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## weather report

**36°**  
10 a.m.  
Monday



### Today

• Sunset, 4:33 p.m.

### Wednesday

• Sunrise, 6:30 a.m.  
• Sunset, 4:32 p.m.

### Middy Conditions

• Soil temperature 46 degrees  
• Humidity 93 percent  
• Sky cloudy  
• Winds northeast 18 mph  
• Barometer 30.31 inches and rising  
• Record High today 78° (1989)  
• Record Low today -2° (1911)

### Last 24 Hours\*

High Sunday 57°  
Low Sunday 27°  
Precipitation none  
This month 0.16  
Year to date 16.68  
Below normal 2.10 inches

### The Topside Forecast

Today: Partly sunny with a high near 44, winds out of the south at 5 to 15 mph and a low around 27. Wednesday: Mostly sunny with a high near 61, winds out of southwest 5 to 15 mph and a low around 36.

### Extended Forecast

Thursday: Mostly sunny with a 20 percent chance of showers, a high near 53 and a low around 32. Friday: Mostly sunny with a 20 percent chance of rain or snow, a high near 52 and a low around 32. Saturday: Mostly sunny with a high near 55 and a low around 33.  
(National Weather Service)  
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## Open season



Hunter Richard Kelly and his dog prowled farmland northwest of Goodland on Saturday. Low bird population due to the drought is affecting this year's hunting, with only a few birds bagged during the opening weekend.  
Photo by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News

# City considers longer Armory lease

By Kevin Bottrell

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The City of Goodland may give Northwest Kansas Technical College more control over the Derrick Lutters Armory to facilitate a planned expansion of the diesel technology program.

At the Nov. 4 meeting of the city commission, the college asked for the city to either donate the Armory, or extend lease long term with ability to modify the building.

Shaudel Bain, college endowment director, as well as several diesel instructors and industry professionals, came to the meeting. Bain said the college is looking to increase its flagship program by 10-20 students and make

some changes.

Diesel Instructor Ron Kaus said that years ago the diesel program was focused on agriculture equipment. A truck portion was added, and the technology for both has continued to grow.

The program is at a point where agriculture and trucking need to be separated into their own programs, and to do that, they need more space.

"We can't fit in the current building," he said. "There's nowhere to go in it."

Kaus said the industry representatives they work with are all in agreement that the move needs to be made to improve the quality of their future employees. Kaus said the pro-

gram teams up with Truck and Tractor, Foley Industries, Central Power and more to help with tooling and demonstrations.

The commissioners discussed the issue toward the end of the meeting. City Manager Doug Gerber said that when the city originally leased the Armory to the college, the feeling was that it should not let go of the asset.

The commissioners didn't make a decision at the meeting, but indicated they would support a long-term lease.

In other business, the commission:

- Discussed making upgrades to the sewer plant. Don Heller with engineering firm EBH gave the city commission some options for what they can do.

The headworks needs updating to catch smaller solids, and it needs a grit removal system. This will save wear and tear on the machinery. Heller also recommended replacing the blowers.

One option, he said, would be to rebuild the whole plant. Another would be to install a lagoon system, which would remove some of the existing equipment in favor of ponds. The Kansas Department of Health and Environment recommends a lagoon system, but it would cost several million dollars more.

One advantage to the lagoon system, Heller said, is that regulations on mechani-

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## Goodland students do well at Ecomeet

Two of Goodland's Ecomeet teams made it into the top 10 at the State Ecomeet Tournament in Hesston on Thursday.

Goodland Team A - Maddie Mayer, Amber Smith, Cheyenne Stegeman and Raquel Tomsic - A placed fifth overall.

Goodland Team D - Zach Miller, Todd Snethen and Faith Biermann - placed second in the interpretive skit competition and 10th overall.

Stegeman placed fifth in the shortgrass prairie test and Biermann placed fifth in the mammals test.

There were 26 teams in the tournament. Olathe South was the winner.

## Late night fire



The Goodland Fire Department responded to a house fire at the corner of Montana and West Ninth St. about 8 p.m. Saturday night. Few details were available Monday, but the house did not appear to have any residents. Photo by Angela Bonham/The Goodland Star-News

## local markets

10 a.m.

Wheat — \$6.58 bushel  
Posted county price — \$6.84  
Corn — \$4.28 bushel  
Posted county price — \$4.20  
Milo — \$3.88 bushel  
Soybeans — \$12 bushel  
Posted county price — \$11.97  
Millet — no bid  
Sunflowers  
Oil current crop — \$18.90 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



## Mavericks struggling

The Northwest Tech men's basketball team has struggled in their opening games of the season, losing several games on the road.

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## New infield material arrives at ballpark

The arrival of infield conditioner at Centennial Park is the beginning of incremental improvements to the park. The park is heavily used during the summer months by the Goodland Activities Center's baseball and softball programs and during the spring by the Goodland High School girls softball team.

The infield conditioner of vitrified clay will be applied to the northeast and southeast infields one field at a time. This is where the high school varsity and junior varsity softball team practices. The clay will be worked into the ground. It will improve the playing surface by improving drainage, controlling moisture and reducing compaction. The conditioner comes from Arbor Rock LLC of Loveland, Colo.

Other improvements planned are the addition of a yellow safety topper to the field fencing and restroom partitions. Future plans for improvements include landscaping and painting the concession stand.

"The City of Goodland plans to improve the complex cosmetically and physically for better use and has set aside funds to bring the



A truck dumped a load of infield conditioner at Centennial Park last week. The conditioner, which is made of clay will be applied to the infield on several softball fields.

Photo by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News

complex up to standard," said Karen Anderson, parks and recreation director. "These changes will roll out over the next few years. Several community groups and businesses

have shown their support with donations toward infrastructure at the complex, including a generous donation from Black Hills Energy toward a new scoreboard."

To donate time or money call Anderson at (785) 890-4595 or [karen.anderson@cityofgoodland.org](mailto:karen.anderson@cityofgoodland.org).

## Bring out your ugly sweater to party in December

Tickets are on sale now for the Ugly Sweater Party, a celebration of all things tacky and horrible being organized by the Goodland Area Young Professionals, the City of Goodland and the Chamber of Commerce.

The party will be from 6:30 to 10 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, at Sugar Hills Golf Club. Cost is \$25 per couple and \$15 per single. Tickets are available at High Plains Office Supply, *The Goodland Star-News* and Clark Crossing Co.

Wear your ugliest sweater and participate in the contest. The event will include prizes, hors d'oeuvres and cocktails.

For information, call Megan Thomas at 899-6145.





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 Tuesday.

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

The Carnegie Arts Center is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday and 1 to 6 p.m. on Monday at 120 W. 12th. The center is always in need of hosts and hostesses on Sundays. New monthly exhibits and you are invited to visit the gift shop.

The Goodland Public Library is open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday. For information call (785) 899-5461 or stop by the library.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 890-3665.

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

Breast Cancer Support Group meets at 5:30 p.m. the second Monday of the month. Any woman with cancer is welcome. Call Norma at 890-6629 for more information.

A PTSD Support Group for Iraq, Afganistan, Beruit 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

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. 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 Distribution is 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 23, at Cat's TnT, 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.prairie-landfood.com.

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: 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 - 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: 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.

