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More local news, views from your Goodland Star-News



Cowboys beat No. 1

The Goodland High School boys basketball team beat the No. 1-ranked Scott City Beavers at home on Tuesday. The girls team also won.

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weather report

38°

10 a.m.
Thursday



Today

Sunset, 5:22 p.m.

Saturday

Sunrise, 6:39 a.m.

Sunset, 5:23 p.m.

Middy Conditions

- Soil temperature 31 degrees
- Humidity 67 percent
- Sky sunny
- Winds west 4 mph
- Barometer 29.92 inches and rising
- Record High today 75° (1999)
- Record Low today -12° (2007)

Last 24 Hours*

- High Wednesday 38°
- Low Wednesday 23°
- Precipitation none
- This month 0.22
- Year to date 0.79
- Above normal 0.22 inches

The Topside Forecast

Today: Mostly sunny with a high near 48, winds out of the northwest at 5 to 15 mph switching to the southwest and a low around 31. Saturday: Mostly sunny with a high near 56, winds out of the west at 5 to 15 switching to the north and a low around 30.

Extended Forecast

Sunday: Mostly sunny with a high near 63 and a low around 34. Monday: Mostly sunny with a 20 percent chance of rain, a high near 53 and a low around 30. Tuesday: Sunny with a high near 63 and a low around 34.

(National Weather Service)

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local markets

10 a.m.

- Wheat — \$6.58 bushel
- Posted county price — \$6.21
- Corn — \$4.34 bushel
- Posted county price — \$4.35
- Milo — \$3.88 bushel
- Soybeans — \$12.53 bushel
- Posted county price — \$12.78
- Millet — no bid
- Sunflowers
- Oil current crop — \$18.40 cwt.
- Confection — no bid
- Pinto beans — \$36

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

Emergency team needs volunteers

By Amanda Miller

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The Northwest Kansas Community Emergency Response Team is seeking volunteers to serve on a new Community Emergency Response Team.

After the floods in Colorado last year, many residents of northwest Kansas were calling, wanting to know what they could do to help. Organization was key, and if something similar happened here, having a system in place would benefit the community.

Ryan Murray, Emergency Management Director, said that he saw a need for volunteers that could assist the firefighters, emergency

medical personnel, and emergency management team during an emergency. The first responders will have a lot of duties to perform during an emergency. A separate group of volunteers to assist the first responders, in an organized fashion, would be beneficial.

That is when Cheyenne, Rawlins, Sherman, and Thomas counties collaborated. Mr. Murray is the Emergency Management Director of Cheyenne, Rawlins and Sherman county. Thomas county also liked the idea of the northwest counties working together in the event of an emergency, and came on board.

The counties submitted a grant project to the Kansas Division of Emergency Manage-

ment to establish a Community Emergency Response Team (CERT). This is the first plan of action of its kind, and the state of Kansas is using northwest Kansas as a model, Mr. Murray said.

They were notified that the Kansas Division of Emergency Management, Kansas Citizen Corps, and Kansas Highway Patrol awarded the grant to fund development of the joint training program. The grant money provided will fund all the training and necessary expenses so that the counties do not incur them.

The Community Emergency Response Team Program provides basic emergency and disaster preparedness instruction to com-

munity members through its introductory training class. The CERT introductory class is approximately 20 hours, and is free. Everyone can benefit from learning to be better prepared for an emergency or disaster.

Following a catastrophic event, such as a flood or tornado, residents may be called upon to assist with local emergency services to help protect the community.

Those selected to serve on a local CERT team will receive continuing training that will equip them to be able to assist local emergency responders. The training covers

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Conservation District holds annual luncheon

The Sherman County Conservation district held its annual lunch meeting on Monday at the 4-H Building on the Sherman County Fairgrounds. District Chairman Lonnie Whiteker (far right) delivered a welcome and introduced the guests. Awards were presented to limerick contestants Manten Crow and Henry Cole as well as wind-break award winners Terry and Shari Taylor and Banker's Award winners Gerald and Linda Franklin. The program included a presentation by members of the Goodland High School Eco-meet team (above). A meal was catered by Steve Evert (right). The event also included a district business meeting conducted by Whiteker.

