

weather report

44°

10 a.m.
Thursday

Today

• Sunset, 4:38 p.m.

Saturday

• Sunrise, 6:24 a.m.

• Sunset, 4:37 p.m.

Midday Conditions

• Soil temperature 42 degrees

• Humidity 57 percent

• Sky sunny

• Winds west 5 mph

• Barometer 30.44 inches

and falling

• Record High today 83° (1934)

• Record Low today 16° (2000)

Last 24 Hours*

High Wednesday 54°

Low Wednesday 22°

Precipitation none

This month 0.16

Year to date 16.68

Below normal 1.99 inches

The Topside Forecast

Today: Mostly sunny with a high near 71, winds out of the west at 5 to 10 mph switching to the northeast and a low around 33. Saturday: Sunny with a high near 62, winds light and variable switching to the southeast at 5 to 10 mph and a low around 31.

Extended Forecast

Sunday: Sunny with a high near 59 and a low around 36. Monday: Sunny with a high near 59 and a low around 36. Tuesday: Mostly sunny with a high near 54 and a low around 30. Tuesday: Mostly sunny with a high near 54 and a low around 30.

(National Weather Service)

City, county debate tax program

By Kevin Bottrell

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The Sherman County commissioners encouraged the city to take a closer look at their Neighborhood Revitalization Act plan during a public hearing at the city commission meeting on Monday.

Ken Klemm spoke to the city on behalf of the county commissioners, saying the county was looking at changing their plan to target blight areas, rather than having it apply to the whole county. He encouraged the city to do the same. The city's current plan designates the entire area within the city limits as a blight area and therefore eligible for the Neighborhood Revitalization program, which provides

a tax rebate on building and property improvements over \$5,000.

Klemm said that the county commissioners has been reviewing the projects approved for Neighborhood Revitalization and it is their view that some do not fit the spirit of the law. The spirit, he said, is to look at properties that aren't doing as well as they should and improve them.

"Unless this applied to a derelict building, it is not a good investment," he said.

Klemm said he didn't want people to think that the county was entirely opposed to the program.

"We think some parts of this act are beneficial if implemented properly," Klemm said.

Klemm said County Attorney Robert Moser is looking at the county's previous plan to see if it complies with the act, and until he finishes that review, the county would not be approving any projects.

James Foster with the Kansas Department of Commerce was at the meeting. He said the law is written in a very broad and vague way, so there could be many interpretations of what it means. He said that at least some portions of the plan are reviewed by the state Attorney General's office.

The county is also questioning the economic impact of the program. County Clerk Janet Rumpel said she had calculated how much was given back for Neighborhood

Revitalization projects. For the 2013 budget, \$294,653.83 was rebated for 2012 taxes on the projects across all three taxing entities. She estimated that \$375,577.70 would be rebated in 2014 for this year's taxes.

Klemm said the program lowers the tax revenue and more taxes have to be levied to make up the difference.

Foster said the state looks at the act as revenue neutral, since the rebates are given on taxes that wouldn't have been paid if the project was not done.

Gerber said the city sees it as more than revenue neutral because they are working under

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State is keeping lake filled with water

Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks, and Tourism Public Lands and Fisheries sections staff began releasing water from Sherman State Fishing Lake to refill Smoky Gardens Lake on Monday.

Flooding rains in late September filled both lakes, but previous drought conditions and groundwater withdrawals resulted in lowered water table levels in the North Fork Smoky Hill River alluvium — a collection of loose soil — upon which the state lake and Smoky Gardens Lake were built. Despite the refilling of both lakes, the low water table level has resulted in rapid water loss through natural absorption.

The department manages the Sherman Wildlife Area and Lake primarily for wildlife, while the Fisheries section manages the fishery resource at Smoky Gardens Lake in cooperation with Sherman County. Both properties are being managed in tandem to provide a

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Soups on



Three types of soup were on the menu Saturday at the Goodland Regional Medical Center Auxiliary luncheon fund raiser at the Goodland United Methodist Church. The auxiliary is raising money in part to go to the hospital's capital campaign, and will

be doing more events later this year. The volunteer organization helps support the ongoing needs of the hospital.

Photo by Kevin Bottrell/The Goodland Star-News

Hospital has safe way to dispose of medical equipment

Goodland Regional Medical Center is providing a safe disposal site for patient needles and other "sharps" free of charge.

Sharps include: needles — hollow needles used to inject medication under the skin; Syringes — devices used to inject medication into or withdraw fluid from the body; lancets — Also called fingersticks, instruments with a short blade to get drops of blood for testing, commonly used in treatment of diabetes; auto injectors — epinephrine and insulin pens, syringes pre-filled with fluid medication for

self-injection; infusion sets — tubing systems with a needle to deliver medication to the body; Connection needles/sets — needles that connect to a tube used to transfer fluids in and out of the body, used in home dialysis.

These objects can be dangerous to people and pets if not disposed of safely. They can injure people and spread infections that cause serious health conditions.

Sharps for disposal are taken only in appropriate red containers that can be obtained from hospital at no cost. Containers

can be obtained at the central registration desk from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday or from the director of diabetes education by appointment.

When the container is full, patients can return them for an empty one by bringing the container back to Central Registration during normal business hours.

It is estimated that 9 million Americans use needles and other sharps at home to manage a medical condition such as allergies, arthritis, cancer, diabetes, migraines, multiple

sclerosis, osteoporosis and other conditions.

According to the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, never place loose needles and other sharps in the household or public trash or recycling bins and never flush them down the toilet. Improper disposal of these items puts trash and sewage workers, janitors, housekeepers, household members and children at risk of being harmed.

For more information regarding the safe disposal of sharps, call the hospital at (785) 890-3625.

New equipment donation



The Goodland Community Learning Center donated four new basketball goals for the courts at Phillips Park. The City of Goodland provided the concrete work to get the new goals installed. Paul Medrano, who works at the learning center, said he is part

of a group that plays on the courts regularly. He noticed the goals needed to be replaced. He said the next goal is to reset the courts, which are currently a bit crooked.

Photo by Paul Medrano

Students picked for KU program

Two Goodland High School students attended the "Women in Health Care: The Next Generation" program this week on the campus of the University of Kansas.

Senior Hope Cochran and junior Cheyenne Ortner were among 12 selected from across the state to participate in the three-day program, which takes high school junior and senior female students who have shown a strong interest and commitment to health care careers and provides them with the opportunity to interact with health professions students and faculty at KU Medical Center.

Pheasant Season Opens Saturday

Remember to observe "no hunting" signs. Signs are available for purchase at the Star-News Office

local markets

10 a.m.

Wheat — \$7.01 bushel

Posted county price — \$6.87

Corn — \$4.16 bushel

Posted county price — \$4.20

Milo — \$3.76 bushel

Soybeans — \$11.73 bushel

Posted county price — \$11.96

Millet — no bid

Sunflowers

Oil current crop — \$19.10 cwt.

Confection — no bid

Pinto beans — \$28

(Markets by Scouler Grain, Sun Opta, Frontier Ag and 21st Century Bean. These may not be closing figures.)

inside today

More local news, views from your Goodland Star-News



Cowboys fall to Abilene

The Goodland High School football team narrowly lost to Abilene in Tuesday's playoff game.

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blue star banner

Do you have a son/daughter or grandson/granddaughter presently serving in active-duty military? Or does a friend or relative have someone? If so, we would like to present them with a Blue Star Banner for their door or window. Call Zona Price, secretary of the Goodland Elks Lodge at (785) 890-6251.

genesis and salvation army

If you can spare one hour ring the bell for the Salvation Army contact 890-2299 to schedule a time. The annual event raises the majority of money used throughout the year. The money raised in Sherman County from Friday, Nov. 29, to Dec. 24, stays in Sherman County.

Genesis and Salvation Army are available year round to help those in need. 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 Tuesdays.

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.

A PTSD Support Group for Iraq, Afghanistan, Beirut and others is forming. Call Ron Thompson, prior Air Force and Army veteran, for information at (785) 462-0296.

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. The hours are 5:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday through Thursday, Friday 5:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday 1 to 5 p.m. Aerobics are at 5:30 a.m. on Monday and Wednesday. Insanity class meets at 5:30 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Taekwondo with Wayne Luckert call for times and dates.

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 or 728-7491.

Goodland AI-Anon Family Group meets at 6 p.m. on Fridays

the calendar

calendar

Reserve your spot in the Goodland fall cleanup done by the students of Goodland High School by calling 890-5656. The cleanup will be from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 13. This community service project done by the high school is mainly for the elderly. They can not pick up tires, large appliances, hazardous household waste or large tree branches longer than four foot in length.

Prairie Land Food sign up will be until Monday. Distribution is 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 23, at Cat's TrT, 1018 Main, or at the Bernadine Johnson residence, located at 704 Walnut. For information call 899-2338, 821-1275, 890-2287, 821-1827 or 899-4278 or order online at www.prairielandfood.com. The Prairie Pak will have breaded chicken tenders, lean ground beef, Canadian bacon, beef steak strips, pork sausage, sweet potatoes, potatoes, onions, celery, carrots, oranges and apples. The specials are Thanksgiving meal deal, gold foil turkey breast, black forest ham, pepperoni pizza and pumpkin supreme pie.

The Goodland Soup Bol serves dinner at 5 p.m. on Monday nights at the Goodland Methodist Church Fellowship Hall for anyone who wants to come. Free will donations welcome. For information call 899-3631.

