) If hand-washing dishes, allow them to soak first; after washing, rinse in batches and turn off the water between batches. Use hot water for washing, cool water for

rinsing.

- 2) If using a dishwasher, wait until a dishwasher is full before running it; choose the shortest cycle to accomplish the job, and allow the dishes to air dry.

- 3) Defrost food in the refrigerator, rather than under running water.

- 4) Check refrigerator and freezer seals, which should be airtight. Clean the seals regularly, and replace as needed.

- 5) Open the refrigerator or freezer door as needed, but close it as soon as possible to retain internal temperature.

- 6) Turn off an ice maker when additional ice is not needed.

- 7) Follow the manufacturer's directions for cleaning coils and the interior and exterior of the appliance.

- 8) Use all appliances as directed by the manufacturer. Take the time to read the manual when the appliance is purchased, and review it periodically. For example, a refrigerator or freezer should be about 2/3 full (but not crowded) so air can circulate and cool the foods stored within. Overcrowding generally reduces efficiency.

- 9) Minimize pre-heating time when using an appliance and use a microwave oven instead of heating a stove, when possible.

- 10) If replacing an appliance, check energy efficiency before buying.

The new fact sheet, "Making Everyday Choices for a Healthy, Sustainable Diet," MF 3060, is available at Extension offices and online at www.ksre.ksu.edu/library/fntr2/mf3060.aspx.

matters of record

District Court

These are cases decided by the Goodland District Court:

Dec. 1: Brian David Carter-Kacho, speeding, fined \$155.

Mark Levine Reeves, speeding, fined \$155.

Charles Odell Stagg, speeding, fined \$149.

Kimberly Sue Stevenson, speeding, fined \$143.

Jana Strazan, speeding, fined \$143.

Lauren Pauline Viscell, speeding, fined \$143.

John Michael Pekarek, unlawful parking in accessible parking; blocking access ramp or aisle, fined \$155.

Dec. 2: Gail R. Yonkey, speeding, fined \$191.

Jacob Gibson, vehicles; unlawful acts; e.g., registration, fined \$158.

Jacob Gibson, license to be carried and exhibited upon demand, fined \$60.

Dec. 3: Richard Alan Freeman, speeding, fined \$149.

Mary E. Sterrett, speeding, fined \$155.

Zachary G. Theriault, speeding, fined \$143.

Debra Helen Yates-Blair, no seatbelt, fined \$10.

Dec. 5: Stephen W. Schovee, unlawful parking in accessible parking; blocking access ramp or aisle, fined \$143.

Dec. 6: Mark D. Bowker, speeding, fined \$143.

Craig Mllo Wagner, speeding, fined \$161.

Dec. 7: Elise Lillian Fagan, speeding, fined \$143.

Adrain Martinez Gonzalez, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked, fined \$158.

Adrain Martinez Gonzalez, speeding, fined \$51.

Farid Nabil Jabbour, speeding, fined \$143.

Ronald Fay Parker, speeding, fined \$173.

Pedro Rene Rivas-Rodriguez,

speeding, fined \$143.

Manuel Guillermo Sarinana, speeding, fined \$143.

Dec. 8: Jacqueline Sue Archuleta, speeding, fined \$185.

Christopher A. Cayson, speeding, fined \$149.

Maria C. Garcia, speeding, fined \$155.

Shumila Anderson Hodge, speeding, fined \$143.

Jesus J. Rodriguez, speeding, fined \$143.

James Francis Short, speeding, fined \$143.

John David Snelson, speeding, fined \$149.

Tamara Thomas Stone, speeding, fined \$143.

Dec. 9: Alma Gabriela Acero, speeding, fined \$148.

Amy C. Floyd, speeding, fined \$173.

Dolores Mackey, speeding, fined \$149.

Joel E. Estrada Reyes, renewal of registration of certain vehicles, fined \$158.

Dec. 10: Joe Aguirre Jr., speeding, fined \$155.

Kenvin M. Barnett, speeding, fined \$143.

Hilary Depolo, speeding, fined \$173.

Charles Hadley, speeding, fined \$161.

Amy Ann Lee, speeding, fined \$185.