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

The "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. 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

death notice

Esther Splattstoesser

Esther Splattstoesser, 89, long-time resident of Goodland, died Saturday, Nov. 9, 2013, at St. Joseph's Care Center in Norfolk, Neb. Services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 16, 2013, at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 222 W. 13, Goodland with Pastor Darian Hybl officiating and burial in the

Goodland Cemetery. Visitation is from 3 to 7 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 15, 2013, at Koons Chapel, 211 N. Main, Goodland. Memorials to the Esther Splattstoesser Memorial may be sent to the funeral home. A full obituary will follow.

matters of record

District Court These are cases decided by the Goodland District Court:

Dec. 31, 2012: William Howard Jones, speeding, fined \$147.

Jan. 19: Shanda Chemene Ann Thomas, speeding, fined \$203.

Feb. 2: Nick NGA Chhay, motor carrier regulations on persons and property, fined \$248.

Feb. 3: Arron J. Smith, speeding, fined \$413.

Feb. 4: Myron Garrett, motor carrier regulations on persons and property, fined \$258.

Feb. 7: Darlene Lynn Bishop, no seatbelt, fined \$10.

Darlene Lynn Bishop, speeding, fined \$141.

Feb. 8: Kenneth A. Stangl, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked, fined \$569.

Feb. 29: Patricia Edmondson, speeding, fined \$156.

March 3: Michael C. Pieper, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked, fined \$196.

Michael C. Pieper, no seatbelt, fined \$10.

March 15: Hesham Gazany, speeding, fined \$268.

March 21: Billy Martin Curry, no seat belt, failure to appear, \$10.

March 26: Yassell Garcia, overweight limits on wheels and axels, fined \$916.

April 14: Tamika Myisha Vines, speeding, fined \$165.

April 15: Roby Church, speeding, fined \$246.

April 19: Terri Chevarria-Martinez, speeding, fined \$210.

April 21: Arnoldo Diaz-Alarcon, speeding, fined \$159.

April 23: Wayland James Sermons, vehicles, unlawful acts, e.e., registration, fined \$196.

May 6: Kenneth Wayne Allen, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Andrew K. Ragels, speeding, fined \$282.

May 8: Orelvis Rojas, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked, fined \$221.

Orelvis Rojas, required obedi-

ence to official traffic control devices, fined \$75.

May 11: Zachary Potterf, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked, fined \$365.

Zachary Potterf, unsafe turning or stopping; failure to give proper signal, fined \$75.

May 17: John Andrew Swieter, defective muffler, fined \$143.

Brian Keith Bogle, speeding, fined \$246.

May 18: Jeffery Lamar Oliver, operating a motor vehicle without a valid license, fined \$548.

May 19: Trevor Howling, speeding, fined \$201.

May 20: Nicholas D. Buhelos, speeding, fined \$177.

May 22: Tyler James Claussen, speeding, \$147.

Conluska B. Graham, speeding, fined \$230.

May 24: Walter J. Harrison Jr., speeding, fined \$159.

May 25: Eric Alan Kowal, speeding, fined \$141.

Robert Lee Larson, speeding, fined \$234.

Joshua K. Marsh, speeding, fined \$195.

Amy Lynn Thompson, speeding, fined \$159.

Lester Alan Trudeau, speeding, fined \$198.

May 27: Marcelina Salano-Santos, no drivers license, fined \$158.

Marcelino Salano-Santos, speeding, fined \$63.

May 28: Jacob Mackenzie Chinnery, no seat belt, fined \$10.

June 7: Sherry Marie Wallace, speeding, fined \$195.

Ignacio Rendon, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked, fined \$296.

June 8: James Issac Kellar, speeding, fined \$183.

Marcus Thomas, speeding, fined \$173.

June 11: Matthew Aaron Wilson, speeding, fined \$294.

June 12: Thomas John Dunson, speeding, fined \$147.

Keith Cook

Lifelong Sherman and Cheyenne County, Kansas resident Keith Cook, 85, died Thursday, November 7, 2013, at Good Samaritan Society—Sherman County in Goodland.

He was born December 29, 1927, at St. Francis, Kansas, the son of Viola (Hendrich) and James Cook. He attended school in St. Francis, and served his country in the United States Army.

On June 4, 1950, he and Eula Ardis Mears were married at St. Francis. He was a farmer and a farm equipment trader. He especially enjoyed going to farm sales, as well as big band music, dancing, and spending time with family and friends. His memberships included Pleasant Home Church and Veterans of Foreign Wars—Lowell Coleman Post 1133.

Preceding him in death were his wife Eula; parents; sisters Rita Schuricht and Jean Brenner; and brothers Klifton Cook and Kendall Cook. Surviving family includes son Brent Cook and his wife Deb of Edson; daughter Shelly Fenner and her husband Dennis; four grandchildren Kim Doole and her husband Ryan of Edson; Ashley Case and her husband Derek of Wichita; Travis Fenner, his wife Chelsea, and their children Cameron, Kaz, Ty, Josephine and Juliet of San Antonio, Texas; Dana Appelhans, her husband Mike, and their children Braden and Avery of Blue Springs, Missouri.

The funeral will be Monday, November 11, at 10 a.m. MT, at Harvest Evangelical Free Church in Goodland, with Pastor Pery Baird officiating. Burial with military honors in the Goodland Cemetery will be private.

Friends may share respects on Sunday, from 3-7 p.m. MT, at Koons Chapel in Goodland.

Memorials may be designated to Good Samaritan Society—Sherman County or VFW Post 1133, and may be left at or mailed to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, KS 67735-1555.

Online information and condolences: www.koonsfuneralhome.com



matters of record

District Court These are cases decided by the Goodland District Court:

June 12: Vernon Lovins, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked, fined \$296.

Vernon Lovins, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Seletina G. Livingston, speeding, fined \$159.

June 13: Donna K. Piquette, speeding, fined \$173.

June 14: Teresa Ann Carr, speeding, fined \$147.

Gale L. Scott, defective muffler, fined \$155.

Marcos Rivera, child passenger

safety, restraining systems and seat belts, deferred adjudication \$304.

June 15: Diana Herlinda Hernandez, speeding, fined \$159.

Brandon Justin Rheem, speeding, fined \$255.

Derrick V. Smith, speeding, fined \$195.

June 17: Matthew Scott Horman, speeding, fined \$159.

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# First flu cases confirmed

The Kansas Department of Health and Environment is reporting the first confirmed influenza cases of the 2013-14 season. Both cases were among adults in the Wichita area. One case was identified through local surveillance activities by the Sedgwick County Health Department and the other case was identified through ILINet, a system of clinics that the Kansas health department uses to monitor outpatients who exhibit influenza-like illness.

Health officials are reminding Kansans that it's not too late to get vaccinated against influenza. Influenza vaccine is recommended for nearly everyone six months of age and older. Infants less than six months of age are too young to be vaccinated and are more vulnerable to the complications from influenza.

Being vaccinated against influenza is especially important for anyone at high risk of complications and for anyone who is caring for children younger than five years of age. It is also important for persons caring for those with medical conditions that put them at higher risk for severe complications.

Symptoms of influenza include fever, dry cough, extreme tiredness and muscle aches. Complications can include pneumonia, ear and

sinus infections, and dehydration; influenza may also worsen other chronic conditions.

"The arrival of our first confirmed influenza cases of the season serves as an important reminder for everyone to get vaccinated to protect themselves, their loved ones and the community," said Robert Moser, M.D. and state secretary and state health officer. "Influenza normally increases during the holidays before peaking around February."