Photos by Kevin Bottrell
The Goodland Star-News



School building projects 'on budget and on time'

By Pat Schiefen

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Superintendent Bill Biermann told the Goodland School Board the renovation projects for the district are "on budget and on time" at the meeting Monday.

At West Elementary the two tornado shelter rooms are completely done and they are moving two classrooms and their teachers into them. Biermann said they tried to move the teachers who would be in those rooms next year. This will allow work to start on the vacated classrooms and the library. The library was moved into the gym up against the stage. Decorated boxes of books by the students separate the library from the rest of the gym where kids play. That was done last week.

At North Elementary the majority of the classrooms have been sheet rocked and mudded. The expected completion date for North is April 11. A re-dedication will be planned.

Biermann said as soon as the building is done they will start moving the classes by grade from Central Elementary. They will move one grade at a time. It will also depend on when the state assessments are

scheduled. Central's kitchen will remain open as long as the majority of students are at Central and the others will be bused for lunch. When most of the school is at North the kitchen will move and the Central students will be bussed there for lunch.

"I do not want to staff two kitchens," said Biermann. The moves have been done by the custodians, paraprofessionals, teachers and even some parents.

If Central has been emptied, when they move classrooms they can be moved from the high school to the rooms they will be at next year as soon as school is out. Biermann said that will save a move. The original thought was to move each high school classroom into storage while the classrooms at Central are being emptied. Then the rooms can be moved to Central.

As planning and design work is starting on the high school the school board has started to look at different issues.

The board was asked if they want to have the heating boilers removed at the high school. Biermann said that would be one of the things that need to be done first in June.

The outside entrance to that room would be filled with sand and then covered with cement. The boilers would have to be broken down and the asbestos be dealt with. It would cost around \$25,000 to move the boilers and around \$47,500 for asbestos removal.

He said they could still be re-

moved later from the inside of the high school but at a higher cost.

Biermann wanted the board to think about whether they wanted to spend over \$70,000 on removal or to seal off the room so students couldn't get into it and spend the money on something else.

Board member Jessica Cole said

her first reaction was to use the money for something else but she was concerned that 20 or 30 years down the road they would need to remove them.

The board wanted to think about it and a decision was not needed then.

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Audience participation



The X-Pressos had their Valentine's Banquet on Monday night at the Elks Lodge. The show choir entertained the audience as well as serving their food. Jon Felver (seated), whose name was drawn out of a hat, received a singing Valentine from the members of the group.

Photo by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News

Groundwater district to hold meeting here

The Northwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 4 will have its 39th Annual Meeting at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Wolak Building.

The meeting will include a review of 2013, approval of minutes, the annual audit, 2015 budget adoption, election of board positions for

Cheyenne, Sherman-Wallace and Thomas counties, a report on the current management program and other items.

For information, visit www.gmd4.org or e-mail Manager Kate Wilkins-Wells at kwell@gmd4.org.



student news

Nicole D. Hendrich of Goodland was named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall 2013 semester at Wichita State University at Wichita. A student must be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours and earn at least a 3.5 grade point average.

Hazen Deeds of Goodland earned Fall Semester Honors at Kansas State University in Manhattan. To receive honors the student must have a grade point average of 3.75 or above on at least 12 credit hours.

Dayelle Waugh of Goodland earned Fall Semester Honors at Kansas State University in Manhattan. To receive honors the student must have a grade point average of 3.75 or above on at least 12 credit hours.

Sydney Winston of Goodland received the Jay C. and Dorothy B. Marshall Human Ecology Scholarship at Kansas State University in Manhattan.

Devin Mangus of Kanorado received the John and Pearl E. Bullock Scholarship, the John and Louie Owen Scholarship Fund and the Biological Agricultural Excellence Scholarship.