Trot Dwayne Mangum, no seatbelt, fined \$10.

Troy Dwayne Mangum, speeding, fined \$161.

Jason Grant Raw, speeding, fined \$161.

Dec. 11: David L. Bartelson, speeding, fined \$191.

Timothy J. Frecks, speeding, fined \$167.

Dec. 12: Travis Dwight Luper, speeding, fined \$167.

Carlos Ernesto Linares Ortiz, speeding, fined \$161.

Dec. 13: Sararose Finesilver-Saunders, speeding, fined \$179.

Bruce A. Ausherman, motor carrier safety rules and regulations, fined \$213.

Danielle Doyle, license restrictions, suspension or revocation, deferred adjudication \$298.

Dec. 14: Mallory Edwards, speeding, fined \$161.

William Austin Igleheart, speeding, fined \$185.

Dec. 15: Crystal Maria Devaughn, speeding, fined \$155.

Gala Malherbe, unlawful parking in accessible parking; blocking access ramp or aisle, fined \$173.

Dale Shillington, no seatbelt, fined \$10.

Christopher Thomas, no oversize permit on 12.5 foot wide load, fined \$148.

Dec. 16: Brian Christopher Lopina, speeding, fined \$203.

Kerstina Lee Stoney, speeding, fined \$221.

Eugene P. Durbin, reckless driving, fined \$398.

Dec. 18: Abraham Donald Eitzen, speeding, fined \$173.

Glenn Mark Felzien, speeding, fined \$155.

Danelle Vonnia Lewis, speeding, fined \$143.

Reynaldo Pagan-Ortiz, speeding, fined \$143.

Andrew M. Peterson, speeding, fined \$143.

Zachery Paul Schrock, speeding, fined \$179.

Andres Echeverria-Ramos, unlawful parking in accessible parking; blocking access ramp or aisle, fined \$149.

Dec. 19: Jenna Michelle Jamar, unlawful parking in accessible parking; blocking access ramp or aisle, fined \$161.

Dec. 20: David Andrew Kelley, speeding, fined \$143.

James Easton Sr., motor carrier safety rules and regulations, fined \$213.

Norman F. Repp, driving on right side of roadway required, fined \$173.

January time to focus on misunderstood crime

January is National Stalking Awareness Month, a time to focus on a crime that affects 3.4 million victims a year. This year's theme—"Stalking: Know It. Name It. Stop It."—challenges the nation to fight this dangerous crime by learning more about it.

Stalking is a crime in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, yet many victims and criminal justice professionals underestimate its seriousness and impact. In one of five cases, stalkers use weapons to harm or threaten victims, and stalking is one of the significant risk factors for homicide (homicide of women) in abusive relationships. Victims suffer anxiety, social dysfunction and severe depression at much higher rates than the general population,

and many lose time from work or have to move as a result of their victimization.

"Stalking is difficult to recognize, investigate, and prosecute. Unlike other crimes, stalking is not a single, easily identifiable crime but a series of acts, a course of conduct directed at a specific person that would cause that person fear," says Audra Fullerton, Communications Coordinator for Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence. "Stalking may take many forms, such as assaults, threats, vandalism, burglary, or animal abuse, as well as unwanted cards, calls, gifts, or visits," continues Fullerton. "In Kansas, requests for Protection from Stalking Orders continue to rise with 5,202 Protection from

Stalking Orders filed in 2011, up from 5,089 in 2010."

Stalkers fit no standard psychological profile, and many stalkers follow their victims from one jurisdiction to another, making it difficult for authorities to investigate and prosecute their crimes.

Communities that understand stalking, however, can support victims and combat the crime. "If more people learn to recognize stalking," said Joyce Grover, executive director of KCSADV, "we have a better chance to protect victims and prevent tragedies."

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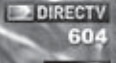



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Distributor has way to tighten fences

By Ron Wilson

*Director
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at Kansas State University*

"Good fences make good neighbors," wrote the poet Robert Frost. But what happens when those fences get loose or the wires start to sag? Today, in Kansas Profile, we'll meet a Kansas entrepreneur who represents a company with a product that can fix such fences.