The Kids Cooking Class is held on the second Wednesday of each month from 3:45 to 5:15 p.m. at

the 4-H Building. This class is open for second to fifth graders. For information call 890-4880.

senior menu

Today: Fish sticks, macaroni and cheese, winter mix vegetables, bread and gelatin with fruit. Monday: Steak fingers, parselied potatoes, cook's choice vegetables, bread and rosy pears. Tuesday: Turkey, sweet potatoes, cranberry apple salad, bread and pumpkining dessert. Wednesday: Taco salad, apricots, chips and brownies. Thursday: Pork roast, mashed potatoes with gravy, steamed cabbage, carrots and onions, bread and strawberries. Friday: Tuna and noodles, stewed tomatoes, mixed fruit, bread and cook's choice complement.

school menu

Today: Breakfast - French toast sticks with syrup, fruit cup, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Sloppy joe, corn chips, sweet potato puffs, baked beans, fruit and milk. Monday: Breakfast - Whole grain cinnamon roll, Mandarin oranges, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Pig in a blanket, potato wedges, broccoli with cheese, apple, gelatin and milk. Tuesday: Breakfast - Whole grain waffles with syrup, pineapple, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Chicken wrap with lettuce and tomato, Spanish rice, steamed carrots, fruit and milk. Wednesday: Breakfast - Breakfast pizza, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Spaghetti, spinach salad, garlic bread and fruit. Thursday: Breakfast - Egg taco with salsa, graham

crackers, fruit and milk. Lunch - Taco salad, tortilla chips with salsa, refried beans, pineapple and milk. Friday: Breakfast - Whole grain muffin, banana, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, orange and milk.

school calendar

Today: Central School picture retakes. West School picture retakes. Monday: 3 p.m. junior wrestling quad at Colby. 3 p.m. junior high scholar's bowl at Atwood. 7 p.m. board of education meeting. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America wiffleball tournament. Fall athletic buffer week. Tuesday: 3:30 p.m. girls junior high basketball A/B at Oakley. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America wiffleball tournament. Fall athletic buffer week. Wednesday: 7:30 a.m. professional learning community. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America wiffleball tournament. Fall athletic buffer week. Thursday: Fort Hays Math Relays. 8:30 a.m. PLAN test for sophomores. 3 p.m. junior high wrestling quad at Oakley. 3:30 girls eighth grade basketball B/C against Colby at the junior high gym. Girls seventh grade basketball B/C at Colby. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America wiffleball tournament. Fall athletic buffer week. Friday: Goodland High School musical. Sectional football. Kansas Music Educators Association auditions clinic. West school pie delivery. Fall athletic buffer week.

death notice

Keith Cook

Keith Cook, 85, Sherman County farmer and farm equipment trader, died Thursday, Nov. 7, 2013, at Good Samaritan Society — Sher-

man County in Goodland. Services are pending with Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland.

ruleton eager beavers

The October meeting of the Ruleton Eager Beavers was held on Sunday, Oct. 13, at the 4-H building. President, Dani Mangus called the meeting to order by saying the flag salute and the 4-H pledge. Eighteen members, three leaders and five guests answered roll call of my Halloween costume. Minutes were read and approved. The treasurer and reporter gave a report.

The club is responsible for the Achievement Awards Ceremony on Oct. 27. Five members were asked to bring three dozen cookies and all members were asked to help set up.

The Christmas party committee will make arrangements for a pool party.

Election of officers results are as follows: Jade Artzer was re-elected as president; Dani Mangus as vice-president; Hannah Eslinger as secretary; Hannah Dechant as treasurer; Kelly Jefferson, Maver-

ick Spreser as parliamentarians; Truman Hooker as reporter; Dalton Arntt as historian; Saige Vandiver and Dani Mangus as council representatives; Koal Artzer and Jade Artzer as alternate council representatives; Harrison Bhend, Caleb Dechant, Caleb Duell, Josie Hill, Maverick Spreser and DJ Knox as recreation leaders; Caleb Dechant, Caleb Duell, Christina Jefferson, Walker Eslinger, Natalie Dorn as song leaders; Charlene and Danny Mangus, Josh and Koren Dechant, Abby Spreser and Karen Hooker as leaders.

Up-coming events include, Achievement Awards on Oct. 27, Officers training and council meeting on Nov. 3 and the next meeting will be on Nov. 10. The meeting was adjourned by saying the club motto. Refreshments were provided by the Jefferson family.

Submitted by Truman Hooker

matters of record

Goodland Police

The following incidents have been reported to the Goodland Police Department:

Aug. 10 - 2:37 p.m., 210 Aspen Road, Dee Ihrig reported a theft. Case remains under investigation.

Aug. 11 - 14:40 a.m., 322 Sycamore Road, State of Kansas reported an emergency detention. Case referred to county attorney.

Aug. 12 - 2:53 p.m., 1104 Center Ave., Amanda Ann Kesterson reported domestic battery. Case referred to city attorney.

4:43 p.m. 2810 Commerce Road Lot 14, a juvenile reported battery and unlawful operation of BB gun. Case referred to city attorney.

Aug. 13 - 8:55 p.m., 607 E 19th, Ashley Herschberger reported telephone harassment. Case referred to city attorney.

Aug. 15 - 9:17 p.m., 1503 Caldwell Ave., Victoria Stegall reported domestic battery and disorderly conduct. Case referred to city attorney.

Aug. 17 - 9:24 a.m., 700 Main Ave., City of Goodland reported unregistered pitbull, no animal license and dog at large. Case referred to city attorney.

Aug. 18 - 10:44 a.m., 900 W. 17th, arrested Charles Kietzer on possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia. Case referred to county attorney.

5:32 p.m., 1002 E. 8th, John M. Koggie reported criminal damage. Case remains under investigation.

Aug. 20 - 2:48 p.m., 220 W. 2nd, Maria Isabel Webster, Adare Webster and a juvenile reported domestic battery and battery. Case referred to city attorney.

Aug. 25 - 8:30 p.m., 323 Broadway Ave., Randall Raile reported criminal trespass. Case referred to county attorney.

Aug. 27 - 5:08 p.m., 320 E. 8th, Casey's General Store reported theft of motor fuel. Case remains under investigation.

8:48 p.m., 2160 Commerce Road,

Allegra Adolf was arrested for theft from Walmart. Case referred to city attorney.

Aug. 28 - 1:21 p.m., 600 E. 13th, Vicki Hilty reported criminal damage to property. Case remains under investigation.

9:43 p.m., 2810 Commerce Road Lot 4, Carole Gamblin reported criminal damage to property.

Aug. 29 - 6:34 p.m., 1319 Cherry, Sena Brown reported a theft. Case remains under investigation.

Aug. 30 - 6:37 a.m., 1003 Cherry, arrested Robert Krisle for theft and criminal damage against Mark Gould. Case referred to county attorney.

Aug. 31 - 9:31 p.m., 409 W. 5th, Michael Anthony Fieger Jr. reported domestic battery. Case referred to city attorney.

11:59 p.m., 409 W. 5th, arrested Troy Webb for criminal damage against Tina McClary. Case referred to city attorney.

Accidents

The following accidents were investigated by the Goodland Police Department.

Aug. 12 - 7:25 a.m., 1100 Main Ave., Terrance V. Hagenah, driving a 1997 Ford, was backing out of a parking stall when he struck a 2011 GMC, which was legal parked, owned by Terry Richardson.

Aug. 14 - Kelton Scott Baker, driving a 2003 Chevrolet, was southbound on Broadway and failed to stop at a stop sign. William Eldon Bowen, driving a 10995 Ford, was westbound on 2nd when was struck by Baker.

Aug. 30 - Emerson Charles Ballentine, driving a 1992 Pontiac, was traveling northbound in the left lane on Highway 27. Ballentine turned on the turn signal to merge into the right hand lane. Kenton Lee Turner, driving a 2000 Ford, was in the right hand lane. Ballentine's vehicle struck the Turner vehicle in the drivers door and rear quarter panel. Both vehicles pulled over and stopped on the side of the road.

at First Christian Church, 711 Arcade. For information call Alice or Marilyn at 890-5914 or 821-2862.

The "Freedom Today" group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. Tuesdays, 8 p.m. Fridays and 8 p.m. on Sundays at 1013 Center. Call 890-8369.

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

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 for a fee. 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. Today: a.m. Patti Purvis and p.m. Lana Ginn. Monday: a.m. Helen Musil. Tuesday: a.m. Dale Schields. Wednesday: a.m. Sharon Gregory. Thursday: a.m. Faye Paxton and p.m. Nina Mersch. Friday: None.

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. Nutri-

tious meals are served, and parents are encouraged to get involved in their children's education. For information call 890-2552.

mops

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) meets the first Monday of every month October thru May. Meeting time: 6 p.m. -7:30 p.m. at the Harvest Evangelical Free Church; 521 E Highway 24; Goodland. For more information email goodlandmops@gmail.com or call (785) 890-6423.

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. 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.

ported a burglary and thft. Case remain under investigation.

Aug. 5 - 12:14 p.m., 18109 Cherry Ave., Dollar General reported

a theft. Case referred to county attorney.

Aug. 6 - 4:17 p.m., 21516 Broad-

way, Craig Hillman, was arrested for

aggravated battery against Kylee Fringer. Case referred to county attorney.

Aug. 10 - 12:09 a.m., 804 W. 17th, Juan Benitez and Louann Medrano reported domestic battery. Case referred to city attorney.

Last Vegas (PG-13) starts November 15!

November 8-14

Captain Phillips (PG-13)

Sustained intense sequences of menace; some violence with bloody images; substance abuse.

www.goodlandnet.com/movies

Bring this Ad to the theatre's 50 Off large popcorn & 2 drinks. Exp. 11/23/13

Nightly 7 PM Sunday Matinee 1:30 p.m. Movie bucks make great gifts!

Sherman Theatre 1203 Main - Phone 899-6103

80th Birthday celebration

The family of **Ken Baum** would like to invite you to an open house reception in honor of **Ken's 80th birthday.**

Location: Goodland United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall

Date/Time: Saturday, Nov. 30 from 2-4 p.m. MST.

If you are unable to attend you may send a card to: Ken Baum, 506 Caldwell St, Goodland, KS 67735.

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1016 Kansas.....	\$89,950
1222 Sherman.....	\$92,500
1407 Arcade.....	CONTRACT
6679 Road 24.....	\$110,000
213 Aspen.....	\$144,500
506 Harrison.....	\$175,500
1024 Main (commercial).....	\$94,900
1101 Main (commercial).....	\$94,999

Specials for the week November 8-14

Drinks included. Dine-in or carry out!