Charlton Schneider of Tribune was named to the Dean's Honor List at the University of Saint Mary at Leavenworth. A student had to end the semester with a grade point average of 3.5 or better.

Justin W. Nix of Tribune received his Bachelor of Arts in exercise science after the fall 2013 semester from Wichita State University in Wichita.

Carissa M. Ochsner of Tribune was named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall 2013 semester at Wichita State University at Wichita. A student must be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours and earn at least a 3.5 grade point average.

yearbooks wanted

Goodland High School is working on a scanning project to complete its collection of yearbooks and they are missing the years of 1919, 1920, 1925, 1928, 1929, 1940, 1943, 1944 and 2012. If you have a copy of one of the missing ones, will you loan it to us for a month or so, we will return it to you unharmed. For information call the high school office at (785) 890-5656 and ask for Nancy McFarlin in the library. (2-7)

genesis and salvation army

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

the calendar

calendar

Prairie Land Food distribution is 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, 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, 890-3793 or 899-4278 or order online at www.prairielandfood.com.

A discussion of "The Ox-Box Incident" will be at **6:30 p.m. on Thursday** at the Goodland Public Library.

The Carnegie Arts Center will have its **Saturday art class, Feb. 22**, for elementary students from **10 to 11 a.m.** Students will learn about the affect of the colors of the rainbow on the mind by fun with markers.

The Pride of the Prairie Orchestra will present "Dail 'M' for Music" at 2:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on **Sunday, Feb. 23**, at the Frahm Theatre/Cultural Arts Center on the Colby Community College Campus. The concert will be directed by Beverly Rucker. For information call Mary Shoaff, (785) 462-2159 or Janet Hopson (785) 462-5102.

At the Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway, Greg Stover will present a special program of **The Appalachian Trail "Journey of a Lifetime" at 2 and 6 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 24.**

A blood drive for the Red Cross will be held from **12:30 to 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 25**, at the Northwest Kansas Technical College Student Center.

The Northwest Kansas Emergency Medical Services will be having **CPR/First Aid classes**, which include infant and pediatric care. The class will be from 8 a.m. to noon on Feb. 28, March 18, April 23, May 1 and June 18. They will be at the Wolak Emergency Building in the Topside Room at 1006 Center Street. For information call Crystal Hernandez at (785) 890-4849 or (785)

with cancer is welcome. Call Norma at 890-6629 for more information.

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

thrift store

The Goodland Churches Thrift Shop, 1002 Main, is open from 10

821-0856.

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: Roast beef slice with gravy, scalloped potatoes, three bean salad, bread and hot cinnamon apple slices. **Monday:** Barbecue chicken sandwich, tater tots, peaches, bun and cook's choice complement. **Tuesday:** Salisbury steak, au gratin potatoes, corn, bread and gelatin with fruit. **Wednesday:** Baked fish, parsleyed potatoes, seasoned carrots, bread and mixed fruit. **Thursday:** Beef stroganoff, peas, noodles, cake and ambrosia fruit salad. **Friday:** Ground beef stew, pears, crackers and brownie.

school menu

Today: Breakfast - whole grain muffin, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - sloppy jo, corn chips, sweet potato puffs, baked beans, fruit and milk. **Monday:** Breakfast - waffles with syrup, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - pig in a blanket, potatoe wedges, broccoli with cheese, apple, jello and milk. **Tuesday:** Breakfast - star spangled pancakes, sausage links, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - chicken wrap with lettuce and tomato, Spanish rice, steamed carrots, fruit and milk. **Wednesday:** Breakfast - whole wheat bagel with toppings, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - spaghetti, spinach salad, seasoned peas, garlic bread, fruit and milk. **Thursday:** Breakfast - breakfast pita with salsa, fruit, fruit juice and

milk. Lunch - taco salad, tortilla chips and salsa, refried beans, fruit and milk. **Friday:** Breakfast - cinnamon roll, fruit, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, orange and milk.