Depending on the severity of the influenza season, five percent to 20 percent of the population may get influenza each year. During the peak of the 2012-13 influenza season in Kansas, approximately six percent of all health care visits in ILINet clinics were due to influenza-like illness. Influenza or pneumonia contributed to or was the direct cause of 1,444 deaths among Kansas residents during the 2012-13 influenza season. Influenza and pneumonia was the eighth leading cause of death in 2012 in Kansas.

Additional ways to avoid spreading influenza include covering coughs and sneezes, washing your hands and staying home when sick.

For information on receiving the influenza vaccine, call the Sherman County Health Department at (785) 890-4888.

# Brewster releases honor roll

The Brewster School District has released the honor roll for the first nine-week grading period. Students on the Superintendent's Honor Roll have earned a 4.0 grade average. Those on the Principal's Honor Roll have averages of 3.5 to 3.99. Those on the Honor Roll have 3.0 to 3.49 grade averages.

## High School

**Superintendent's Honor Roll**  
Juniors: Dara Roulier.  
Sophomores: Rachel Friess.  
Principal's Honor Roll  
Seniors: Tanner Abbott.  
Juniors: Alicia Barrie, Layton Werth.

Sophomores: Taylyr Cheatum, Justin Schmidt.

Freshmen: Tad Holm, Jaden Schmidt.

## Honor Roll

Seniors: Ashley Barrie, Justin Culwell, Yumi Inagaki, Katera Johnson.

Junior: CJ Felzien, Jace Jorgensen.

Sophomores: T-Aera Abbott, Sophia Williams.

Freshmen: Dalton Arntt, Kyle Cheatum.

## Junior High

**Superintendent's Honor Roll**  
Sixth Grade: Weston Schmidt.

**Principal's Honor Roll**  
Seventh Grade: Mikenna Han-evik.

Sixth Grade: Genesis Aguilar, Morgan Bryant, Jason Clymer, Cameron Ford-Gillen.

## Honor Roll

Eighth Grade: Austin Bear, Jacob Benham, Koebe Lorg, Adrian Mercado, Levi Rall.

Seventh Grade: Karlee Brown, McKedzie Clymer, Desmond Purvis, Brett Roulier.

Sixth Grade: Noah Fahey, Thomas Martinez, Sarah Myers, Autumn O'Brian.

# matters of record

## District Court

These are cases decided by the Goodland District Court:

**June 17:** Kelby A. Sanchez, no seat belt, fined \$10.

**June 20:** Peter Michael Hopkins, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Johnnie J. Howard, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Darrell Klaus, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Daniel Oborny, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Lee Russell, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Gregory Brian Somerville, speeding, fined \$234.

Janet M. Swartz, no seat belt, fined \$10.

**June 21:** Carolyn Potter, unlawful act such as registration, fined \$156.

Wyatt James Seymour, speeding, fined \$189.

**June 22:** Kathryn Minty Bell, no registration, fined \$156.

Gerald Champine III, no drivers license, fined \$156.

Rori Norlin Hernandez, speeding, fined \$171.

Christine Jacobs, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Victoria Kirk, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Jose E. Nunez, no drivers license,

fined \$156.

Caniela Rodriguez, speeding, fined \$161.

Zachary Straatmann, speeding, fined \$179.

**June 23:** Constance Marie Brown, speeding, fined \$171.

Mario Flores, no seat belt, fined \$10.

Shane Louis Sandlin, defective muffler, fined \$191.

Shelia Yvette Spears, defective muffler, fined \$143.

Justin Mauck, no seatbelt, disposed due to failure to appear, \$10.

Justin Mauck, child passenger safety; restraining systems and seat belts, disposed due to failure to appear, \$156.

Sara Mauck, no seatbelt, disposed due to failure to appear, \$91.

**June 24:** Amber McCoy, speeding, fined \$195.

Heidi Marie Mosbacher, speeding, fined \$191.

Spencer Hale Reisbord, defective muffler, fined \$161.

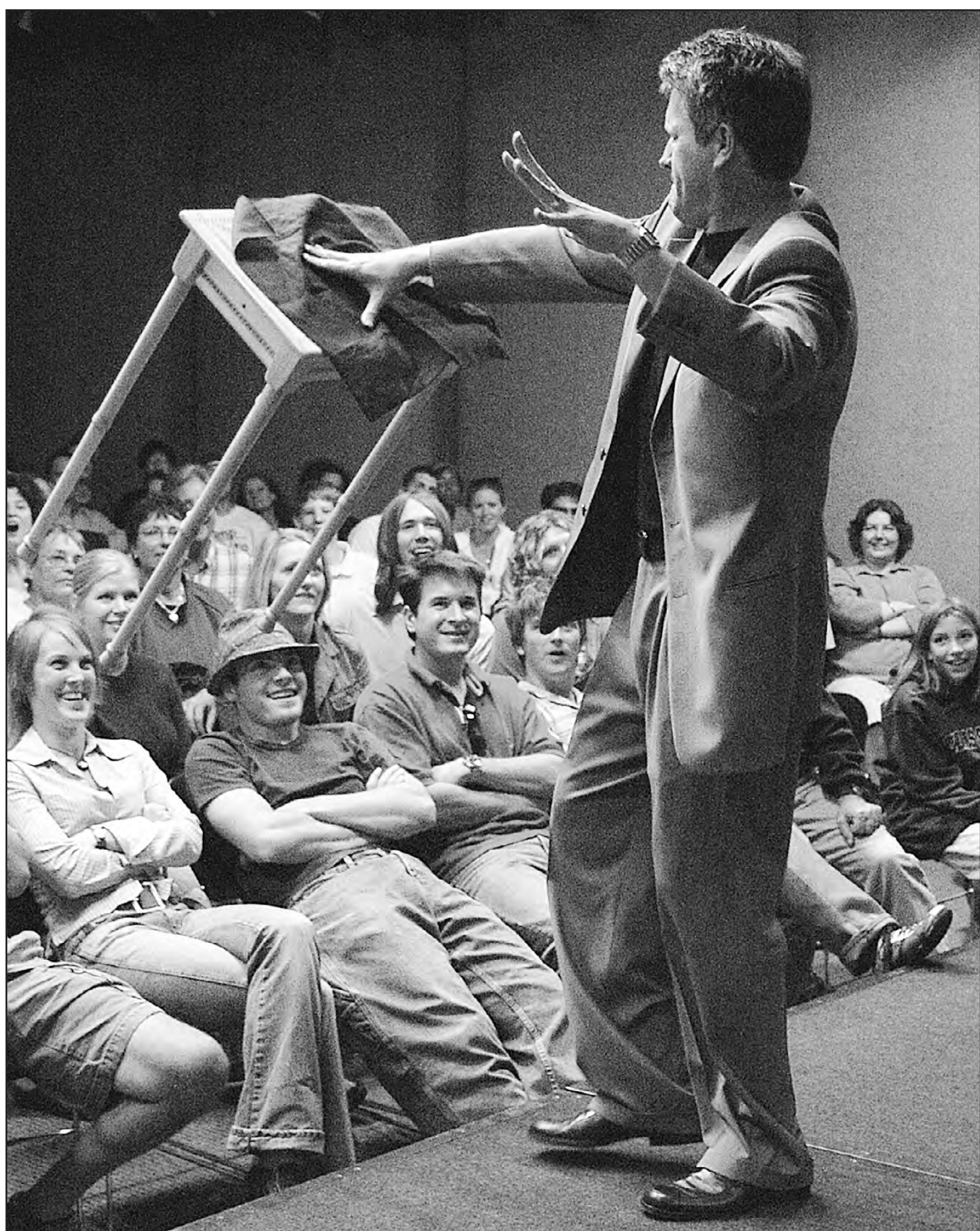
David Trudell, speeding, fined \$165.