Rod Huse is a distributor for Jake's Wire Tighteners. Rod is what one might call a "ruralpreneur" - an entrepreneur in a rural setting. He is a retired educator who has always been involved in business opportunities.

"I always had a business on the

side," Rod said. He taught in Wichita and in southwest Kansas and also ran the family farm which is located in the Scott County area. He taught technical education and small engine repair at Garden City Community College and then at Johnson County Community College. To supplement his teaching salary, he built homes and invested in various products.

In 2001, he moved to Vassar which is near Lake Pomona south of Topeka. He continued to teach in Johnson County, retiring in 2010 after 32 years of teaching. At that time, he decided to pursue an opportunity with a business called Jake's Wire Tighteners.

Jake was a rancher in Texas who had a gift for fixing things. One day,

two of his bulls got to fighting and caused havoc on a fence. It looked like an all-day mending job. Jake walked back to his shop and, from small pieces of cattle panel, created a clip which he could use to mend the fence in no time. These worked so well that other people wanted some.

He developed and refined his idea, and it looked like a business opportunity. Then Jake was diagnosed with colon cancer and suddenly passed away. It was a sad turn of events.

In Jake's memory, his nephew - who had been his partner in the business startup - patented the clip and called it "Jake's Wire Tighteners."

As the business grew, Rod Huse in Kansas was contacted about

becoming a distributor. "Before I took this on, I went to a lot of farm suppliers to see what (of this type of product) was out there," Rod said. "There was nothing close."

The wire tightener itself is a heavy duty clip with a couple of hooks. To use it, the operator hooks the clip onto a loose wire and uses a metal handle to roll and tighten the wire.

"It is quick, inexpensive, and very simple to use once a person learns the technique," Rod said. Turning the handle tightens the wire by rolling it on the clip itself.

"We roll the wire onto the clip - we do not crimp it," Rod said. "Anytime you crimp the wire, you weaken it. If you have wire that is really brittle, nothing can be done for it. But because we roll the wire

rather than crimping it, it does work on rusty wire."

"For a quick and inexpensive repair, this is hard to beat," Rod said. It's appealing to ag producers, but Rod has found benefits to others as well.

"This little clip will tighten about anything that fits in the handle," he said. Rod has especially found applications in the shipping business, where businesses can use the clips to help secure a load for shipping.

Rod's job is to secure distributors for the company: "We set up individual dealers as well as businesses," he said. "It might be a farm supply store, a lumberyard or a hardware store."

He goes to farm shows to showcase the product to customers and

prospective dealers. Rod has helped secure dealers all over the region, and there are dealers in Canada and Australia as well as the U.S. Meanwhile, Rod lives in the rural community of Vassar, with a population of 530 people. Now, that's rural.

For more information, see www.jakeswiretighteners.com.

"Good fences make good neighbors," wrote Robert Frost. This product from Rod Huse helps keep those fences good and strong. We salute Rod Huse and all those involved with Jake's Wire Tighteners for making a difference with creative entrepreneurship. That makes for good fences and a good neighborhood.

Newer lights available for indoor gardening

Many gardeners use fluorescent lights to start young vegetable and flower plants during the spring or to grow certain houseplants all year long. Even hearing



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about them I never understood the differences. Ward Upham, Kansas State Horticulture Specialist, recently sent out an explanation of the differences. Ward said, traditionally, we have used fixtures with T-12 lamps suspended a few inches above the tops of the plants.

However, there are newer lamps that may be a better choice for some indoor gardens. These are known as T-8 and T-5 lamps. The number after the "T" refers to the diameter of the lamp in eighths of an inch. Therefore, a T-12 lamp is 12/8 or 1.5 inches in diameter and are what most people are familiar with. A T-8 is 8/8 or 1 inch in diameter and a T-5 is 5/8 of an inch in diameter.

So, does a smaller diameter mean less light? Not at all! In fact, the T-5 is the brightest of the three. A T-12 lamp puts out 1,500 to 3,200 lumens for a 48-inch lamp. This lamp has a life of between 10,000 and 20,000 hours.