school calendar

Today: X-Pressos Singing Valentines. 3:45 p.m. junior varsity and c team basketball against Ulysses at Ulysses. 5:30 p.m. varsity basketball against Ulysses at Ulysses. 5:30 p.m. varsity and junior varsity wrestling against Norton at Max Jones. Senior night. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America week. **Saturday:** 8 a.m. junior varsity at the Bill Voss Novice at Colby. 9 a.m. boys junior high basketball A/B against Ulysses at the junior high gym at Max Jones Fieldhouse. **Monday:** 3:30 p.m. boys eighth basketball A/B against Colby at the junior high gym at Max Jones Fieldhouse. 3:30 p.m. boys seventh grade basketball A/B against Colby at Colby. 6 p.m. fourth grade vocal concert in the high school auditorium. **Tuesday:** 3:45 p.m. junior varsity and c team basketball against Colby at Colby. 5:30 p.m. varsity basketball against Colby at Colby. 6 p.m. fourth grade vocal concert in Goodland High School Auditorium. **Tuesday:** 3:45 p.m. junior varsity and c team basketball against Colby at Colby. **Wednesday:** 7:30 a.m. professional learning community. Great West Activities Conference League Music Festival at Colby Community College. **Thursday:** 6 p.m. First grade music program in Goodland High School Auditorium. **Friday:** Regional wrestling. 3:45 p.m. junior varsity and c team basketball against Hugoton at Max Jones Fieldhouse. 5:30 p.m. varsity basketball against Hugoton at Max Jones Fieldhouse. Senior night.

obituaries

Shirley Joyce Meyer

Shirley Joyce Meyer, 73, greens keeper for Sugar Hill Golf Course for several years, died on Wednesday, Feb. 12, 2014.

She was born on April 17, 1940, to Royce and Blanche Smith in Rawlins County. She attended schools in Rawlins County.

Mrs. Meyer had been married to Robert Pemberton and Leroy Ginter.

On Aug. 6, 1988, she and Gary Meyer were married at the Sugar Hills Golf Course.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Meyer enjoyed crocheting, ceramics and crafting.

Preceding her in death were her parents, husbands, a daughter Sharon and a brother Rex Smith.

Survivors include her husband Gary of the home; three daughters,

Debra (Jim) Crocker of Colorado Springs, Colo., Micki (Bud) McCain of Atwood and Marsha Ginter of Bozeman, Mont.; two step-sons, Randall (Christie) Meyer of Axtell, Neb. and Bradley (Shelly) Meyer of Rapid City, S.D.; a brother Dale (Brenda) Smith of Goodland; a sister Linda Smith of Goodland; 12 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, Feb. 17, 2014, at Bateman Funeral Home, 211 E. 11th, Goodland with Pastor Mark Jervis officiating and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 1:30 to 5 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 16, 2014, at the funeral home.

Memorials may be left at the funeral home and will be designated by the family later.

Dale Lynn Taylor

Dale Lynn Taylor 81, Garden City, former resident of Goodland, died Monday, Feb. 3, 2014, at St.

Catherine Hospital in Garden City.

He was born Jan. 14, 1933, to Frank Henry and Frances Thelma Comstock Taylor in Uniontown.

Mr. Taylor lived in Goodland from 1958 to 1966 and worked for Short and Son and for the City of Goodland at the power plant. He then moved to Garden City where he worked for Osborn Heirs Company.

He was a U.S. Navy veteran having served in the Korean Conflict.

Mr. Taylor was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, U.S.S. Bayfield Veterans Group and Senior Center of Finney County, where he was chairman of the board for six years.

In December 1955 he and Betty Howard were married. She died in July 1957.

On April 5, 1962, he and Jeanette Fletcher were married in Leoti.

Preceding him in death were his first wife, his parents, a brother Frank Taylor Jr., a sister Thelma

McWilson, a son Dale Taylor Carter and a grandson Robert Dale Carter.