**June 26:** Larry Jonathan Gomez, speeding, fined \$159.

Tara Zeabin McClary, speeding, fined \$153.

Connie E. Nelson, speeding,

fined \$161.



Craig Karges entertains an audience recently.

# Experience the extraordinary coming to Colby College center

Craig Karges does more than put his money where his mouth is; he bets his paycheck won't be ripped to shreds! At 2 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Sunday, Colby Community College Cultural Arts Center in Colby, Karges will present his one-man show entitled, "Experience the Extraordinary!" The show toured over 100 cities last year. Billed as an extraordinary, Karges is known to television viewers for his mental feats involving extraordinary phenomena on "The Tonight Show with Jay Leno," "Larry King Live," Fox News Channel, CNN Headline News, CNBC, Lifetime, and E! Entertainment Television. He

has also authored "The Wizard's Legacy", "Ignite Your Intuition" and "Extraordinary Tales." Special funds from the "Patricia A. Embree Trust Fund" at the Thomas County Community Foundation have been given to bring this unusual and entertaining show to Colby.

During his full-evening stage show, Karges says he will risk his performance fee as a demonstration of his unique abilities. "I'll ask a member of the audience to place the check for my performance in one of several envelopes," Karges says. According to Karges, the other envelopes will each contain blank paper, and will then be sealed and mixed up. "I'll instruct that

person to select one envelope and then I will destroy the remaining envelopes using a paper shredder," Karges says. "If I am successful in controlling my volunteer's thoughts, the envelope remaining should contain my check. If not, Western Plains Arts Association won't have to worry about me cashing my check!"

Karges was named by "PERFORMANCE" magazine as one of the top five touring variety/family shows of the year alongside David Copperfield, Disney on Ice, the Campbell Soup World Figure Skating Tour and Barney the Dinosaur.

In Karges' particular show,

tables float, minds are read, metal bends, and your imagination will be challenged because you won't believe your eyes! According to Karges, he does not possess supernatural powers, nor does he claim to perform as a psychic or magician.

He also offers \$100,000 to charity if anyone can prove he uses stooges or confederates from the audience to aid him in his demonstrations.

Admission to this unique event are by Western Plains Arts Association season ticket, or at the door; adults, \$20 and students, \$10.

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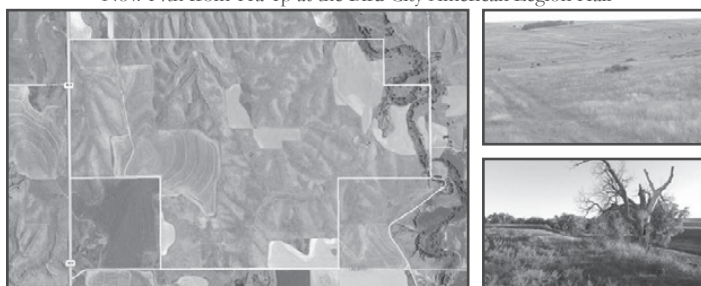
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from other viewpoints...

## Helping veterans achieve the dream

Americans come together each year on November 11 to celebrate and honor our nation's veterans. These brave men and women sacrificed to provide their children and grandchildren with the opportunity to achieve the American Dream, so it's imperative we make certain they themselves have the opportunity to live the American Dream.

In Kansas and across the country, veterans face a myriad of challenges when they return home from service – from braving mental health conditions such as Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, to the basics needed to enter the workforce like creating or updating a resume. With 34,000 servicemen and women expected to return home by February 2014, practical programs and services must be in place to help them transition from one chapter of their lives to the next.

For soldiers and their families looking to obtain a college degree, universities across the state offer flexible and affordable options such as online coursework and accelerated programs. Fort Riley and Kansas State University also have an unconventional collaboration connecting eight Division I sports teams and four club-level teams with combat units at Fort Riley. From scrimmaging to attending deployment and return ceremonies, the fellowship creates a mutual appreciation and has even inspired some soldiers to become the first in their families to attend college upon separation from service.

A real concern for veterans when returning to civilian life is finding a job and business owners in Kansas should strongly consider hiring our heroes. According to extensive interviews conducted last summer by the Center for a New American Security, business owners hire veterans because of their leadership and teamwork skills, character, discipline, effectiveness and loyalty. Numerous large companies like Garmin and Sprint have veteran-employment initiatives, so it's encouraging to see small businesses also taking steps toward proactively recruiting our heroes.

National initiatives are important, but support at the local level such as the job fairs at all of our Kansas military installations also make a difference.

Veterans are offered this kind of community networking and support through organizations like GallantFew, which was founded by Army Ranger veteran Karl Monger of Wichita in 2009. GallantFew exists to reduce veteran unemployment, homelessness, and eliminate veteran suicide. The nonprofit organization changes lives by pairing "seasoned" veterans who have successfully established their civilian careers with "new" veterans to mentor and facilitate a seamless transition from active military service to civilian life. You can get help or get involved by visiting [www.gallantfew.org](http://www.gallantfew.org).

In April, I convened a Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee roundtable with business owners and veteran organization representatives to discuss the state of veteran entrepreneurship, ideas on how current programs may be improved, and gaps not being addressed. I'm also a sponsor of the Service members' Choice in Transition Act, which includes a provision to empower military members who seek to own a small business the ability to pursue that dream as part of the Transition Assistance Program.

On Veterans' Day, we express our gratitude for the service of those who have protected our way of life and allowed us to remain the strongest and freest nation in the world. Let's make certain whether veterans wish to start their own business, commence a job search, or go back to school, they are able to achieve the same American Dream they sacrificed so much to protect.

God bless our veterans: we respect you, we thank you and we love you. — U.S. Senator Jerry Moran



## Downsizing university education

Not only are students paying more for college tuition today, many Kansas students are now getting less education.

Since the minimum course requirement for a bachelors degree is now 120 credit hours instead of 124, some programs at regent's schools are beginning to reduce their program course requirements to keep a "market advantage." University colleagues across Kansas are reporting to me (and I have personally seen) curriculum review changes that lower course requirements.

Sometimes no rationale is given. Other times it is clearly listed: they have to "remain competitive" with other (cheap) programs being offered to Kansas students. This is a "race to the bottom."

Many university professors who are planning their syllabus for spring 2014 have discovered that they are teaching a shorter year — there will be several class meetings less. Kansas Board of Regents policy changed so



### education frontlines

• John Schrock

that the minimum number of instructional days for an academic year is now 146 plus 5 final exam days. That is why Kansas universities can now have 73 instructional days per semester instead of 75.

We have all seen the cost of our chocolate bars go up to a point where we might actually decide not to buy them. When we reach that point, the business strategy is simple: just hold the price and downsize the candy bar.

But education should not be treated as a business where we downsize our "product."

Issues of quality in education — and that includes the time it takes to master course content — belong in the hands of faculty, just

as medical practice belongs in the hands of physicians and surgeons. But in this time of drastic budget cuts and the threat of closing programs, there has been no faculty pushback to this trimming of education.