Friday, Nov. 8: BBQ Meatballs

Saturday, Nov. 9: Pork Tender

Sunday, Nov. 10: Roast Beef

* Monday, Nov. 11: Meatloaf

Tuesday, Nov. 12: Taco Burger w/chips

Wednesday, Nov. 13: Hot Beef Sandwich

Thursday, Nov. 14: Chicken Wrap

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Penny's Diner

Olathe artist depicts rural life in paintings

By Ron Wilson

Director
Huck Boyd National Institute
for Rural Development
at Kansas State University

San Dimas, Calif. An art show is underway. Among the beautiful works of art on display is a painting by an artist from halfway across the continent in Kansas. It's an example of the beautiful color and realism with which this artist depicts rural life.

Don Dane is this artist whose artwork has traveled across the country. His home and studio are in Olathe.

Don grew up in rural Missouri where his father was a Baptist minister and served various small churches around the Ozark region.

Within the family home, his mother nurtured high moral standards which Don has carried forward with him.

As a child, Don liked to draw and he took art classes in high school. After attending technical college, he got a job with United Telephone —now Sprint—in design and drafting and ultimately became a telephone engineer.

In 1982, Sprint transferred Don from Jefferson City, Mo. to the Kansas City area. Don and his family eventually settled in Olathe. He enjoyed going to the many arts and crafts shows around there and decided to try selling some artwork himself.

His original medium was graphite pencil but eventually he transitioned

to watercolor and oil. He depicted all types of subjects.

"I painted anything and everything, but I liked the rustic subjects the best," he said.

Then Don visited the National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum in Oklahoma City, Okla., and was very impressed with the western-themed art work that he saw, produced by the very finest western artists. After visiting a rodeo school near Olathe, he decided to focus on cowboy and western art.

In the late 1980s Don began to concentrate on his art career. In 2002 he retired from Sprint so as to devote full time to his artistic pursuit. He is a self-taught artist, although he has participated in professional workshops and art classes from Johnson

County Community College and the Scottsdale Art School. He has worked with artists such as Michael Sweargin and watercolorist William Matthews from Denver.

Today, Don Dane has become widely known for his portrayals of the American West, cowboys and the rural way of life. In fact, his artwork has been part of art shows from Kentucky to California. He produced cover artwork for Cowboy magazine and has been included in "Artbook" of the New West, Western Horseman, American Cowboy, Southwest Art, Western Art Collector magazine and more.

Don has received numerous awards, such as first place for painting at shows in the Kansas communities of Olathe, Kansas City and

Winfield. He received the Award of Excellence in Lincoln, Neb.

In 2011, Don was commissioned by the State of Kansas through the Kansas Lottery Commission to create a painting representative of the state's 150th anniversary. The painting image was then printed onto one of the Kansas Lottery's tickets. The original painting is part of the second chance prize to be awarded to the winning ticket.

One of Don's specialties is developing custom posters for special events. Those occasions have included events at Pigeon Forge, Tenn.; Silver Dollar City in Branson, Mo.; Cal Farley's Boys Ranch in Texas and several locations around Kansas. One of those was a cowboy gathering at the rural com-

munity of Alma, Kan., population 1,504 people. Now, that's rural.

He enjoys visiting working ranches and taking photos of cowboys at work, which enables him to paint those scenes from the photo references. He has visited the Pitchfork Ranch and the Four Sixes Ranch in Texas plus Rod Moyer's ranch near Junction City.

"I find the cattle ranches provide what I call a one-stop-shop of everything I look for in authenticity," Don said. He focuses mainly on western-themed subjects but does not limit himself to only the western genre.



Lulu LaFever will be at the Goodland Public Library at 7 p.m. on Thursday.

Singer, songwriter to be at Goodland Library

Performer and songwriter Lulu LaFever will be at the Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway, at 7 p.m. on Thursday. She performs pop, jazz, blues and juke joint swing.

LaFever was nine years old when she started

writing fun poems, stories and singing as loud as she could. Her poems turned into songs as she grew-up. She still sings loud and stays as silly as possible.

For information call 899-5461.

matters of record

Goodland Police

The following incidents have been reported to the Goodland Police Department:

April 4 - 9:09 p.m., 1417 Caldwell Ave., arrested Patricia Nejdil on a warrant, Sherman county. Case referred to county attorney.

April 5 - 2:52 p.m., 2810 Commerce Road, Alexander West reported criminal damage to property.

April 6 - 2:55 a.m., 324 W. 19th, arrested Robbie Michael Pasillas for disorderly conduct against David Randall Scott. Case referred to city attorney.

7:22 a.m., 1006 Center Ave., City of Goodland reported criminal dam-

age. Case referred to city attorney. 5:02 p.m., 724 W Hwy 24, State of Kansas reported possession of hallucinogenic drug and distribute or possess with 1000 feet of school. Case referred to county attorney.

April 8 - 7:22 a.m., 1506 Grand Ave., Terrance Knuth was taken into custody on an emergency detention. Case referred to county attorney.

11:38 a.m., 1209 Harrison Ave., arrested Ruben Quetglas for possession of hallucinogenic drug. Case referred to county attorney.

April 9 - 11:56 a.m., 924 Main Ave., US Treasury reported making false information (counterfeit currency). Case remains under investigation.

12:05 p.m., 924 Main Ave., US Treasury reported making false information (counterfeit currency). Case remains under investigation.

corrections

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Scott City to have workshop on marketing

Kansas State University will host two Risk Assessed Marketing Workshops to help agricultural producers navigate the uncertain business climate linked to volatile crop prices and the lack of a new Farm Bill. The workshops will be Nov. 20-21 in Manhattan and Feb. 26 in Scott City.

"The lack of a new Farm Bill leaves questions unanswered for those who operate the 2.2 million farms throughout the United States," said Art Barnaby, agricultural economist with K-State Research and Extension. "Farmers have the risk of their Farm Service

Agency safety net changing, and when we do have a new Farm Bill in place, it will likely include changes to crop insurance. The lack of certainty in the commodity programs, plus expanded bio-fuels and ethanol usage, combined with volatile crop prices is leaving many producers considering different methods for managing yield and price risk."

The workshops are designed to introduce producers to an integrated marketing and production management approach that combines government programs, crop insurance and alternative marketing techniques. Among the topics addressed

are: crop insurance, selling crop insurance-covered puts, futures, put and call options, forward contracts, marketing loans and basis contracts.

More information and online registration for the Nov. 20-21 workshop in Manhattan is available <http://www.agmanager.info/events/RAM/2014/default.asp> or by calling Rich Llewellyn at (785) 532-1504 or rvl@ksu.edu.

More information and registration for the Feb. 26 workshop in Scott City is available by contacting John Beckman at (620) 872-2930 or jbeckman@ksu.edu.

Hays council to talk about passing on farms

A rural revitalization event is planned from 2 to 6 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Saturday, Nov. 16, at the Quinter United Methodist Church, 218 W. 4th Street, Quinter by the Hays DCMC, a council of United Methodists in northwest Kansas.

The group gathers to celebrate rural life and think about ways to invite others to share in the joys of farming and living in rural communities. Greg Peterson, a recent graduate of Kansas State University, will show his video "I'm Farming and I Grow It." He will talk about the joys and challenges of farming the need to encourage young people to become involved in family farming.

The main speaker will be Virginia Meyer from the Center for Rural Affairs in Lyons, Neb. She will talk about the importance of farm transition to rural communities and small towns. She is in charge of the Center's LandLink Program that links "wannabe" farmers with landowners who are ready to retire but want their farm to go to someone who will come live in the community and be good stewards of the land.

Meyer will talk about the succession program that includes carefully matching the desires and skills of

those wanting to farm with just the right farm and community. She will also talk about the help offered for new farmers while still leaving room for the landowner to serve as a mentor.

After the presentation a panel will discuss the potential of implementing the LandLink program in our communities and will consider the possibility of having a church that has received a gift of land work through LandLink to bring a new family into the community. Besides Meyer and Peterson the panel will consist of Eric Haberer, a retired farmer from Paradise who has leased his land and enabled two young men to begin farming and ranching and will give an update on their experience; the Rev. Russell Fincham, a retired Methodist pastor and President of the Great Plains United Methodist Rural Advocates; Mark Herrmann, farm loan officer from the Farm Service Agency office in Russell County; and Ken Beougher, a farmer from Bird City and chair of the council.

Snacks and a meal featuring local foods will be served. A free will offering will be collected for the food. Registration is \$10 for the event and is payable at the door.

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from our viewpoint...

Newspapers fight against rate changes

The National Newspaper Association, America's alliance of community weekly and daily newspapers, this week continues a multi-front attack against unfair postage rate increases with litigation at the Postal Regulatory Commission and strong grassroots work on Capitol Hill.

The association has joined the Affordable Mail Alliance at the Postal Regulatory Commission to object to the planned "exigency" postage increase proposed for January. The association and others are arguing that the U.S. Postal Service has overstated the amount of its financial losses created by the Great Recession.

On Capitol Hill, the association opposes proposals by Sen. Tom Coburn, R-OK, to hand over authority to the Postal Service — to set rates and to change service levels without — pre-review by the Postal Regulatory Commission. Coburn's proposals are included in a the Postal Reform Act of 2013, jointly proposed by Coburn and Sen. Thomas Carper, D-DE, chairman of the Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. The association believes handing unfettered authority over the government monopoly's services and rates to the the Postal Service Board of Governors would result in higher rates for Periodicals and more attempts at promoting selected direct mail products over newspaper advertising.

"NNA has an obligation to the industry and our communities to help cure the ills of the Postal Service in ways that do not dilute service or drive more mailers out of the system. Both of those results would end up in a massive taxpayer bailout of the Postal Service in the future because mail volume will fall off even more sharply than it is today," said association President Robert M. Williams, Jr. "We understand that new legislation is needed and that we will not always get what we want. But we have our sights trained on solutions that do not further diminish service, particularly in rural America. And we need a fair playing field for newspapers."

"I have asked members of NNA's Congressional Action Team, operating under the expert leadership of our chair, Deb McCaslin, of Nebraska, to call their senators on the Homeland Security committee, which will be writing the legislation," he said. "We need to keep the PRC in a proper regulatory role and continue to work for laws that create meaningful cost controls for the Postal Service."

Max Heath, the association's Postal Committee chair, has produced estimates on the impact of the proposed postal rates for newspapers. As always, the average proposed rate hits some newspapers harder than others.