Survivors include his wife Jeanette Taylor of Leoti; three daughters, Tina Jean (Bruce) Roe of Goodland, Brenda Dee (Robert) Short of Macon, Mo., and Lisa Ann (Steven) Emick of Garden City; a son David Lynn Carter of Odessa, Texas; two brothers, Don (Katheryne) Taylor of Scott City and Darrel (Millie) Taylor of Garden City; a sister Carol (Ken) Wilson of Manzanola, Colo.; five granddaughters; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were at 3 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Thursday, Feb. 6, 2014, at Price and Sons Funeral Home, 620 N. Main, Garden City with the Rev. Randy Caddell officiating and burial at the Scott County Cemetery, 1330 South Kansas Road, Scott City.

Visitation was from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 5, 2014, at the funeral home.

Memorials to St. Jude's Children's Hospital or Shiner's Children's Hospital may be sent to the funeral home.

Robert "Kip" Armstrong

Robert "Kip" Armstrong, 48, City of Goodland employee, died Thursday, Feb. 13, 2014, at Hays Medical Center.

Arrangements are pending with Bateman Funeral Home, 211 E. 11th, Goodland.

A full obituary will follow.

birth

Collin Samuel Ross

Collin Samuel Ross was born on Wednesday, Feb. 5, 2014, at the New Beginnings Birthing Center at Goodland Regional Medical Center. He weighed 6 pounds, 11.3 ounces and was 20 inches.

His parents are Derek and Allyse Ross of St. Francis and his grandparents are Doug and Marla Ross and Rod and Carla Lampe.

He welcomed home by his brother Carson.



Collin Samuel Ross



The Carnegie Art Center's Annual Membership Drive

The Goodland Art's Council is committed to keeping arts alive in Northwest Kansas. Please show your support by becoming a member or patron this year!

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 ___ \$125 - \$249 Benefactor ___ \$20 and up Individual
 ___ \$10 and up Student

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Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____

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RICHARDSON'S HOMESTEAD REALTY AND AUCTION

SPRING AUCTION SCHEDULE

Tuesday, March 18: Greeley County Land Auction for the Abbott Trust. In Tribune, KS.

Saturday, March 29: Retirement farm equipment auction for Vernon & Sally Patten. Watch for sale bills.

Saturday, April 5: Annual Spring consignment auction at the Homestead Auction Lot.
Call early with your consignments.

For more information or to schedule your spring sale contact Terry Richardson at 785-899-8094.
Consign items online at:
www.goodlandhomestead.com/auctions

THANK YOU!

Thanks for the cards, phone calls and good wishes for my birthday. A "special thank you" to all my children for a great party. I guess it's not too bad to turn 80 after all.

-Marilyn Martin

80 YEARS YOUNG

Goodland grad receives doctorate

Michael Mangus, son of Danny and Charlene Mangus of Kanorado, successfully defended his doctoral dissertation "Implementation of Engine Control and Measurement Strategies for Biofuel Research in Compression-Ignition Engines" at the University of Kansas on Jan. 27. His work focused on engine test cell design and biofuel combustion analysis in a diesel engine. As a result of his efforts, Michael will graduate from University of Kansas in May with a PhD (with honors) in Mechanical Engineering.

Mangus graduated from Goodland High School in 2004. While attending GHS, he first became interested in engineering through the electric car racing team, taught by Dennis Friedrichs, and through his enjoyment of math and science courses.

As an undergraduate at Kansas State University, Michael was active in both departmental and university activities including the SAE Aero Design team and the Kansas State University bands. During this time, he was also employed by the National Gas Machinery Laboratory in Manhattan where he performed engine and turbocharger research. He graduated from Kansas

State University with a bachelor's degree in mechanical and nuclear engineering in December 2008 and was named the 'Most Outstanding Senior in Mechanical Engineering' by department faculty.