The T-8 lamp produces 2,800 lumens and has a 30,000 - 40,000-hour life expectancy. The T-5 is rated at 5,000 lumens but lasts only 30,000 hours. Well, actually 30,000

hours is a long time. If you had your lamps turned on for 12 hours every day, it would take almost 7 years to reach the 30,000-hour mark.

Another advantage for these newer lamps is they use less electricity per lumen. Our traditional 48-inch T-12 is rated at 40 watts. However, there are newer styles of T-12's that are 34 watts. The T-8 is rated at 32 watts and the T-5 at 54 watts. This, sounds too good to be true. Are there drawbacks? Of course there are, first is the cost.

Let's start with T-5's. Even though T-5 lamps produce more light, the lamps are much more expensive and harder to find. Also, you must have a special T-5 fixture, which is also very expensive. The 2 lamp fixture I located was priced over \$250. Therefore, the T-5's would not be practical for this use.

So, what about the T-8's? First, you cannot use your existing T-12 fixtures for T-8's unless that fixture is specifically rated for both. However, the price for T-8 lamps and fixtures is not that much more than T-12's. Such was not always the case as it wasn't that long ago that T-8' lamps and fixtures were much

more expensive.

The question becomes, is it worth it? If, you have a T-12 fixture that is

rated for T-12's only and you are satisfied with your results, then maybe not. However, if you are investing

in new fixtures or have fixtures that can use either T-12's or T-8's, then go with the T-8's. They will use

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Case No. 11CV 22 K.S.A. 60 Mortgage Foreclosure

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Plaintiff,

vs.
JIMMY E. LOVINGTON AND ARLENE AGUIRRE,
Defendants.

Civil No. 12-4101-JTM-KGG

NOTICE OF MARSHAL'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an Order Of Sale Of Real Estate issued out of the United States District Court for the District of Kansas, at Topeka, Kansas, in the above entitled case, I will, in Tuesday, the 26th day of February, 2013, at 11:0 A. M., at the front door of the Sherman County Courthouse, Goodland, Kansas, offer for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the right, title and interest of Defendant above named in and to the following described real estate commonly known as 717 Cherry and located in Sherman County, Kansas, to-wit:

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United States Marshal's Office, Topeka, Kansas, this 14th day of January, 2013.

WALTER R. BRADLEY
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WESTERN STATE BANK,
Plaintiff,

vs.

JEFFERY S. SOPER, and THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SHERMAN COUNTY, KANSAS, the governing body of a Kansas municipality,
Defendants,

Case No. 2012 CV 29

A Proceeding Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 60 (TITLE TO REAL ESTATE INVOLVED)