Maintaining rigorous coursework and a solid curriculum is a faculty responsibility. I do know of one heroic professor who recognized that the cut in instructional days will leave students shortchanged. This professor extended the time a class meets. But for the most part, university faculty are abdicating their academic responsibility and leaving these decisions in the hands of administrators.

There is a marvelous character in a Peanuts cartoon who misses a day of school and worries about going through life "one day dumber."

Many Kansas university students will now be missing 16 days from their four year bachelors degree.

And sixteen days is a lot of "dumb."

## Ag secretaries talk policy

With more than three decades of collective service under their belts, six former U.S. agricultural secretaries discussed and cussed climate change, international trade, subsidies, crop insurance, food stamps and a bushel basket full of other ag issues Oct. 21.

As part of Kansas State University's Landon Lecture series, participants included Kansas Dan Glickman, John Block, Mike Espy, Mike Johanns, Ed Schafer and Ann Veneman.

Glickman, who served as ag secretary under President Clinton from 1995 to 2001, said there are great things happening in agriculture.

"Food and agriculture are hot topics today," Glickman told those who packed McCain Auditorium. "They're high up on the agenda, agriculture is part of the international agenda and people all over the world know about this industry."

The farm economy has never been better, Glickman continued.

"After years, and years, and years of low prices and bad economic conditions, we're in an era of a much stronger farm economy," the former Kansas ag secretary noted. "That's not to say there won't still be ups and downs, but the era of agriculture being the weak sister of American economics is over."

The challenge for farmers will be to double food production by 2050 to help feed an estimated 9 billion people, Block said. Block served as ag secretary under President Reagan from 1981 to 1986.

"We can't let the critics stop us from using



### Insight this week

• john schlageck

new technology," Block said. "We have to use it or not meet our objectives."

Mike Johanns, who served under President Bush from 2005 to 2008, stressed the importance of hammering out a farm bill but said this wouldn't be enough.

He said this country's farm economy will grow and flourish with an enlightened approach to taxation, university research and world trade.

The lack of consensus on a new farm bill demonstrates the deep philosophical divide in Congress threatening the future of farm legislation, Espy said. He served under Bill Clinton in the early '90s. The political middle no longer exists, Espy said. Urban Democrats are drawn to food programs and away from production agriculture while rural Republicans push to cut federal programs to the bone.

"The attitude in the House and Senate has changed," Espy said. "In the line of fire will be agriculture. We've got a real problem, guys."

California's Ann Veneman was sworn in as the first woman Secretary of the U.S. Department of Agriculture on Jan. 20, 2001. Secretary Veneman presided over one of the most historic times in American agriculture. Her tenure in-

cluded record farm income, record agricultural exports and the creation of stronger pest and disease protection systems for the country.

During Veneman's tenure, the Food Stamp Program and child nutrition program were reauthorized and funding increased. As secretary, Veneman focused on new approaches to help feed the hungry around the world.

Today she continues this challenge to feed the world as well as reduce obesity.

"In addition to the 842 million people that are always hungry, the World Health Organization estimates there are more than 1.4 billion in the world who are overweight," Veneman said.

Veneman says this country faces the same challenges associated with obesity that causes all kinds of additional diseases including diabetes, heart disease, cancer as well as increasing the cost of health care and decreasing individual productivity.

"For far too long we've addressed the issue of hunger and malnutrition by throwing calories at it," the former ag secretary said. "Our focus needs to look at getting nutrition to people today."

Schafer, who served under President George W. Bush, said grains and meats exported throughout the world were accompanied by delivery of American values to countries desperate for stability.

"When you touch the land, you know about responsibility," Schafer said. "Hungry people make unstable governments. Hungry people don't learn. Hungry people don't work."

## Branson is apple country

I was looking for Jonathan apples.

My sister and I were on our way back from visiting relative in Arkansas and our trip took us through Branson, Mo., and along the area that Steve and I used to visit 40 years ago to get Jonathan apples.

Back in those days, we lived in Kansas City and would drive to the Branson area where there wasn't much but orchards and a sleepy village a lot like a bunch of other Ozark-area towns.

Times have changed. Branson is reached by a four-lane freeway that even in October was busy and the town, while not at high season, had more than enough traffic for us. Apples were not being sold in fruit stands at every crossroads like I remembered.

But, we finally did pass a sign that read, "Jonathan Apples." I made a U-turn and we went into the little roadside stand. There were indeed baskets of apples everywhere.

I was tempted by the bushels. We had always bought a bushel of apples back when we were young. I would sit at night watching the 10



### cynthia haynes

• open season

p.m. news while peeling, coring and slicing the apples. Then I would put six cups of them with the spices for an apple pie and toss the bagged pie in the freezer to await its crust.

I also made apple sauce and we just ate a lot of them. There were three then four of us back in those days and we could do a lot of damage to a bushel of apples.

However, there are only two of us now so I settled on a peck, which is I discovered one-fourth of a bushel. Frankly, I'd have guessed it was more like a half. It seemed like a lot of apples.

It had been a lot of years since I had made those pies for the freezer but a sharp paring knife and a little perseverance put six pies in

my freezer, which is almost more than I had room for, but we squeezed them in.

The same day, I prepared the frozen pie filling, I used up the last of my large zucchini and yellow squash. I peeled and seeded them, ran them through a salad shooter to make nice shreds and froze them in two cup portions. Two cups of zucchini and/or yellow squash is exactly what I need to make two loaves of zucchini bread or a pan of zucchini brownies.

You can't open the door to the freezer without something jumping out at you, but I'm ready for winter.

I've already made one batch of brownies and a couple of loaves of zucchini bread.

For Thanksgiving, I asked my son if he wanted pumpkin or apple pie.

He said yes. Now it looks as if there will be more people for dinner.

Looks like one or more of those apple pies will be hitting their crusts.

Yum.

And Yeah! Freezer space.

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# City considers longer Armory lease

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cal systems are always changing, regulations that don't apply to lagoons. The city would also be able to re-use the partially treated water in a limited capacity. Sticking with the mechanical system would save about \$3 million. "Building the ponds is one of the expensive items," he said. Public Works Director Rich Simon said city staff likes the newer mechanical equipment. The headworks will need updating regardless. Heller said he could look into getting a grant to help pay for the upgrades, but the city would have to raise its sewer rate to \$40 per hookup per month and spend more than \$9 million on the project. The current average rate is

about \$14 for a 5,000 gallon user. "You have by far the lowest sewer rates of anyone," Heller said. Beyond agreeing that the headworks need upgrading, the city commission did not make a decision at the meeting. Discussed other potential infrastructure projects. Gerber made a presentation to the commission, listing projects such as a runway extension, new electric meter system, upgrades to the tie-in with Sunflower Electric, power plant control system upgrades, water line replacements and more. Gerber said the city could raise money for projects by increasing the sewer usage or base rates, a property tax mill or an electric rate increase.

# matters of record

**District Court**  
These are cases decided by the Goodland District Court:  
**June 26:** Lee Russell, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
**June 27:** Dusten Aubrey George, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Douglas Kratz, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Josiah Kratz, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
**June 28:** Mickey Don Dockery Jr., failure to yield to emergency vehicle, fined \$291.  
Anders Mikael Maimberg, defective muffler, fined \$212.  
Karissa Lynn Willard, speeding, fined \$183.  
**June 29:** Brianna Holowell, no seat belt for 14 to 17 years to old, fined \$60.  
John P. McCool Jr., no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Jonathan Payne, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Christopher Bryan Porter, speeding, fined \$165.  
Lydia N. Salazar, no drivers license, fined \$246.