"We believe some rates will fall in the 8 percent to 9 percent range," Heath said. "I have cautioned our members that these rates are proposed and not final. The PRC still has to speak. I believe we have a strong case to reduce this proposed increase and would hope we wind up with something closer to the legal increase within the rate of inflation."

McCaslin noted support for the association's position from Sen. Susan Collins, R-ME, one of the authors of the 2006 Postal Accountability and Enhancement Act, where the inflation-based price cap was created. Collins has written the Postal Regulatory Commission that Congress never intended for the legal "exigency" or emergency rate authority to be used as the Postal Service proposes.

Collins said she believed the exigency power was to be used "sparingly ... only if terrorist attacks, natural disasters and other events cause significant and substantial declines in mail volume." She said the Postal Regulatory Commission's approval of the higher rates could be inconsistent with the law.

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Thanks to a good samaritan

To the Editor:

A big thank you to the good samaritan who showed up with a Bobcat to load the main trunk of my big (huge) tree on to a trailer to be taken to the land fill. It saved my family a lot of hard work and wondering if they even could get it sawed up.

This gentleman and his son left before we

got any names. Just goes to show you there still are generous people who will help and expect nothing in return. May our Lord bless them.

Jessie Owens

P.S. My beautiful big tree, due to its age and the hard spring we had last spring, just gave up.



from our readers

to the editor

We have a winner

Well, he did it. Sebastian Vettel is the World Champion of Formula 1 for the fourth consecutive year.

At the Indian Grand Prix a couple weekends ago, the 26-year-old German driver took his Red Bull through the pack after a bad start (mainly due to tires) and ended up winning the race ahead of Mercedes' Nico Rosberg and my favorite driver Romain Grosjean of Lotus.

There are only three other drivers who have achieved four World Championship titles: Juan Manuel Fangio, Alain Prost and Michael Schumacher; and only Fangio and Schumacher did it in consecutive years.

The debate on many of the websites and blogs I've been reading is: does Vettel deserve to be among them? My answer is a definite yes.

When they got to India, the only one at that point in the season who could have kept challenging Vettel was Ferrari's Fernando Alonso, but he had to come either first or second. Alonso, for all his skill, has been inconsistent this year, which seems to have made him moody and disgruntled and not at all likeable.

Vettel on the other hand has always seemed like a really genuinely nice and funny guy. I wouldn't want to see him in my rearview mirror, but off the track he seems like the kind of guy you want to hang out with. A lot of the other driver's don't have that.

But it always seems like the guy at the top gets a lot of flack. Not just in Formula 1, of course, look at the winning team or person in any sport and you'll see all kinds of accusations and criticism. I don't think it's right in this case.



kevin bottrell

simple tricks and nonsense

Based on even my limited experience, it seems like the whole objective of motor racing is to have the best car, the best driver and the best luck. You can win races with one or two out of three, but you need all of them to be a champion, and that's what has happened with Vettel.

His Red Bull is simply the best car out there, driven by the best driver as he has shown time and time again and luck has been with him. All the other teams are striving to be where Red Bull is now.

He's certainly not infallible. He lost out on a good number of the early races this season. But the second half of the season was all his. Just race after race of nearly flawless victories while his competitors struggled to keep up. At Abu Dhabi last weekend he finished 30 seconds ahead of his teammate Mark Webber, that's about a third of a lap! If that isn't a champion-level performance against someone who has roughly the same car, I don't know what is.

But to my mind Vettel isn't the only winner this season.

As I said in a previous column, since Vettel was winning just about every race, the more interesting battles were going on far behind him.

A dream ride



steve haynes

along the sappa

It's a little like dancing, but with a 160-ton date.

The cab is big enough, and since she's an oil-fired engine, there's only a tank behind it, not the usual open coal bin. There's no need to open the fire door and throw coal in every few minutes, so the fireman mostly sits and adjusts the fire and the water level.

A visitor or an extra crewman can take one of two padded seats on the front of the tank and just sit, watching the crew and enjoying the ride.

Of course, your feet go on the engine deck in front while the tender where you're sitting bounces and hops down the track, swaying in opposite directions. So it's a little like dancing, only your "date" is behind you and there's nothing to hold on to. It's an interesting way to ride.

Fortunately, on the little Abilene and Smoky Valley line, we're only going 10 mph, which is all the 10 1/2 miles of track on the volunteer-tourist line will allow.

Not that our mount, former Santa Fe 3415, a heavy Pacific type built for mainline passenger service nearly a century ago — in 1917 — wouldn't be up to the challenge. While she was built for 70 mph service, after the speedup prompted by introduction of the Super Chief in 1936, the Santa Fe needed faster engines. It rebuilt most of the 49 members of the the 3400 class with new, larger drivers (79 inches versus 73) and other features, capable of hauling the Chief or the Fast Mail at 100 mph across the hills of Missouri or, especially, the Kansas

plains.

But within a decade, the 3415 and her sisters fell victim to the economics of diesel power. By 1956, when she was dolled up and donated to the City of Abilene for display in a park, most of the rest had gone to scrap.

But make no mistake, if someone let her out on the main line, she could get up and run. Today, she just creeps along through the weeds and wheat fields east of town.

Or as our engineer put it, "I could see the headlines: 'Fast passenger engine dies of boredom on tourist line.'"

We are backing up on the return when the air brakes set. The air pump is making a funny noise, and the crew shuts it down. The problem: a three-inch drain plug has fallen out of the bottom cylinder.

"I'll start walking," a crewman says. Attempts to move meantime are futile, but it takes only 15-20 minutes for him to find the plug and bring it back, the air comes up, and we can go home.

Slow or slowest — we did creep up to 13 mph before the boss reined her in — I found the ride fascinating. It's been a dream for me since the engine was rebuilt five years ago to watch this fascinating and beautiful creature move

Grosjean, for instance, went through a night and day transition at the mid-way point in the season. He went from crashing into someone in every race (He was once nicknamed the "First Lap Nutcase" by Webber) to a driver at the top of his game, with podium finishes in five or more races.

Nico Hulkenberg has also put in some incredible drives against people in much faster cars.

It's all about jockeying for position in 2014.

This will be the first time I see the transition from one year to another. A lot of teams will have new cars and new drivers. The drivers are almost like trading cards, moving from one hand to another. It'll be interesting to see some of the new faces, like 19-year-old Daniil Kvyat, who will be driving for Toro Rosso. To get a seat in Formula 1 you have to be a champion in the lesser race series like GP2 or Formula Renault. Presumably you've got the skills.

The only criticism I have of Formula 1 as a whole is about tires. Every race there's some issue with the tires. Pirelli keeps changing them and hardly ever for the better. At the British Grand Prix during the summer, four or five cars had blowouts, which is extremely dangerous at the speeds those guys are driving at.

It's gotten so that the teams ignore the advice from Pirelli and just drive on the tires as much as they want, which has consequences.

All in all though I think it's been a great season. I've enjoyed my first taste of Formula 1 and I imagine I'll be able to go on enjoying it for years to come.

under steam.

When Cynthia found out she could get rid of me for a couple of hours during Abilene's Heritage Days for just \$25, she was glad to pay the extra for the cab ride. She could go shopping.

It's a minor miracle that the 3415 is alive and running at all. She sat in the park for more than half a century before a volunteer team pulled her out, built a shop and started to overhaul her.

What they found was a surprise, our fireman says: She'd been rebuilt by the Santa Fe shops only a few months before the railroad decided to retire her. Her boiler was sound, and most parts needed only minor repairs. While the project was expensive, since boiler work had to be done by certified contractors, not volunteers, it was doable. Now the railroad's board would like to find money to rebuild its line over to Enterprise for faster, safer runs.

That still wouldn't be anything like hauling the Fast Mail down the Santa Fe's "racetrack" between Newton and La Junta, Colo., but she might not get bored so easily.

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City and county debate Neighborhood Revitalization

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the assumption that this encourages development that might not happen otherwise.

Klemm said the county was taking the position that many of these projects would have been undertaken anyway.

Gerber said neither could really prove beyond anecdotal evidence whether home builders and remodelers really factor in the Neighborhood Revitalization Act.

Foster said he knows of housing developers that ask whether a county has the Neighborhood Revitalization program in place when deciding whether or not to build.

"It's a carrot, and they're looking for a carrot," he said.

City Commissioner Brian Linin said that he understood the program to be a long-term investment, since the taxing entities would be

gradually getting more and more tax revenue from the projects and eventually the full amount.

City Commissioner John Garcia said that new housing is going to generate more income that re-doing old housing after the 10-year rebates are over.

"That will benefit the three taxing entities more in the long run," he said.

Mayor Annette Fairbanks thanked everyone for their input, saying that is what the public hearings are for.

Later in the meeting, the city commission approved its Neighborhood Revitalization Plan without making any changes.

In other business, the commissioners:

- Held a public hearing on the Community Development Block Grant. Korina Cox with Northwest Kansas Planning and Develop-

ment Commission said the city is obligated to hold a hearing at the end of the grant's lifetime to get any comments from the public.

The grant was for about \$386,000 to remodel or demolish homes in a 200-home target area. Cox said nine homes were remodeled and three demolished using the grant, and there was about \$142,000 left.

• Held a public hearing on whether to proceed against properties at 518 W. 10th and 1008 Main.

Several neighbors of the property at 518 W. 10th attended the meeting, saying they were very concerned and describing the property and structure as unsafe and unhealthy. The commissioners approved a resolution giving the owner 90 days to repair, remove or demolish the structure. The commission gave the owners of 1008 Main 30 days.

State is keeping lake filled

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public fishing resource at Smoky Gardens Lake with the state lake utilized as an artificial recharge pool to maintain water in Smoky Gardens Lake as long as water is available.

The current water release from state lake will continue until Smoky Gardens Lake is nearly full,

then the release will be shut off to store water for subsequent releases when necessary. The primary objective is to maintain the water level in Smoky Gardens Lake as long as possible.

For information, call Fisheries Biologist Dave Spalsbury, or Public Lands Manager Kent Hensley at (785)-726-3212.