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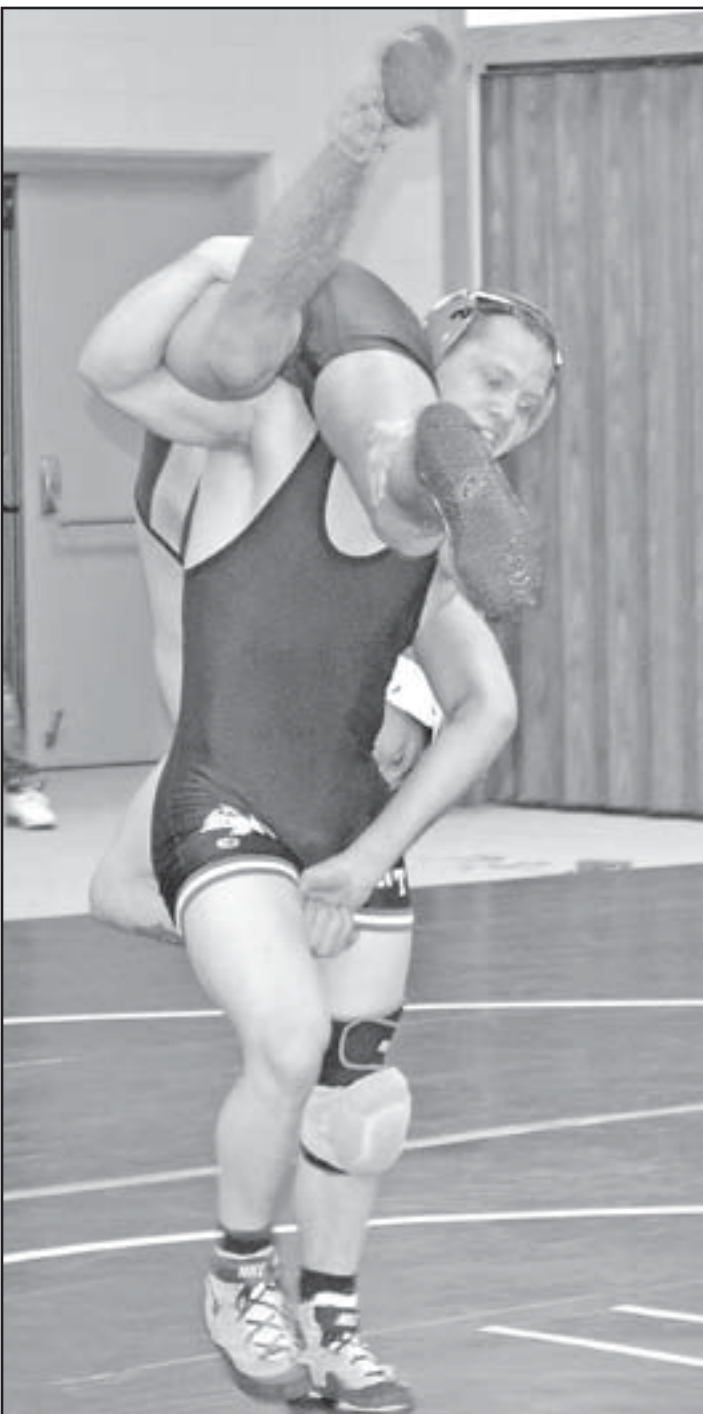
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Cowgirls lose by one point in final tournament game

The Goodland High School girls basketball team played their best game of Trojan Classic at Hillsboro on Saturday, losing by just one point, 46-45, to Thomas More Prep-Marian of Hays.

The Cowgirls had lost their second game to Riley County, 41-24, on Friday afternoon and lost their first game to Republic County, 46-32, in Belleville on Tuesday.

The Cowgirls will play at 3:45 p.m. on Saturday against the Burlington Cougars in Burlington. The boys team will play after the conclusion of the girls game.

In the first quarter against Thomas More Prep-Marian, the Cowgirls and Lady Monarchs alternated making baskets with the Monarchs sinking the first one in the first 30 seconds. Megan Siruta made the first bucket for Goodland. Siruta also made the second and third bucket. With 2:26 left in the quarter Hope Cochran sank her first bucket of the night to give the Cowgirls the lead, 8-6. TMP answered with two buckets in a row giving them the lead at the end of the first quarter, 10-8.

Going into the second quarter Brianna White evened the score when she made both of her free throws at 30 seconds in. The Lady Monarchs didn't score for two minutes until they made one of two free throws on a Cowgirl foul. At 3:57 the Lady Monarchs made a free throw and in the next minute another bucket. With 2:53 left Cochran made a bucket to make the score 14-12 in favor of the Lady Monarchs. Then Faith Biermann rebounded a ball and made two points to tie the score.

The Lady Monarchs added one more free throw before the end of the half and were in the lead, 15-14.

The Lady Monarchs made the first bucket of the third quarter. Cochran hit a three-pointer to even the score at 17-17. Paige Phillips made a rebound and added another bucket for the Cowgirls. Then the Monarchs made eight points in a row before White ended their scoring run with a bucket of her own. The score was TMP, 27-23.

The Monarchs extended their lead to 30-25 until Kate-Lynn King made a bucket passed from White. Phillips added two free throws. Then Siruta hit a three-pointer to switch the lead back to the Cowgirls, 32-30. The Cowgirls increased their lead to four by the end of the third quarter, 38-34. The Cowgirls made 23 points in the third quarter.

The Lady Monarchs tied things up 38-38 in the beginning of the fourth quarter. King hit a bucket to give the Cowgirls the lead again, 40-38. No one scored until TMP hit two free throws at 3:28 left in the game to tie the game at 40-40.