Lydia N. Salazar, speeding, fined \$51.  
Chad J. Walker, speeding, fined \$177.  
**June 30:** Virginia L. Hatch, defective muffler, fined \$155.  
Stacy Len Lisenbery, speeding, fined \$171.  
Tawny Nesbitt, speeding, fined \$246.  
Dillon Oneill, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Dillon Oneill, no seat belt on child, fined \$156.  
Tessa Salisbury, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
John Patick Vibbert, improper U-turn, fined \$171.  
July 3: Kenneth G. Gotfrey, speeding, fined \$189.  
Paul Howard, improper stop lamp or turn signal, fined \$141.  
Dedrick Dewayne Turner, no motor carrier regulations on persons and property, fined \$246.  
**July 4:** Justin G. Blair, defective muffler, fined \$272.  
James Epperson, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Thomas C. Farr, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Michael L. Jeffery, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Andrew Kaup, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Donald Dean Williams Jr., no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Maxine Ford, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Michaela Ford, no seat belt (14-17 years of age), fined \$60.  
**July 6:** Sami Hafedh Ashoor, speeding, fined \$336.  
Michael C. Austra, speeding, fined \$171.  
Stacy June Clark, speeding, fined \$171.  
Muriel Renee Howard, speeding, fined \$153.  
Timothy J. Wolters, failure to sign proper signal for turning or stopping, fined \$171.  
**July 7:** Jesus Gallardo, speeding, fined \$159.  
Katherine Elizabeth Hudson, speeding, fined \$159.  
Joshua Mazanec, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
Amol Papat Pawar, defective muffler, fined \$177.  
Kent Allen Hatfield, speeding, fined \$153.  
**July 8:** Beth Ann Johnson, defective muffler, fined \$282.  
Maricela Portillo Yanez, speeding, fined \$177.  
**July 9:** Jerrell Thomas Asbill, fined \$141.  
Lianne E. Heffelman, speeding, fined \$189.  
Jennifer E. Nester, defective muffler, fined \$201.  
Sharan Jenice Welch, speeding, fined \$159.  
Alisha Nicole Kissinger, no seat belt, fined \$10.  
**July 10:** Paula C. Beasley, speeding, \$141.  
Kerry Lavar Hightower, unlawful to drive on closed roadway, fined \$121.  
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CMT	Local	Local	Reba	Reba	Ghostbusters								
CNN	Piers Morgan Live	AC 360 Later	E. B. OutFront		Piers Morgan Live	Anderson	Anderson	Local					
COMEDY	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Brickle.		Daily	Colbert	Colbert	Local					
DISC	Local	Local	Moonshiners		Moonshiners: Outlaw	Moonshiners	Porter Ri	Porter					
DISN	Local	Local	ANT Farm	Jessie	Tinker Bell and the Lost		Austin	Good Luck	Jessie				
E!	Giuliana & Bill		Tia & Tamara		Total Divas		Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea				
ESPN	College B	College B	College Basketball		SportsCenter		SportCtr	Local					
ESPN2	College Basketball				SportsCenter		NBA	Local					
FAM	A Cinderella Story				The 700 Club		Ravenswood	Ravenswd	Local				
FOOD	Local	Local	Chopped		Chopped		Chopped	Chopped					
FX	Transformers				Sons of Anarchy		Sons of Anarchy						
HGTV	Income Property	Income Property	Hunters	Hunt Intl	House Hunters Reno	Income Property							

Wednesday Evening										November 13, 2013			
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30			
ABC	Middle	Back in	Mod Fam	Super Fun	Nashville	Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline					
CBS	Survivor		Criminal Minds		CSI: Crime Scene	Local	Late Show Letterman	Ferguson					
NBC	Revolution		Law & Order: SVU		Dateline NBC	Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	J. Fallon					
FOX	The X Factor				Local								
Cable Channels													
A & E	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck D.	Duck Dynasty	Local				
AMC	Twister				Jurassic Park III				Local				
ANIM	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	TBA	TBA	Local					
BET	Scandal	Scandal	The Game	The Game	Wendy Williams Show	Daddy Day	Daddy Day	Local					
BRAVO	Real Housewives	Top Chef	Top Chef	Top Chef	Happens	Top Chef	Top Chef	Local					
CMT	Local	Local	Reba	Reba	The Marine		Cops Rel.	Local					
CNN	Piers Morgan Live	AC 360 Later	E. B. OutFront		Piers Morgan Live	Anderson	Anderson	Local					
COMEDY	South Pk	South Pk	Key		Daily	Colbert	At Midnig	South Park	Local				
DISC	Local	Local	Man vs. Wild		Man vs. Wild		Bear Grylls:	Bear Grylls:	Local				
DISN	Local	Local	ANT Farm	Jessie	Tinker Bell		Good Luck	Austin	Gravity	Local			
E!	Kardashian		Kardashian		The Soup	Burning L	Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea				
ESPN	NBA Basketball		NBA Basketball		SportsCenter		SportCtr	Local					
ESPN2	College Football				SportsCenter		NBA	Local					
FAM	Ever-Cinderella				The 700 Club		Prince	Prince	Local				
FOOD	Local	Local	Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.	Restaurant: Im.	Local				
FX	Green Lantern				Amer. Horror		Amer. Horror	Amer. Horror	Local				
HGTV	Property Brothers	Property Brothers	Hunters	Hunt Intl	Property Brothers	Property Brothers	Property Brothers	Property Brothers	Local				
HIST	American Pickers	Bible Secrets	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	Local				
LIFE	Christmas Angel	The Christmas Hope			Christmas Angel				Local				
MTV	Girl Code	Girl Code	Ke\$ha	Big Tips	Hook Up	Girl Code	Ke\$ha	Snooki	Local				
NICK	Local	Local	Sam & Cat	Thunder	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	Local				
SCI	Paranormal Witness	Ghost Mine	Paranormal Witness	Paranormal Witness	Ghost Mine	Dracula	Dracula	Dracula	Local				
SPIKE	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Rampage	Jail	Jail	Jail	Local				
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Conan	Pete Holm	Conan	Jail	Local				
TCM	Gunlight at the O.K. Corral	Sweet Smell of Success			Elmer Gantry				Local				
TLC	Local	Local	Extreme C	Extreme C	Extreme	Extreme	Extreme	Hoard-Buried	Local				
TNT	Castle	Castle	Hawaii Five-0		Hawaii Five-0		Mentalist	Local					
TOON	Regular	Adventure	Cleveland	Amer. Dad	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Chicken	Aqua Teen	Squid	Local			
TRAV	Extreme Yachts	Extreme Rvs	Extreme Rvs		Bizarre Foods		Extreme Yachts	Ext. Rvs	Local				
TV LAND	Raymond	Raymond	Cleveland	The Exes	King	King	The King of Queens	King	Local				
USA	No Strings Attached				White Collar		Law & Order: SVU	Local					
VH1	Austin Powers	Saturday Night Live			Sixteen Candles				Local				
WGN	Rules	Rules	WGN News at Nine	How I Met	Rules	Rules	Parks	Parks	Local				
Premium Channels													
HBO	Local	Local	Mr. Smith	The Watch			24/7	Boardwalk Empire					
MAX	Local	Local	Kingdom of Heaven	Strike Back: Origins	Battleship								
SHOW	Local	Local	Love and Honor	Homeland	Inside the NFL	Jim Rome on Showtime							