Michael began his graduate career at University of Kansas with Dr. Christopher Depcik in the summer of 2009 and graduated with a master's degree in mechanical engineering (with honors) in May 2012.

Since the start of his graduate studies, Michael has been either a primary or secondary author on eleven published (or in progress) works in engine combustion and biofuel research. In addition to journal articles, Michael also presented at the 2011 American Society of Mechanical Engineers International Congress in Denver and the 2012 Society of Automotive Engineers International Small Engines Technology Conference in Madison, Wisc..

In March, Mangus will start his professional career as an engine control systems engineer working on dual-fuel (diesel and compressed natural gas) locomotive engines at General Electric Transportation in Erie, Penn.

Congressional internships available

U.S. Senator Jerry Moran (R-Kan.) today announced he is accepting applications for congressional internships in his Washington, D.C., and Kansas offices for the summer of 2014.

"Congressional internships offer Kansas students a great opportunity to learn about Congress and the legislative process," Sen. Moran said. "I hope to give Kansans an opportunity similar to the one I had serving in a congressional office years ago."

An internship in Sen. Moran's office – either legislative or communications – provides a unique opportunity to work closely with Senate staff on behalf of the state of Kansas. Legislative interns will gain a better understanding of the legislative process in the U.S. Congress, and develop knowledge and professional skills valuable to future career pursuits. Communications internships provide a unique opportunity to learn about how political communications and the legislative process intersect, and gain practical knowledge about the inner workings of a fast-paced press office.

The intern program is open to qualified undergraduate and gradu-

ate students – or recent graduates – who have strong interest in public service and government and have achieved academic excellence. Applicants for a Communications internship should possess exceptional writing and communication skills, knowledge of Associated Press style, experience in digital media, and follow current events closely. While preference is given to Kansas residents, students from all states are encouraged to apply.

The application deadline for summer 2014 internships is March 1. Applications can be obtained and completed under the "Services" section of Sen. Moran's website at www.moran.senate.gov. Applicants should submit a completed application form, resume, academic transcript, two letters of recommendation and a cover letter explaining their interest in public service and detailing a policy issue of personal importance. Please submit required materials to: internships@moran.senate.gov

For questions, please contact Sen. Moran's office at internships@moran.senate.gov or call (202) 224-6521 and request to speak with the Intern Coordinator.

Local farmer gets donation for 4-H

Local farmer Tom Billenwilms has directed a \$2,500 donation to the Sherman County 4-H Council. Funded by "America's Farmers Grow Communities," the donation will be used for fairground improvements.

The organization and farmers are donating more than \$3.2 million to nonprofits in 1,289 counties in 39 states.