White made two free throws at 2:36 but TMP quickly scored to re-tie the game. With 1:59 left TMP scored. White made a bucket to re-tie the game, 44-44. With less than a minute left TMP hit two free throws to give them the lead, 46-44. King was fouled and made the first free throw but couldn't make the second. King had one last look, but missed the shot, giving the Lady Monarchs the win, 46-45.

Siruta made 11 points and seven rebounds, King made nine points and 13 rebounds, Phillips made four

points, Biermann two, White eight and Cochran had nine points and two rebounds.

In Friday's Trojan Classic game against Riley County, King made the first point from a free throw. The Cowgirls were unable to score anymore points in the quarter, but allowed the Lady Falcons to go on a 14 point run. The Lady Falcons led 14-1 at the end of the first quarter.

Cochran added two free throws in the first 30 seconds of the second quarter. King added a bucket on a pass from Cochran to make the score 19-5. The Cowgirls had taken no shots from the field and had 11 turnovers. Before the end of the first half King, Cochran and Biermann

added a bucket. The half ended with the Lady Falcons leading, 26-11.

Before the end of the third quarter Phillips added a free throw, White a bucket and Biermann a free throw to make the score Riley County, 33-15.

In the fourth quarter King hit a bucket with 4:50 left. By that time, Goodland had 21 turnovers to Riley County's five. White hit two buckets, King pulled down a rebound and Siruta put in a bucket to make the score 41-22. White made the final Cowgirl bucket with 17 seconds left. Even though they had made the final nine points of the game, the Cowgirls lost, 41-24.

Local students place at indoor track meet

Several Goodland High School and Grant Junior High students competed in an indoor track tournament in Manhattan. More than 300 students competed from Kansas and Missouri.

In the High School Division: Holton Witman placed third in the pole vault with a vault of 11 feet. He also placed 51st in the 60-yard dash with a time of 8.29 seconds.

Lacie Siruta placed seventh in the triple jump with 27 feet, 2 inches; 12th in the 400-yard dash with 66.43 seconds; and 29th in the 200-yard dash with 30.26 seconds.

Koal Artzer placed seventh in the high jump with 5 feet, 4 inches; and

22nd in the long jump with 15 feet, 2 inches.

Lindsey Geeseka placed 18th in the long jump with 11 feet, 4 inches; 21st in the mile run with 7 minutes, .91 seconds; and 22nd in the 800-yard run with 2 minutes, 57.55 seconds.

Todd Sneath placed 32nd in the 200-yard dash with 25.13 seconds; and 34th in the 60-yard dash with 7.71 seconds. He also competed in the long jump.

In the Junior High Division: Devanee Borgman placed 17th in the 60-yard dash with 9.21 seconds and 19th in the 300-yard dash with 51.45 seconds.

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Mustang seventh graders trounce Scott City

By Kevin Bottrell
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The Grant Junior High seventh grade basketball team won a pair of games against the Scott City Bluejays at home on Tuesday.

The Mustangs' A-Team fell behind early, but battled back, taking the lead in the third quarter and holding on to win 31-28. Scott City made the first score, and it wasn't until 3:40 that Levi Archer scored to tie the game at 2-2. The Bluejays added another four points, taking a 6-2 lead. With 19 seconds left in the quarter, Evan Peter was fouled and made a free throw. Scott City made a last-second basket to end the quarter up 8-3.

The Bluejays scored again in the opening minute of the second quarter, but the Mustangs began to rally when Archer got a rebound, went coast-to-coast and sunk a two-point shot. Then, Gabe Biermann got a steal and laid it in to make it 10-7.

The Bluejays made a basket, then Archer was fouled with 2:46 remaining in the half. He made one of two free throws. Scott City scored again to make it 14-8. Wence Hendrich got a rebound and scored, then Dawson Raymer hit a free throw. Archer put in another two points to bring the Mustangs within one point. However, the Bluejays scored with eight seconds left, ending the half at 16-13.

The Bluejays again got the opening score of the second half. Archer got a putback to make it 18-15. He then pulled down a rebound and scored and was fouled on the play. He made a free throw to tie the game at 18-18.

With 43 seconds left in the quarter, Hendrich made a free throw to give the Mustangs their first lead of the game, 19-18.