Cook turkey safely this Thanksgiving

The shorter, darker days of fall have some of us thinking about the next thing to look forward to and for many, that's Thanksgiving Day.

Kansas State University consumer food safety specialist Londa Nwadike has tips to help ensure a good holiday by keeping food safe.

The turkey should be cooked in a preheated oven set at a minimum of 325 degrees F. When cooking an unstuffed bird, plan on a range of approximately three hours for an 8- to 12-pound turkey to ap-

proximately five hours for a 20- to 24-pound turkey. For a stuffed bird, plan on an additional 15-30 minutes of cooking time.

To determine if the turkey is safely cooked, a food thermometer should be used to ensure that the innermost part of the thigh and wing and the thickest part of the breast has reached a minimum temperature of at least 165 degrees F.

Stuffing - Many people love stuffing, but unfortunately, microorganisms love to grow in it as well.

Cooking the stuffing outside of the bird is the safest method, but if you do choose to stuff your turkey, stuff it loosely just prior to cooking and ensure that the stuffing is moist. The stuffing should also reach at least 165 degrees F.

Information about food safety questions and help in preparing a Thanksgiving turkey is available by calling the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Meat and Poultry Hotline at 1-888-674-6854 or online at www.ksre.ksu.edu/foodsafety.

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Kristina Stasser

Sophomore

Koal Artzer
Faith Biermann
Katlyn Seeger

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Jacob Brown
Amanda Coon
Kaitlyn Daise

Nolan Deeds
Michael Garza
Cade Mayer
Sianna Miller
Jamie Nemechek
Norelia Ordonez-Castillo
Kinsey Volk
Kelsey White

Principal's Senior

Taryn Bedore
Ian Bonsall
Shea Burdick
Hope Cochran
Jesse Cooper
Adrian DeLaCruz
Timothy Fugleberg
Tiffani Hapke
Gannon Ihrig

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Jarod Lake
Madison Mayer
Danielle McNeely
Jovita Olmos-Garza
Gabriella Rangel
Bracelyn Redlin
Dax Ruhs
Amber Smith
Cheyenne Stegeman
Holton Whitman

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Aaron Avelar
Lindsay Bauman
Keegan Bowling
Britney Brown
Carlee Cooper
Stephani DeLaRosa
Hiram Hendrich
Makayla Kennedy

Levi Klemm
Gerell Miller
Ryleigh Paxton
Raquel Tomsic
Kolt Trachsel
Brandon Verlinden

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Luke Avila
Brevin Bergsma
Molly Bollig
Kat Boyington
Cienna Brannick
Grace Cole
Jacob Gerber
Andrew House
Mario Lazo
Riley Lopez
Yidam Mendoza
Quynnalynn Meyer
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Chandler Pettibone
Mary Schnabel
Trey Teeter
Eliza Velasco

Freshman

Ashley Anderson
Savannah Brighton
Christyl Dudley
Erin Floyd
Dillon Gillming
Alex Goodwin
Braelyn Hoelting
Darian Kent
Abigail Neal
Kasey Stramel
Margaux Thompson
Tayler Thorson

Grant Junior High

Sixth Grade Supreme

Cure, Lauren
Dechant, Hannah
Newman, Saige
Witman, Rachel

Principal's

Balderrama, Janea
Becvar, Danielle
Cole, William
Coumerilh, Kaitlyn
Cramer, Clayton
Daise, Micah
Drennan, Brooke
Hipp, Lola
McIntyre, Jenean
Ordonez-Castillo, Daniel
Perryman, Colby
Sanderson, Blake
Smith, Shayanna
Teeter, Teryn
Willems, Kaylee

Honorable Mention

Brown, Derek
Burian, Olivia
Coon, Trent
Crow, Manten
Jefferson, Kelly
Robinson, Logan

Seventh Grade

Supreme

Ihrig, Garin
Ortner, Peyton

Principal's

Artzer, Jade
Berls, Christopher
Duell, Jessi
Greene, Grace
Hahn, Austin
Hamilton, Luke
Ihrig, Ella
King, Jack

Kroskey, Duncan
Lalicker, Ryan
Mann, Joseph
Reicks, Landon
Volk, Ryan
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Honorable Mention

Acosta, Valeria
Corke, Talon
Mills, Sada
Rodriguez, Mark
Taylor, Destany

Eighth Grade

Supreme

Brighton, Katie
Goodwin, Layne
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Hendrich, Wence
Mull, Brandt
Nemechek, Parker

Ordonez, Natanya
Peter, Evan
Phillips, Chelsea
Raymer, Dawson
Sederstrom, Blaine
Seeger, Darby
Simmerman, Kyle

Principal's

Archer, Levi
Biermann, Gabriel
Borgmann, Devinee
Boyington, Kit
Cristelli, Angela
Diaz, Jesus
Eslinger, Hannah
Ferguson, Hannah
Flores, Elena
Gerber, Coda Nicole
Harkins, Tucker
Jarrett, Nash
Jostes, Madison
Keim, Brooke

Kernal, Elke
McCombs, Kayleigh
McDaniel, Ellee
Mitchek, Demi
Patel, Yesh
Purvis, Katie
Smith, Emily
Townsend, Kaitlyn
Warren, Skyler
Wood, Lucas

Honorable Mention

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Pledge of Allegiance: Richard Liess

Veterans Day Prayer: Ken Baum, Service Officer

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matters of record

Marriages and divorces

The following marriage licenses and divorces have been issued by the Sherman County District Court:

Divorces

Sharla I. Snethen, Sharon Springs, KS and Jeremiah R. Snethen, Goodland.

Larry N. Harper and Judy M. Harper, Goodland.

Sarah Barela, South Dakota, and Richard Barela, New Mexico.

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Marriages

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Alexander Roy Howard and Chelsie Brianne Gausman, Goodland.

Dylan Scott Hageman and Tehnee Leanna Ridder, Goodland.

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Robert Alan Juleson and Heidi Anette Saxe, Goodland.

Bruce Lynn Plumisto, Colby and Jennifer Lynn Petrachich, Goodland.

Dustin Aubrey George, Garden City and Amber Dawn Miller, Goodland.

Dustin Joseph Valenti and Kayla Anne Lovins, Goodland.

Erick Estrada, Albuquerque, NM, and Maria A. Luevanos, Juarez, Mexico.

Mark Williams Lievens and Amanda Ann Wiebe, Denver, CO.

Sherman County Bastille

The following people were booked into the Sherman County Bastille:

Oct. 17: Michael Pacheco, 55, Aurora, Colo., arrested by state trooper for possession of hallucinogenic drugs and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Anthony Meyer, 18, St. Francis, arrested by Cheyenne county sheriff's deputy for theft.

Oct. 18: Lukius Medrano, 25, Colby, arrested by sheriff's deputy for probation violation.

Oct. 20: Stacy Yarbrough, 31, Goodland, arrested by city police for disorderly conduct.

Oct. 22: Michael Ledesma, 23, Burlington, Colo., arrested by sheriff's deputy for driving while suspended, no insurance and no registration.

Oct. 24: Casey Sporing, 22, Colby, arrested by Thomas county sheriff's deputy for probation violation.

Shay Miller, 18, Goodland, arrested by sheriff's deputy for probation violation.

Dylan Kersley, 19, Goodland, arrested by sheriff's deputy for probation violation.

Lindolfo Diaz, 25, Goodland, arrested by city police for driving while suspended.

Oct. 26: Shay Rubio, 31, Goodland, arrested by city police for domestic battery.

Richard Lennington, 47, Goodland, arrested by sheriff's deputy for driving while suspended x3.

Oct. 27: Jennifer Feuerstein, 25, Littleton, Colo., arrested by state trooper for violation of protection from abuse order.

Oct. 30: Justin King, 22, Venetia, Penn., arrested by state trooper for possession of hallucinogenic drug.

Rito Vega, 36, Lochbuie, Colo., journal entry - 5 days by Logan County.

Oct. 31: James Wilson, 35, Kanorado, arrested by sheriff's deputy for failure to appear.

Goodland Police

The following incidents have been reported to the Goodland Police Department:

March 16 - 8:54 p.m., 600 Kansa Ave., Katlyn Topliff reported vicious animals. Case referred to city attorney.

9:21 p.m., 424 Grand Ave., Diona M. Carrillo reported disorderly conduct, Case remain under investigation.

March 18 - 1:27 p.m., 813 Broadway Ave., arrested Rodney Boyce for probation violation. Case referred to county attorney.

March 19 - 7:05 a.m., 2510 Commerce Road., Presto reported a theft. Case remains under investigation.

6:06 p.m., 1619 Kansas Ave. Gary Slusher taken into emergency detention. Case referred to county attorney.

March 20 - 12:22 p.m., 516 W Hwy 24, Apt 509, Lonnie S. Potterf burglary and theft. Case remains under investigation.

March 23 - 12:27 a.m., 2510 Commerce Road, arrested John Edward McCormick for criminal trespass against Presto Convenience

Store. Case referred to city attorney.

March 24 - 13:22 p.m., 604 W Ninth arrested Alex Lloyd Daharsh for aggravated assault, domestic battery and disorderly conduct against Curtis L. Daxon, Robert Glade Daxon and Courtney Lynn Daxon, Case referred to county attorney.

March 25 - 8:37 a.m., 611 W. Ninth, arrested Karlee Wilson for possession of drug paraphernalia and theft against Dollar General and the State of Kansas. Case referred to county attorney.

9:21 a.m., 2510 Commerce Road, arrested John Edward McCormick on a warrant for another jurisdiction, Phillips County. Case referred to county attorney.

9:31 a.m., 1819 Cherry Ave., arrested Karlee Wilson on a warrant for another jurisdiction, Thomas County. Case referred to county attorney.

7:05 p.m., 2500 Commerce Road, arrested Ashley Ray for failure to appear, Case referred to city attorney.

11:57 p.m., 1200 Main Ave. arrested Jefery Oliver for driving while suspended. Case referred to

city attorney.

March 28 - 4:27 a.m., 1811 E. Hwy 24., arrested Justin Beckner for domestic battery against Penny Lane. Case referred to city attorney.