Thursday Evening										November 14, 2013			
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30			
ABC	Once Upon a Time		Grey's Anatomy		Scandal	Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline					
CBS	Big Bang	Millers	Crazy	Two Men	Elementary	Local	Late Show Letterman	Ferguson					
NBC	Parks	Parks	Sean Save	Fox Show	Parent Hood	Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	J. Fallon					
FOX	The X Factor				Local								
Cable Channels													
A & E	The First 48		Beyond Scared Straig		Beyond Scared Straig		The First 48		Local				
AMC	Men in Black		North Woods Law		Alaska Gold Diggers		North Woods		Local				
ANIM	The Best Man		The Game		Wendy Williams Show		All Thing		Local				
BET	Family-Preys		The Game		Wendy Williams Show		All Thing		Local				
BRAVO	Housewives/Atl.	Real Housewives	Real Housewives	Real Housewives	Shanghai Knights	Happens	Real Housewives	Miami					
CMT	Local	Local	Reba	Reba	Shanghai Knights		Real Housewives	Miami					
CNN	President Kennedy		President Kennedy		President Kennedy		President Kennedy		Local				
COMEDY	Sunny	Sunny	Tosh.0	South Pk	Daily	Colbert	At Midnig	Adam Devine's Hou.	Buying Al	Local			
DISC	Local	Local	Moonshiners		Moonshiners		Moonshiners	Buying Al	Buying Al	Local			
DISN	Local	Local	ANT Farm	Jessie	Secret of the Wings		Chelsea	E! News	Good Luck	Chelsea			
E!	The Lake House				Total Divas		Chelsea	E! News	Good Luck	Chelsea			
ESPN	College Football				SportsCenter		SportCtr	Local					
ESPN2	College Basketball				SportsCenter		NBA	Local					
FAM	Dirty Dancing				The 700 Club		Prince	Prince	Local				
FOOD	Local	Local	Chopped		Chopped		Food's 20th Birthday	Restaurant	Divided	Local			
FX	X-Men: First Class		Anger		X-Men: First Class					Local			
HGTV	Cousins Undercover	Rehab	Rehab	Hunters	Hunt Intl	Hunters	Hunt Intl	Rehab	Rehab	Local			
HIST	Pawn	Pawn	Bible Secrets		Bible Secrets		Pawn Stars			Local			
LIFE	Project Runway	Million Dollar	Project Runway		Project Runway		All Stars			Local			
MTV	Snooki	Snooki	Scrubbing In		Million Mom 3		Snooki	Snooki	Girl Code	Local			
NICK	Local	Local	Thunder	Hathaways	Deatime	Deatime	Full H'se	Full H'se	Local				
SCI	Local	Local	Thunder	Hathaways	Deatime	Deatime	Pandorum			Local			
SPIKE	IMPACT Wrestling		PS4 All Access Live		Cops	Cops	Jail	Jail	Local				
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Ground	Ground	Conan	Pete Holm	Conan	Conan	Local				
TCM	My Name	Ziegfeld Follies	Say Yes	Say Yes	The Lady From Shanghai		The Tall	Say Yes	Say Yes	Local			
TLC	Local	Local	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Local			
TNT	NBA Basketball		NBA Basketball		NBA Basketball		In NBA	Local					
TOON	Regular	Adventure	Cleveland	Amer. Dad	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Eaglehear	The Eric	Squid	Local			
TRAV	Mysteries-Museum	Gem Hunt	Mysteries-Museum		America Declassified		Mysteries-Museum	Gem Hunt	Local				
TV LAND	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	The King of Queens	King	Local				
USA	White Collar	Raymond	Covert Affairs		NCIS		White Collar	Covert	Local				
VH1	Miami Monkey	Miami Monkey	Love & Hip Hop		Love & Hip Hop		Love & Hip Hop	Hip Hop	Local				
WGN	How I Met	How I Met	WGN News at Nine	How I Met	Rules	Rules	Parks	Parks	Local				
Premium Channels													
HBO	Local	Local	I, Robot		Promised Land				Local				
MAX	Local	Local	Ted		Strike Back: Origins				Local				
SHOW	Local	Local	Twilight-Dawn		On the Road				Gangster Squad	Local			

Friday Evening										November 15, 2013			
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30			
ABC	Last Man	Neighbors	Shark Tank		20/20	Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline					
CBS	Undercover Boss		Hawaii Five-0		Blue Bloods	Local	Late Show Letterman	Ferguson					
NBC	Dateline NBC		Grimm		Dracula	Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	J. Fallon					
FOX	Bones		Raising Hope		Local								
Cable Channels													
A & E	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		Local				
AMC	I Am Legend		The Walking Dead		The Walking Dead		Seed of Chucky		Local				
ANIM	Tanked		Tanked		Tanked		Tanked		Local				
BET	Drumline		Chocolate Sundaes: Live		Husbands		Wendy Williams Show	Drumline	Local				
BRAVO	Styled to Rock		Legally Blonde		Legally Blonde		Legally Blonde		Local				
CMT	Local	Local	Footloose		Sweet Home Alabama		Sweet Home Alabama		Local				
CNN	Piers Morgan Live	Crossfire	Unguarded		Anthony Bourd.		Anderson Cooper 360	Crossfire	Local				
COMEDY	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Key	Key	Tosh.0	South Pk	The Dukes	of Hazzard	Local				
DISC	Local	Local	Gold Rush		Gold Rush: Pay Dirt		Gold Rush	Bering Sea	Gold				
DISN	Local	Local	ANT Farm	Jessie	ANT Farm	Jessie	Wander	Austin	Liv-Mad.	Austin			
E!	Life After Anna Nico		Fashion Police		Hello	The Soup	Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea				
ESPN	NBA Basketball		NBA Basketball		NBA Basketball		SportCtr	Local					
ESPN2	College Football				SportsCenter		Olbermann	Local					
FAM	Cheaper Dozen				The 700 Club		Prince	Prince	Local				
FOOD	Local	Local	Diners	Diners	Challenge		Diners	Diners	Diners	Local			
FX	Moneyball				Moneyball					Local			
HGTV	Flip It to Win It	Flip or F	Flip or F		Hunters	Hunt Intl	Hunt Intl	Hunt Intl	Flip or F	Local			

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FOX	Bones		Raising Hope		Local								
Cable Channels													
A & E	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		Local				
AMC	I Am Legend		The Walking Dead		The Walking Dead		Seed of Chucky		Local				
ANIM	Tanked		Tanked		Tanked		Tanked		Local				
BET	Drumline		Chocolate Sundaes: Live		Husbands</								







# Mavericks basketball team struggles on opening road trip

The Northwest Kansas Technical College men's basketball has struggled in the opening games of the 2013-2014 season, losing four games on the road and finally getting a win on Friday.

The 57-49 win came against Western Oklahoma State College in Clarendon, Texas. The Mavericks led by three at half-time and outscored Western Oklahoma 29-24 in the second half.

The team's road trip continues this week with games at Frank Phillips College in Borger, Texas, on Wednesday; against Barton Community College in Salina on Friday and at Brown Mackie College in

Salina on Saturday.

Northwest Tech's first home game will be against Clarendon College at 6 p.m. next Tuesday.

The Mavericks lost an exhibition game at McCook Community College 49-35.