At the start of the fourth quarter, Joshua Garcia got a steal and passed it to Archer, who put it in for two. Scott City scored, making it 21-20 in favor of the Mustangs. Brandt Mull got a putback, then Hendrich scored on a pass from Garcia to widen the



Dawson Raymer (above) looked for an opening during Tuesday's seventh grade games against Scott City. Levi Archer (right) shot a free throw.

Photos by Kevin Bottrell/The Goodland Star-News



lead to five points.

The Bluejays put in another couple of baskets, pulling to within one again, then Archer drove inside for two points to make it 27-24. With 1:32 to play, Scott City scored twice, taking a 28-27 lead. Peter put in a basket with 26 seconds left to regain

the lead. In the final seconds, Dawson Raymer was fouled and made two free throws to end the game with a 31-28 Mustang victory.

The B-Team also fell behind early, but found their footing and surged ahead of the Bluejays. Scott City scored the first three

baskets of the game and held the Mustangs almost scoreless in the first quarter. Garcia put in the first basket with just 15 seconds remaining, ending the quarter down 6-2.

The Mustangs bounced back in the second quarter. They went on a 12 point run with baskets from Garcia, Lucas Wood, Rumelo Bustillos and Tucker Harkins. Scott City scored with 1:35 left in the half. Darby Haus put in a two pointer to end the quarter with the Mustangs in the lead 16-8.

Archer scored on a pass from Zach Jones to open the second half. Then Wood hit a two pointer and

Powell Sieck added a free throw. The Bluejays put in a free throw of their own plus another basket to end the quarter up 21-11.

In the fourth quarter, Chris Gamboa made a layup, then Sieck scored to make it 25-11. Wood stole the ball

and laid it in, then Reyes Bustillos made a shot on a pass from Jones to make it 27-11. Bustillos and Luis Ledesma scored in the final minute to end the game with a 33-11 win for the Mustangs.

Eighth grade loses on the road

The Grant Junior High eighth grade fell to the Bluejays at Scott City 41-22 and 48-24 on Tuesday. In the A-Team game, the Mustangs were outscored by at least five in the first three quarters. They narrowed things down in the fourth quarter, putting in eight points to the Bluejays' nine, but the damage had already been done.

Alex Goodwin was the leading scorer with a pair of two-pointers and a free throw for five points. Darian Kent and Dusty Johnson scored four points each while Cade Mayer, Nolan Deeds and Dillon Gillming had three each.

The B-Team boys kept up in the first and fourth quarters, but allowed Scott City to score 17 in the second and 13 in the third while adding just seven and 10 points of their own.

Darian Kent was the top scorer with seven in the third and fourth quarters. Kasey Stramel, Johnson and Mayer had four each; Jacob Brown had three and Zane Bateman had two.

The seventh and eighth grade teams are scheduled to play at home on Saturday against Ulysses. Both games start at 9 a.m. at the Max Jones Fieldhouse.

Five Cowboys place at tourney

The Goodland High School varsity wrestling team ended up in ninth place out of 23 teams at the Prairie Classic Tournament last Friday and Saturday in Hays.

The Cowboys had 93 team points. St. Thomas Aquinas High School of Overland Park came in first with 187.

Goodland was scheduled to wrestle at Burlington on Thursday. Next action for the Cowboys on Thursday, Jan. 31, at home against Atwood.

Aaron Avelar got second place at 113 pounds. He beat Tyler Teraat of Riley County by fall and Bryce Garcia of Maize South to advance to the championship match. He lost to Masen McCracken of Wichita Haysville in a 2-7 decision.

Tyler Gastineau placed second at 195. He beat Luke Jacobs of Phillipsburg by fall and Josh Brazzle of Riley County by fall to advance to the championship round, where he lost to Preston Weigel of Hays by a 15-0 technical fall.

John Peden got third place at 152. He beat Jared Gabel of Thomas More Prep-Marian by fall, but lost to Zack Hoskins of St. Thomas Aquinas in a 10-1 major decision. In the consolation bracket, he beat Konnor Buxton of Hays by fall, Zach Sanders of Hoisington in a 5-3 decision and Lawson Fiss of Hugoton in a 3-1 decision to advance to the third-place match. Peden beat Regis Weiss of Russell by fall to take third.