March 29 - 3:01 p.m., 1506 Grand Ave., Child in need of care. Case referred to county attorney.

March 30 - 12:17 p.m., 410 E. 10th, Gary Wayne Lynn report a theft. Case remains under investigation.

1:33 p.m. 408 W. 11th, arrested Jazzmin Blair Weis for domestic battery against Ryan Weis. Case referred to city attorney.

March 31 - 7:15 a.m., 320 E. Eighth, Joseph Bondell reported an assault. Case referred to city attorney.

8:46 p.m. 924 Walnut Ave. Garrett Buelte reported a vehicle burglary and theft. Case remains under investigation.

April 2 - 9:52 p.m., 1700 Wyoming Ave., arrested Thea Glennita Brown for driving under the influence and driving without headlights when needed. Case referred to city attorney.

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Sunday: Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
Morning Service: 11:30 a.m.
Evening Service: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday: Bible Study Service
6:30 p.m.

Bible Baptist Church
Pastor: Clifford Middlebrooks
Fifth & Broadway
890-7368
Sunday: Sunday School: 9 a.m.
Morning Service: 10 a.m.
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Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday: 6:30 youth group
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890-3450
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Morning Worship: 10 a.m.
Wednesday: 6:15 p.m.

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Worship Service: 9 a.m.

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Ordinance No. 1652 Summary

On November 4, 2013, the City of Goodland, Kansas adopted Ordinance No. 1652, adopting a neighborhood revitalization plan and designating a neighborhood revitalization area in the City of Goodland. A complete copy of this ordinance is available at www.cityofgoodland.org or at Goodland City Hall. This summary was certified by Jerry Fairbanks, City Attorney.

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the repair of the structure within the time stated, or any additional time granted by the governing body, or fails to diligently prosecute the same until the work is completed, the governing body will cause the structure to be razed and removed and the costs of razing and removing, less salvage, if any, shall be collected in the manner provided by K.S.A. 12-1,1115, and amendments thereto or shall be assessed as special assessments against the lot or parcel of land upon which the structure is located or both, all as provided by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if the owner fails to commence the repair of the structure within the time provided herein or fails to diligently prosecute the same, the governing body may take such further action as it deems necessary to raise and remove the structure without further notice to the owner or other parties in interest.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall cause this Resolution to be published once in the official city paper and mail a copy to the owners, agents, lienholders, occupants and other parties in interest.

Adopted this 4th day of November, 2013.

Annette Fairbanks,
Mayor
(S E A L)

ATTEST:
Mary P. Volk,
City Clerk

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RESOLUTION NO.1394

A RESOLUTION FINDING THAT THE STRUCTURE LOCATED AT Lot four (4); Block fifty-nine (59); original town of the city of Goodland, Kansas, Also known as 1008 Main, GOODLAND, KANSAS, IS UNSAFE OR DANGEROUS AND DIRECTING THAT THE STRUCTURE BE REPAIRED OR REMOVED AND THE PREMISES BE MADE SAFE AND SECURE.

Lot Four (4) in Block Fifty – nine (59), Original Town of Goodland, Kansas

WHEREAS, the Enforcing Officer of the City of Goodland, Kansas, did on the 16th day of September 2013, file with the governing body of said city, a statement in writing that the structure, hereinafter described, was unsafe and dangerous; and,

WHEREAS, the governing body did by Resolution No. 1391, dated the 16th day of September, 2013, fix the time and place of a hearing at which the owner, his or her agent, and lienholders, any occupants and all other parties of interest of such structure could appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned and ordered repaired or demolished, and provided for giving notice thereof as provided by law; and,

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 1391 was published in the official city paper on the 20th day of September, 2013, and on the 27th day of September, 2013, and a copy of said resolution was served upon all persons entitled thereto as provided by law; and,

WHEREAS, on the 4th day of November, 2013, the governing body did conduct the hearing

scheduled in Resolution No. 1391 and took evidence from the following: the Enforcing Officer on behalf of the City and the Owner.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF GOODLAND, KANSAS, THAT:

1. The governing body hereby finds that the structure located at lot Four (4), in Block Fifty-nine (59), Original Town of the City of Goodland, Kansas, also known as 1008 Main, is unsafe and dangerous and directs that such structure is to be repaired and the premises made safe and secure.

The owner of such structure is hereby directed to commence the repair of the property within ninety (90) days of November 4, 2013. Provided that upon due application by the owner and for good cause shown, the governing body, in its sole discretion, may grant the owner additional time to complete the repairs to the property.

If the owner fails to commence the repair of the structure within the time stated, or any additional time granted by the governing body, or fails to diligently prosecute the same until the work is completed, the governing body will cause the structure to be razed and removed and the costs of razing and removing, less salvage, if any, shall be collected in the manner provided by K.S.A. 12-1,1115, and amendments thereto or shall be assessed as special assessments against the lot or parcel of land upon which the structure is located or both, all as provided by law.

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Annette Fairbanks, Mayor
(S E A L)

ATTEST:
Mary P. Volk, City Clerk

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERMAN COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of John D. Long, Deceased

Case No. 13-PR-31

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED

You are notified that on Nov. 1, 2013, a petition was filed in this Court by Charles F. Moser, Sherman County Attorney, requesting that he be appointed Administrator of the Estate of John D. Long, deceased, and that he be granted Letters of Administration.

You are required to file your written defenses to the petition on or before Dec. 5, 2013, at 1:30 P.M. In the District Court of Sherman County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail to file your written defenses, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against

the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of first publication of notice under K.S.A. 89-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

Charles F. Moser,
Petitioner

Charles F. Moser, #14867
Sherman County Attorney
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Goodland, Kansas 67735
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERMAN COUNTY, KANSAS FILED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 59 OF THE KANSAS STATUTES ANNOTATED

In the Matter of the Estate of LEROY KRAFFT, Deceased

Case No 12 PR 24

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on the 4th day of November, 2013, a Petition has been filed in this court by Debra Martin, duly appointed, qualified, and acting Executor of the Estate of Leroy E. Krafft, deceased, requesting that petitioner's acts be approved, account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; the will be construed and the estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the court find the balances requested for

administrator and attorney fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the estate be closed; and upon the filing of receipts the petitioner be finally discharged as the Executor of the Estate of Leroy E. Krafft, deceased and the petitioner be released from further liability.

You are hereby requires to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before the 4th day of December, 2013, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on said day, in said Court, in the City of Goodland, in Sherman County, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course and upon said petition.

Debra Martin,
Executor

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Goodland, Kansas 67735
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Attorneys for Petitioner

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PUBLIC NOTICE
NW KS GMD#4 WTAP
SIGN-UP OPEN

The Kansas Department of Agriculture is accepting applications for the Water Right Transition Assistance Program (WTAP). The deadline to apply is November 15.

WTAP is a voluntary, incentive-based program designed to help restore aquifers and streams in critical areas by retiring water rights. Six "high priority" areas in the Northwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 4 (GMD 4) have been designated as eligible target areas by the Kansas Department of Agriculture's Division of Water Resources chief engineer because of significant water level declines. The six areas have been determined to be in need of aquifer recovery and are now closed to further water appropriations.

Applicants who are selected for WTAP grants are compensated by the department's Division of Conservation in exchange for the permanent retirement of water rights on irrigated land.

For more information, contact Steve Frost, water conservation program manager, at (785) 296-8964 or HYPERLINK "C:\Documents and Settings\lfrost\Local Settings\Temporary Internet Files\Content.Outlook\SB55R7V1\steve.frost@kda.ks.gov" Steve.frost@kda.ks.gov. WTAP rules and regulations, applications, maps and other details are available on the Kansas Department of Agriculture's Division of Conservation website at HYPERLINK "http://agriculture.ks.gov/divisions-programs/division-of-conservation/water-conservation-programs" http://agriculture.ks.gov/divisions-programs/division-of-conservation/water-conservation-programs.

Information and assistance is also available on the Kansas Department of Agriculture's Division of Water Resources field office in Stockton at (785) 425-6787 or at the Northwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 4 in Colby at (785) 462-3915.

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 1390 was published in the official city paper on the 20th day of September, 2013, and on the 27th day of September, 2013, and a copy of said resolution was served upon all persons entitled thereto as provided by law; and,

WHEREAS, on the 4th day of November, 2013, the governing body did conduct the hearing scheduled in Resolution No. 1390 and took evidence from the following: the Enforcing Officer on behalf of the City and the Owner.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF GOODLAND, KANSAS, THAT:

1. The governing body hereby finds that the structure located at lots Thirty-two (32), Thirty-three (33) and Thirty-four (34) in Block Twelve (12), First Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas, also known as 518 W. 10th, is unsafe and dangerous and directs that such structure is to be repaired and the premises made safe and secure.

The owner of such structure is hereby directed to commence the repair of the property within thirty (30) days of November 4, 2013. Provided that upon due application by the owner and for good cause shown, the governing body, in its sole discretion, may grant the owner additional time to complete the repairs to the property.