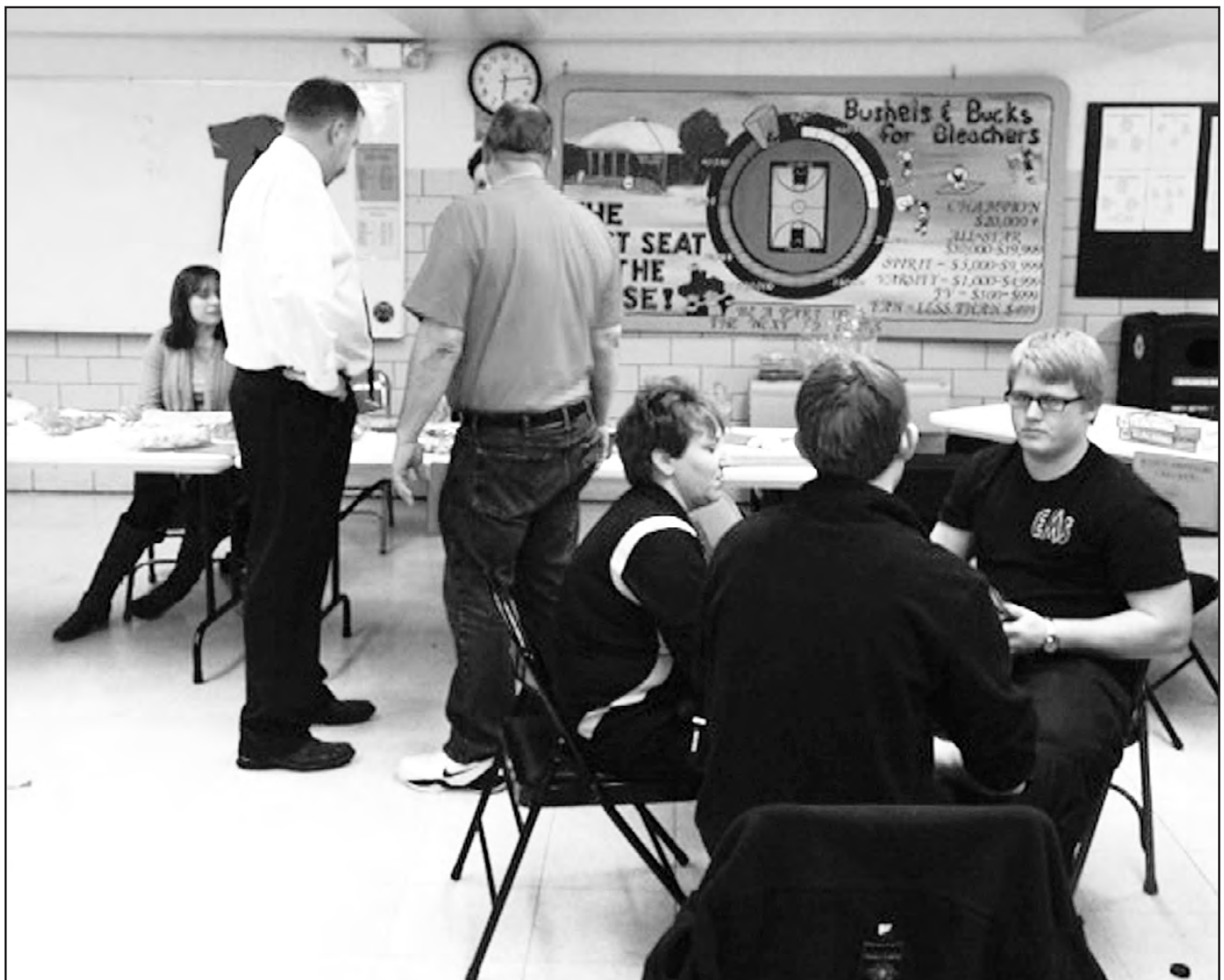
"They do a lot for the community," says Mr. Billenwilms. "I love the job they do to bring the community together."

America's Farmers Grow Communities works directly with farmers to support nonprofit organizations like the Sherman County 4-H Council, who are doing important work in their communities. The program offers farmers the chance to win \$2,500, which is then donated to the farmer's nonprofit of choice. The search for funding to sustain and enhance programs

is a year-round job for nonprofit organizations across the country. Through America's Farmers Grow Communities, farmers have been able to support a variety of groups, such as schools, fire departments, community centers and youth organizations like 4-H and FFA.

America's Farmers Grow Communities launched in 2010, and has since donated over \$13 million to more than 5,200 nonprofit organizations across the country. America's Farmers Grow Communities, sponsored by the Monsanto Fund, is part of the America's Farmers initiative, which highlights and celebrates the important contributions of farmers like Tom Billenwilms.

Raising money to fight heart disease



Northwest Kansas Emergency Medical Service technicians checked people's blood pressure while others browsed the baked goods and T-shirts available at the "Red Out" night at the Max Jones Fieldhouse on Tuesday. The Girls Athletic Association raised \$1,150 for the American Heart Association. Connie

Livengood said the association thanked S&T Communications, Yost Farm Supply, The Goodland Star-News, Rocking M Radio and the community for supporting the event.