Josh Whisnant placed fourth at 160. After a bye in the opening rounds, he beat Cody Faulkender of Oakley in a 4-3 decision, then lost to Scott Whitson of Buhler by fall. In the consolation bracket, he beat Josh Moyer of Maize South in a 2-0 decision, but lost the third-place match to Skyler Crookston of Spring Hill by fall.

Colton Cooper placed sixth at 182. He beat Jacob Hendricks of Maize South in a 7-0 decision and Travis Steenson of McPherson by fall, but lost to Gavin Grater of Riley County by fall. In the consolation bracket, he lost to Nick Heland of Kapaun Mt. Carmel in a 5-2 decision and to Ethan Deterding of Hays by fall to take sixth.

At 126, Austin Hernandez won one match and lost two. He had a bye in the first round and defeated Schuyler Duncan of Spring Hill in a 2-7 decision. He lost in the third round to Luke Henes of St. Thomas Aquinas in a 16-2 major decision and in the consolation bracket to Mason Bannister of Phillipsburg in a 1-0 decision.

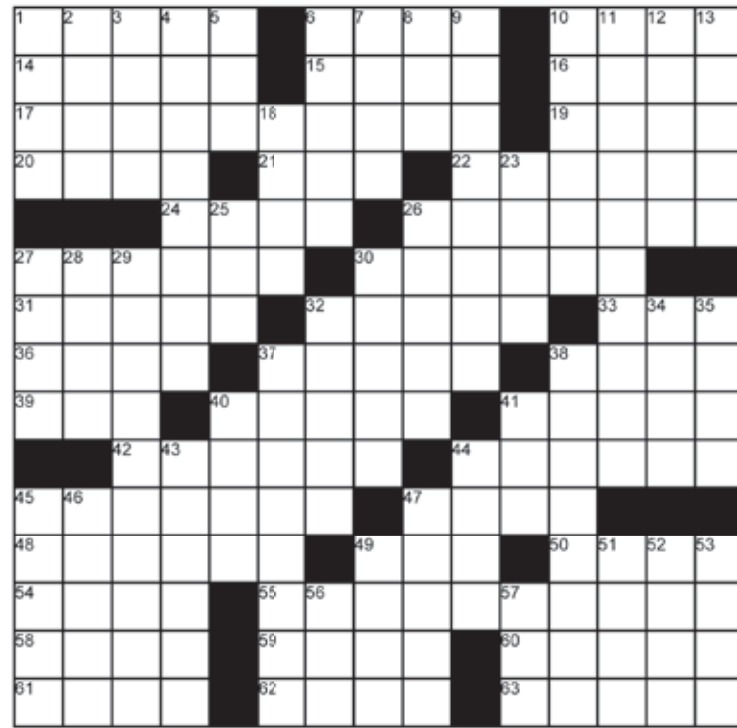
At 145, Ricky Milke lost two matches. He lost to Marcus Gaeddert of Buhler by default and to Isaac Coomes of Phillipsburg in a 7-0 decision.

At 170, Ian Bonsall won one match and lost two. He lost to Logan Lindbloom of Buhler in a 10-8 decision. In the consolation bracket, he beat Juston Raynesford of Thomas More Prep-Marian by fall, then lost to Shelton Robison of Maize South in a 6-0 decision.

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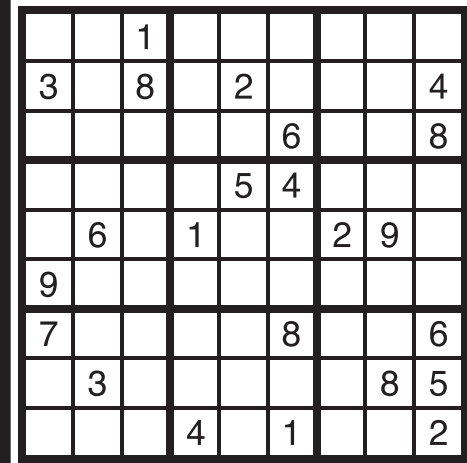
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