If the owner fails to commence

TAX LEVIES – 2013 SHERMAN COUNTY

Total County Valuation: 73,685,914 – Rate on each 1,000 Assessed Valuation

DISTRICT	2012	2013	DIFF.
STATE:	1.500	1.500	.000
COUNTY:	65.255	62.251	- 3.004
CITIES:			
Goodland	49.594	49.572	- .022
Kanorado	73.761	73.143	- .618
TOWNSHIPS:			
None Levied			
SCHOOLS:			
U.S.D. #352	41.473	49.800	+ 8.327
U.S.D. #314	41.873	47.567	+ 5.694
			-11.197
FIRE DISTRICTS:			
SCRFD #1	4.475	4.770	+ .295
LCRFD #1	1.886	1.855	- .031
LIBRARIES:			
N.W. KS. REG.	1.123	1.448	+ .325
EXTENSION DISTRICT			
Sunflower Ext. #6	2.157	2.161	+ .004

STATE and COUNTY Valuation 73,685,914

STATE LEVIES: (ST100)	PER K.S.A.	LEVY
Educational Building	76-6b01	1.000
State Institutional Bldg.	76-6b04	.500
	TOTAL	1.500

COUNTY LEVIES: (CO200)		
General	79-1946	14.227
Road & Bridge	68-5,101	11.758
Noxious Weed	2-1318	.031
County Health	65-204	.465
Conservation District	2-1907b	.291
Election	25-2201a	.776
County Home Maint.	9-2106a	.649
Historical Society	19-2651	.171
Appraiser's Cost	19-436	1.998
Program for the Elderly	12-1680	.312
Free Fair	2-132	.383
Soldier's Memorial Park	19-2803a	.212
Cemetery	19-3105	.542
City-County Recreation	19-2801	.494
Library	12-1230	.317
County Hosp. Maint.	19-4606	5.921
Employee Benefits	12-16,102	21.270
Tort Liability	75-6110	.367
Bond & Interest	10-113	2.067
	TOTAL	62.251

CITIES:		
GOODLAND (C001)	Valuation	26,582,969
General	12-101a	13.788
Library	12-1230	5.417
Bond & Interest	10-113	9.879
Employee Benefits-City	12-16,102	18.937
Employee Benefits-Library	12-16-102	1.175
Airport	3-113	.376
	TOTAL	49.572

PER K.S.A.		LEVY
KANORADO (C002)	Valuation	537,075
General	12-101a	52.589
Bond & Interest	10-113	1.767
Employee Benefits	12-16,102	18.787
	TOTAL	73.143

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICTS LEVIES:		
U.S.D. #352 (SD352)	Valuation	70,692,383
General (Val. 65,148,077)	72-6431	20.000
Supplemental General	72-6435	21.170
Bond & Interest	10-113	8.630
	TOTAL	49.800

U.S.D. #314 (SD314TH)	Valuation	2,993,531
General (Val. 2,920,794)	72-6431	20.000
Supplemental General	72-6435	21.567
Capital Outlay	72-8801	5.000
U.S.D. #314 (SD314TH)		
Recreation	12-1927	1.000
	TOTAL	47.567

FIRE DISTRICT LEVIES:		
SHERMAN CO. RFD #1 (FD017)	Valuation	47,087,172
General	19-3610	4.770

LOGAN CO. RFD #1 (FD16LG)	Valuation	15,773
General	19-3610	1.855

LIBRARY LEVIES:		
N.W. KANSAS REGIONAL LIBRARY (RL018NT)	Valuation	47,102,945
General	75-2551	1.264
Employee Benefits	12-16,102	.184
	TOTAL	1.448

EXTENSION DISTRICT: (EN875SH)		
SUNFLOWER EXT. DIST. #6	Valuation	73,685,914
General	2-623	2.161

I, Janet R. Rumpel, Sherman County Clerk, do hereby certify that this levy sheet is a complete list of the 2013 tax levies on all tangible property in Sherman County, as well as the assessed valuation for each District. Copies of the budgets are available in my office.

Janet R. Rumpel
Sherman County Clerk

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Board of Commissioners of Sherman County, Kansas, Plaintiff, vs. Ruth A. Adams; et al., Defendants.

No. 2013-CV-15

NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF KANSAS TO

Causes of Action #1 and #2: Ruth A. Adams, William B. Collister;

Cause of Action #3: Marco R. Ault, Sr.;

Cause of Action #4: Blair-Naughton, LLC, Toba, Inc. d/b/a Thompson Co.;

Cause of Action #5: Elliot J. Braun, Ann M. Braun; Crown Bank, F.S.B.;

Cause of Action #6: Don Jan Conway, a/k/a Don J. Conway;

Cause of Action #7: Kenneth D. Daniels, Commercial Federal Bank;

Cause of Action #8: Marie L. Enfield; Franklin Credit Management Corp.;

Cause of Action #10: Scott Neet, Jr., Patricia H. Neet;

Cause of Action #11: Emelio Pena, Mary Ann Herrera;

Causes of Action #12 and #13: Daniel Perez, Western State Bank;

Cause of Action #14: Edwin Phillips, a/k/a Edwin E. Phillips;

Causes of Action #16 and #17: Kerrenda K. Shaver, Britt I. Johnson;

Cause of Action #19: Janie Villareal, Tanya Garza, Jesse Garza;

Cause of Action #20: Kurt Zupko, Herndon Insurance Agency, Inc., Goodland Regional Medical Center;

and the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors, successors and assigns of any deceased Defendants; the unknown spouses of any Defendants; the unknown officers, successors, trustees, creditors, administrators, receivers, and assigns of any Defendants that are existing, dissolved or dormant corporations, limited liability companies, or other entities created by law; the unknown executors, guardians, conservators, and trustees of such of the above named Defendants who are minors or are in anywise under legal disability; the unknown executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors, successors and assigns of any Defendants that are or were partners or in partnership; the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors, and assigns of any person alleged to be deceased; and all other persons who are or may be concerned:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in the District Court of Sherman County, Kansas by the Board of Com-

missioners of Sherman County, praying for judicial foreclosure and sale of real property upon which there is unpaid delinquent real estate taxes, and you are hereby required to plead the said Petition on or before December 19, 2013 in said Court in Oakley, Kansas. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said Petition. The following are descriptions of all properties which shall be subject to foreclosure and sale and the names of such of you as are the owner, or a party having some interest therein:

DESCRIPTION OF LAND

Cause of Action # 1 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 2-510001380
Legal Description: Minerals Only: North Half (N½) of Section Seven (7), Township Seven (7) South, Range Forty-Two (42) West of the 6th P.M.

Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Ruth A. Adams, care of William B. Collister.

Cause of Action # 2 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 2-510000580
Legal Description: Minerals Only: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4) and the East Half (E½) of the East Half (E½) of Section Thirty-one (31), Township Six (6) South, Range Forty-Two (42) West of the 6th P.M.

Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Ruth A. Adams, care of William B. Collister.

Cause of Action # 3 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-013003460
Legal Description: Lots Eight (8), Nine (9) and the North Half (N½) of Lot Ten (10), Block Twenty-four (24), Second Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas, according to the recorded plat thereof

Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Marco A. Ault, Sr.

Cause of Action # 4 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-012202942
Legal Description: A tract of land located in the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), Township Eight (8) South, Range Forty (40), West of the 6th P.M. in the County of Sherman, State of Kansas being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the East line of said Northeast Quarter, which is 1110 feet North of the Southeast corner of said Northeast Quarter; thence West parallel with the South line of said Northeast Quarter, 350 feet to the point of beginning of the Cause of Action to be described; thence South parallel to the East line of said Northeast Quarter, 150 feet; thence East parallel to the south line of said Northeast Quarter, 180 feet to the West line of a frontage road; thence South along the West line of said frontage road 30 feet; thence

West parallel to the South line of said Northeast Quarter, 180 feet; thence South parallel to the East line of said Northeast Quarter, 150 feet to a point which is 350 feet West and 780 feet North of the Southeast corner of said Northeast Quarter; thence West parallel to the South line of said Northeast Quarter, 550 feet; thence North parallel to the East line of said Northeast Quarter, 330 feet, thence East parallel to the South line of said Northeast Quarter, 550 feet to the point of beginning,

Less a tract described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the East line of said Northeast Quarter, which is 1110 feet North of the Southeast corner of said Northeast Quarter; thence West parallel with the South line of said Northeast Quarter, 350 feet to the point of beginning of the Cause of Action to be described; thence South parallel to the East line of said Northeast Quarter, 150 feet; thence East parallel to the south line of said Northeast Quarter, 180 feet to the West line of a frontage road; thence South along the West line of said frontage road 30 feet; thence West parallel to the South line of said Northeast Quarter, 180 feet; thence South parallel to the South line of said Northeast Quarter, 180 feet; thence South parallel to the East line of said Northeast Quarter, 150 feet to a point which is 350 feet West and 780 feet North of the Southeast corner of said Northeast Quarter; thence West parallel to the South line of said Northeast Quarter, 20 feet; thence North parallel to the East line of said Northeast Quarter, 330 feet, thence East parallel to the South line of said Northeast Quarter, 20 feet to the point of beginning

Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Blair-Naughton, LLC; Toba, Inc., d/b/a Thompson Co., care of Michael P. Kneale.

Cause of Action # 5 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-012400160
Legal Description: The North Six feet (6') of Lot Nineteen (19), and all of Lots Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) in Block One (1) in the Third Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Elliot J. Braun (deceased); Ann M. Braun (deceased); Crown Bank, F.S.B.

Cause of Action # 6 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 2-610000640
Legal Description: Minerals Only: 1/3 of 1/3 of 1/2 and 1/2 of 1/3 of 1/2 of the oil, gas, and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Eighteen (18), Township Nine (9) South, Range Thirty-seven (37) West of the 6th P.M.
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Don Jan Conway, a/k/a Don J. Conway.

Cause of Action # 7 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-012004420
Legal Description: Lots Twenty-seven (27), Twenty-eight (28), Twenty-nine (29), Thirty (30), Thirty-one (31), and Thirty-two (32), in Block Nineteen (19), in the C K & N Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Kenneth D. Daniels (deceased); Commercial Federal Bank.

Cause of Action # 8 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-013001820
Legal Description: Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12), in Block Fourteen (14), in the Second Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Marie L. Enfield; Franklin Credit Management Corporation.

Cause of Action # 10 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-01200420
Legal Description: Lots Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Eighteen (18) in the C K & N Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Scott Neet, Jr.; Patricia H. Neet.

Cause of Action # 11 – Treasurer's Tax ID 1-012402240
Legal Description: The West eighty feet (W80') of Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16) in Block Eleven (11) in the Third Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Emelio Pena; Mary Ann Herrera.

Cause of Action # 12 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-021000080
Legal Description: Beginning at a point thirty feet (30') east

and four hundred thirty-five feet (435') south of the West corner of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-nine (29), Township Eight (8) South, Range Forty-two (42) West of the 6th P.M., Sherman County, Kansas, thence east five hundred thirty feet (530') to the point of beginning, thence north one hundred seventy-five feet (175'), thence east one hundred forty feet (140') to the West side of Beech Street, thence South and Parallel to the West side of Beech Street one hundred seventy-five feet (175'), thence west one hundred forty feet (140') to the point of beginning, said Cause of Action being vacated Lots Ten (10), Eleven (11), Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15), and Sixteen (16) in Block 6 in the Original Town of Kanorado, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Daniel Perez; Western State Bank.