On Nov. 1, the Mavericks fell to Northern Oklahoma College 90-80.

Northwest Tech lagged behind in field goal percentage, three point percentage and free throw percentage, but out-rebounded the Jets 52 to 38. The Mavericks were hurt by turnovers, however, committing 21 to the Jets' 12.

Gian Clavell led the team with 21 points.

He made 10 rebounds, four assists and one steal. Marko Mladjan scored 20 points and pulled down 10 rebounds; Oshey Washington, 12 points and 5 rebounds; James Sylvester, 10 points and 2 rebounds; Lamar Britton, 7 points and 3 rebounds; Jackson Hussey, 6 points and 3 rebounds; Marcus Walden, 3 points and 4 rebounds; and Izais Hicks, 1 point and 6 rebounds.

On Nov. 2, the Mavericks played against Seward County Community College, narrowly losing 72-69. Northwest Tech trailed by just one point at halftime, but couldn't make up the difference in the second half.

The Mavericks again out-rebounded

their competition by 46 to 27 and had more assists, but were hurt by turnovers, committing 16 to Seward's 10. The Mavericks also had better shooting percentages.

Clavell put in 22 points and pulled down 10 rebounds, 9 of those on defense. Hussey got 12 points and 3 rebounds; Mladjan, 9 points and 7 rebounds; Sylvester, 9 points and 6 rebounds; Washington, 7 points and 4 rebounds; Britton, 6 points and 6 rebounds; John Caraballo, 3 points and 2 rebounds; and Hicks, 1 point and 4 rebounds.

Northwest Tech had a tougher game at Dodge City last Tuesday, losing 78-56. The Mavericks were down 46-30 at halftime and

were unable to close the gap.

Despite making 70 percent of their free throw attempts and out-rebounding Dodge City 50-42, the Mavericks made just 27 percent of their field goal attempts and put in only two three pointers.

Clavell and Hicks had 11 points each. Hicks pulled down 8 rebounds and Clavell, 5. Hussey got 10 points and 6 rebounds; Sylvester, 9 points and 3 rebounds; Washington, 4 points and 3 rebounds; Caraballo, 4 points and 4 rebounds; Walden, 3 points and 5 rebounds; Britton, 2 points and 6 rebounds; and Luis Huertas, 2 points.

# Two Cowgirls to play in all-star volleyball tourney

Goodland High School athletes Ellie House and Taryn Bedore have been selected to play in the Northwest Kansas All-Star Volleyball Classic on Sunday in the Colby Community Building.

The games feature some of the best senior volleyball players from high schools around northwest Kansas.

House will play on Team 5 with players from Wheatland-Grinnell, Plainville, Wallace, Phillipsburg, Otis-Bison, Colby, Quinter and Cheylin. The team will be coached by Jen Melia of Atwood High School.

Bedore will play on Team 4 with players from Wheatland-Grin-

nell, Phillipsburg, Colby, Thunder Ridge, Otis-Bison, Rawlins County, Plainville, Naomi and Logan. The team will be coached by Shannon Foster of Wheatland-Grinnell High School.

Matches begin at noon (Mountain Time). House's team will play Team 3 at 1 p.m. Bedore's team will play Team 2 at 2 p.m. and both teams will play each other at 4 p.m.

At 5 p.m. there will be a medal ceremony for all the teams and then a championship match at 5:30 p.m.

Matches are limited to three sets, with the third limited to 15 points. The championship match will be determined by total sets won.



# Mustangs play Colby at home, on the road

Jessi Duell protected the ball while her teammate looked for a pass during the Grant Junior High School seventh grade's game against Colby on Nov. 4. The eighth grade team played in Colby that day. On Thursday both teams traveled to Holcomb and both teams play again today at 3:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) in Oakley. The Mustangs will play Colby again on Thursday. The eighth grade will play at home and the seventh grade will travel to Colby. Games begin at 3:30 p.m.

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## Crossword Puzzle

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| <b>CLUES ACROSS</b>             | <b>CLUES DOWN</b>                 |
| 1. Reverberation                | 1. Birds of prey                  |
| 5. Sonny's ex wife              | 2. Fastest land animal            |
| 9. Drives elephant              | 3. Judge's moniker (abbr.)        |
| 11. High-spirited tomboy        | 4. Part of Uttar Pradesh          |
| 13. Plans                       | 5. Italian crooner Perry          |
| 15. Gather materials together   | 6. Syringe                        |
| 16. Brew                        | 7. Articles fit to eat            |
| 17. Discovery child star        | 8. Replace spent bullets          |
| 19. Stalk of a moss capsule     | 9. International metal polish     |
| 21. Capital of Yemen            | 10. New Mexico artist town        |
| 22. Local area network          | 11. Elf (Brit.)                   |
| 23. Belgrade River              | 12. Glowing gas element           |
| 25. Straight or bobby           | 14. Break suddenly                |
| 26. Tennis player rank          | 15. Blue colored                  |
| 28. Helped (archaic)            | 18. Br. children's author Bly-ton |
| 30. Lounges                     | 20. Limicoline bird               |
| 32. Dove sounds                 | 24. Burn plants                   |
| 34. Int'l relief organization   | 26. Gulf of, Aegean Sea inlet     |
| 35. Planted crops               | 27. Clysters                      |
| 37. Gobblers                    | 29. Leguminous fruit              |
| 39. Animal companions           | 31. Large tub                     |
| 40. Firth of Clyde city & river | 33. Member of U.S. Navy           |
| 42. Korean writer Mogeum        | 35. Having physical sensation     |
| 44. 007's creator Flemming      | 36. Colors clothes                |
| 45. Ursine animal               | 38. Plural of 33 down             |
| 47. Voyage                      | 39. Grouped by twos               |
| 49. Pageant title               | 41. Fence bar                     |
| 54. A woman's undergarment      | 43. Cherry brandy                 |
| 55. A treeless grassy plain     | 44. Pixies                        |
| 56. Anarchic                    | 46. Canadian flyers               |
| 58. Gun dog                     | 48. Emit coherent radiation       |
| 59. Coat of wool                | 50. Lot                           |
| 60. These (old English)         | 51. Area units                    |
| 61. Somalian shilling           | 52. Russian space station         |
|                                 | 53. Tools for holes               |
|                                 | 57. 5th sign of the zodiac        |

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Wednesday:  
7:30 a.m.: PLC  
Fall athletic buffer week  
FCCLA Wiffleball tournament

Thursday:  
Fall athletic buffer week  
FCCLA Wiffleball tournament  
Fort Hays Math Relays  
8:30 a.m.: PLAN Test for Sophomore  
3 p.m.: Junior High Wrestling at Oakley  
3:30 p.m.: Girls 8th B/C basketball, here versus Colby  
3:30 p.m.: Girls 7th B/C basketball at Colby

Friday:  
GHS Musical  
Fall athletic buffer week  
Sectional Football  
KMEA Auditions clinic  
West School pie delivery

Saturday:  
Fall athletic buffer week  
GHS Musical  
KMEA Auditions clinic  
Girls Junior High A Basketball at Hays

Sunday:  
Fall athletic buffer week  
GHS Musical

Monday:  
First day of practice for winter sports  
3 p.m.: Junior High Wrestling, here

Tuesday:  
3:30 p.m.: Girls Junior High Basketball A/B, here versus Oakley  
6 p.m.: 2nd Grade music program in HS Auditorium

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