Cause of Action # 13 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-020600020
Legal Description: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4) in Block Twenty (20) to the Hartstine's Second Addition to the City of Kanorado, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Daniel Perez; Western State Bank.

Cause of Action # 14 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-010406500
Legal Description: Lots Nine (9) and Ten (10) in Block Thirteen (13) in the First Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto are: Edwin Phillips, a/k/a Edwin E. Phillips.

Cause of Action # 16 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-013200300
Legal Description: Lot Nineteen (19) in Block One (1) in Sharp's Addition to the City of

Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Kerrenda K. Shaver; Britt I. Johnson.


Cause of Action # 17 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-010600100
Legal Description: Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16) in Block Eight (8) in the Subdivision of the First Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Kerrenda K. Shaver; Britt I. Johnson.

Cause of Action # 19 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-013203080
Legal Description: Lot Three (3) in Block Fourteen (14) in Sharp's Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Janie Villareal; Tanya Garza (a minor child as of 1993), care of Jesse Garza.

Cause of Action # 20 – Treasurer's Tax ID # 1-010406200
Legal Description: Lots Five (5) and Six (6) in Block Thirty-seven (37) in the First Addition to the City of Goodland, Kansas
Owners, or supposed owners, and persons having or claiming to have any interest therein and thereto: Kurt Zupko; Herndon Insurance Agency, Inc.; Goodland Regional Medical Center.

Board of Commissioners of Sherman County Kansas, Plaintiff
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Attorney for Plaintiff

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WHAT ARE YOU Thankful For?

The holidays are fast approaching and we want to know what you are most thankful for in your life. The Goodland Star-News wants to publish a page this Thanksgiving, highlighting our community's holiday thanks. All you need to do is fill out the simple form below and return it to us. You may return it via mail or email if you would like.

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Our hearts are full of gratitude when we say many thanks to family members, friends and neighbors for all the acts of kindness and sympathy: food, flowers, donations, cards, visits and kind words spoken to our family regarding the recent passing of a wonderful husband, father, grandfather and hero, John Elliott. We want to express special appreciation to Pastor Shelly Petz for her many words of comfort and to Bateman Funeral Home for their professional arrangements and caring service. -11-8-11-12-

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Crossword Puzzle

"Continental Divide"

Across

- Italy's capital
- The real ___
- Directions word
- Peak of the peak
- Stag
- Pennsylvania port
- Spanish-American poet's sonnet elements
- Coined word?
- Indy 500 trouble
- War god
- Like 22 and 24
- ___ Drew (detective)
- Less plausible, as an excuse
- Help with the heist
- Shampoo oil
- ___ Paulo, Brazil
- Physical therapy job opportunities
- More than -er
- Guitarist Segovia
- Long-term spy
- Cut it out
- Gives a five, maybe
- At hand
- Assist in a crisis, with "out"
- Tiny
- Fabled race winner
- Whips up some stew
- Textbook chapter
- Word with bumps or eggs
- "There are more names..."
- Perfect scores
- Made up one's mind
- Degenerates
- Split to be tied?
- Nonverbal feedback
- Did a new parent's job
- Lower
- Cardinal flats
- Oslo sight
- "This ___ happening!"
- Birdie beater
- February 14 purchase
- Post-revolution group
- Call for some Chinese food, say
- Flip-chart homes
- Early Beatles hit
- Chesapeake Bay features
- Comic Rudner
- Western capital
- Curvy
- Blue books?
- Lion's pride
- In the same family tree
- Horse's gait
- ., sometimes
- Senator's possession
- Sushi-bar selections
- Past
- Dandy

Down

- Rub
- October birthstone
- Computer list
- Gets the lode out
- Hesitant remark
- Santa ___
- Pen pals?
- ___ roll
- "What?"
- Benefits from an error
- Humorist Bombeck
- Little white lies
- "Entertainment Tonight" alum John
- Well-ventilated
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Football team's hopes dashed

By Kevin Bottrell

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The playoff aspirations of the Goodland and Abilene High School football teams came down to one two-point conversion attempt in the final seconds of Tuesday's bi-district game at Cowboy Stadium.

If Goodland made it, they'd be facing Buhler in the next round. If not, Abilene would be continuing up the bracket. After a touchdown by quarterback Trey Teeter, Goodland trailed by just one point. Teeter gave the ball to Taylor for the go-ahead two-point conversion, but he was tackled short of the goal line. Abilene ran out the clock, winning 27-26.

Goodland finishes the season with a 6-4 record.

Goodland started the game off with the ball. John Peden caught the low kickoff and returned it to the 39. Garrett Taylor made of the first of many runs for the evening, getting to the 45 for a first down.

Teeter ran to the 26, picking up another first down, but Goodland was stopped there and lost yardage, forcing a punt.

Abilene picked up several first downs on their opening drive, but a fumble turned the ball back over to Goodland on the 33 yardline. Goodland didn't keep the ball for long, as Abilene got an interception.

Abilene's next drive proved more fruitful with a touchdown pass. An extra point gave Abilene a 7-0 lead.

Goodland got the ball back with :31 seconds left and didn't waste any time. Taylor ran for 58 yards and scored a touchdown. A bad snap cost Goodland a two-point conversion.

Still leading 7-6, Abilene traded punts with Goodland until with 8 minutes left in the quarter, Goodland was able to get a pair of first downs from Taylor. Dax Ruhs ran the ball down to the 10 yardline and Teeter got it nearly to the goal line, but penalties set Goodland back to second and 20 on the 23 yardline. Goodland ended up with fourth and 22 and went for it, but an incomplete pass forced the turnover on downs.



Dax Ruhs was pushed out of bounds near the Abilene 30 yardline during Tuesday's playoff game. Goodland narrowly missed out on advancing in the bracket when a two-point conversion attempt came up short.

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Abilene punted on their next drive. The Cowboys got a first down at the 18 yardline before a fumble turned the ball back over to Abilene, who was unable to get anything done before halftime.

Abilene received the ball to open the second half, and on their first play scored a touchdown. Their extra point attempt was no good, making the score 13-6.

Ruhs returned the next kickoff to the Abilene 20. A run by Taylor got Goodland to the 16, but a fourth down stop forced a turnover. On Abilene's next drive, Taylor Thomas made a crucial third down sack, forcing Abilene to punt. Goodland took over at the 45.

Goodland drove down to the 10 yardline, then Trachsel made a reception for a touchdown, making

the score 13-12.

Goodland again had trouble with giving up yardage on penalties. Abilene scored a touchdown early in the fourth quarter, adding an extra point to increase their lead to 20-12.

Back on offense, Teeter made a 24-yard completion to Trachsel. Peden was called for unsportsmanlike conduct. Goodland was unable to get else going on that drive, but found themselves back on offense with 5:45 left to play.

Two pass interference calls on Abilene and an unsportsmanlike conduct on the Abilene coach took Goodland forward 45 yards. Smith caught a pass at the 12 yardline, then Trachsel caught a pass at the 10 and ran it in. Teeter attempted a pass for a two point conversion. The ball was tipped up in the air and caught for a

two-point conversion. The game was tied 20-20.

Abilene quickly scored another touchdown and an extra point to retake the lead, 27-20. With about two minutes to play, Trachsel returned the kickoff to the 18 yardline. A facemask penalty on Abilene took the ball up to the nine yardline. Taylor ran it to the two, then Goodland was stopped twice at the goal line before Teeter ran it in for a touchdown.

With just seconds remaining in the game, Goodland went for the game-winning two-point conversion, but Taylor was brought down short of the endzone. Abilene received the kickoff and ran out the clock, securing their 27-26 win and advancement in the playoffs.

Cowgirls get pool play wins, but miss out on 4A state finals

The Goodland High School Cowgirl varsity volleyball team ended their season in pool play last Friday, missing out on a chance to go to the finals at the Class 4A State Competition at Salina.

Kate-Lynn King was selected to the 2013 State All Tournament Team in Class 4A - Division II.

The Cowgirls lost to Frontenac in their first match, 25-19 and 25-23, but defeated Larned in their second match, 25-16 and 25-10.

Goodland lost to Burlington, 25-18 and 25-21, in their third and final match.

In the first set with Frontenac the Cowgirls played head to head until service errors allowed Frontenac to pull ahead and the Cowgirls never recovered. In the second set Frontenac was off to an early 4-0 lead. The Cowgirls fought their way back to tie and then to gain the lead. The Cowgirls led 21-20 when Frontenac tied and then took the lead. Frontenac managed to stay just far enough ahead of the Cowgirls to win.

The Cowgirls had an early 10-5 lead in the first set with Larned. They continued to lead until the end of the game and won 25-16. In the second set after the Cowgirls pulled a head at 5-4 and they led until the end of the game, 25-10.

The winner from the Burlington match would go on to play in the final four. In the first set Goodland remained from two to three points behind Burlington. Many

of the points had the ball volleying from one side to another several times. Burlington slowly increased their lead to win, 25-18. In the second set Goodland got the first point from a serve by Taryn Bedore. Then Burlington caught up, took the lead and kept slowly increasing their lead to as much as eight points. The Cowgirls fought back and tied the score at 21-21, but Burlington continued to score and won, 25-21.

Santa Fe Trail was first in Class 4A Division II, Wichita Trinity second, Burlington third and Frontenac fourth.

Coach Barb Bedore told seniors Taryn Bedore and Ellie House, "Thank you for your time, effort and leadership put in to not only this season but your high school careers. Everything you bring to this team will be greatly missed."

Statistics

Taryn Bedore had 32 kills, four errors, eight blocks, 32 digs and 31 assists. House had 18 kills, 11 errors, two blocks and 21 digs. King had 19 kills, 11 errors, two blocks and four digs. Faith Biermann had three kills, three errors, 21 digs and 30 assists. Cheyenne Ortnier had one kill, no errors and 31 digs. Saige Vandiver had two kills, one error, five blocks, five digs and three assists. Grace Cole had five digs. Kaitlynn Raile had 18 digs. Kaitlyn Daise had one kills, two errors and seven digs. Kelsey White had two digs.

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