Photo by Connie Livengood/Goodland School District

Two authors redefine leadership

By Ron Wilson

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

"The Common Good." That's a desirable, if sometimes amorphous, concept. The common good is something that should be good for everyone. But in our modern, polarized society, how can we achieve the common good? The answer is, it will require leadership – not from an elite few, but from all of us. That's the concept of a new book by two authors who focus on redefining civic leadership.

David Chrislip and Ed O'Malley are co-authors of this new book titled *For the Common Good – Redefining Civic Leadership*. These two co-authors might be considered an odd couple. One is older, the other relatively young. One is a Democrat, the other a Republican. One grew up in a rural area, the other in the city. But both are definitely committed to the concept of civic leadership.

Ed O'Malley is president of the Kansas Leadership Center which was created by the Kansas Health Foundation to enhance civic leadership so as to benefit the health of all Kansans. Ed, a proud Kansan, had

been a state legislator and assistant to a Kansas governor.

His co-author is David Chrislip. David's work took him from the National Outdoor Leadership School and Outward Bound to the American Leadership Forum to the National Civic League. David has already written two books: *Collaborative Leadership* and *The Collaborative Leadership Fieldbook*.

When the Kansas Leadership Center was first created, David served as its director of faculty development for five years. He and Ed wanted to chronicle and share the center's work.

After much research and writing, they produced *For the Common Good – Redefining Civic Leadership* in summer 2013. It's based on their belief that civic leadership can better respond to today's civic challenges. They wrote, "Civic leadership can become more purposeful, provocative and engaging, and thus enhance our collective capacity to address the complex adaptive challenges we face."

The book outlines leadership competencies and guiding principles such as the concept that leadership is an activity, not a position; that anyone can lead anytime, anywhere; that leading starts with one's

self and then moves on to engaging others; that clarity of purpose is essential; and that leadership is risky.

The book suggests four key leadership behaviors or competencies: Diagnose situation, manage self, intervene skillfully, and energize others. To explain those, the book tells the stories of five diverse individuals and the challenges they faced.

One was Doug Mays, former speaker of the Kansas House of Representatives. Another was Lance Carrithers, pastor of Dodge City's Methodist church in which he sought to include more of the Hispanic population. A third was David Toland, director of a health coalition called Thrive Allen County. Laura McConwell is the mayor of Mission, who dealt with challenges of financing upgrades to the city's infrastructure. The final example was pediatric physician Denise Dowd who sought to address the issues of wellness and prevention in an urban hospital setting.

Each one dealt with what appeared to be intractable issues. The book chronicles the lessons and applications of the leadership learning along their journeys.

While these examples are relevant to many states, all of these ex-

amples are drawn from Kansas. This is fitting because Ed O'Malley is a lifelong Kansan and David Chrislip grew up in rural Kansas, having come from Abbyville, population 127 people. Now, that's rural.

These authors call us to a high standard: To set aside complacency, to care deeply, to intervene personally and to engage others in working together toward the common good. For more information, go to www.kansasleadershipcenter.org/resources.

On March 11, 2014, the Kansas State Leadership Seminar will focus on the theme of Leadership for the Common Good. Ed O'Malley is the featured speaker. Every registered participant will receive a copy of the book. For information or to register, see www.k-state.edu/leadershipseminar.

The common good. In our modern times, finding the common good may be difficult, but this book describes processes and real world examples which can inform our journey. We commend David Chrislip and Ed O'Malley for making a difference by creating this book. Such examples of outstanding civic leadership may not be common, but they are definitely good.

Help is available to help fill out your taxes

The AARP Tax-Aide program has begun its effort to help low and moderate-income especially those 60 and older fill out and file their 2013 income taxes.

In Goodland the service is available on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 1 to 6 p.m. at Cat's Tnt, 1018 Main. Their number is (785) 821-1827 to call for an appointment. Help is available until April 15.

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Lincoln would have opposed envy politics

President Barack Obama's favorite president, as is the case with so many Americans, is Abraham Lincoln who now shares a national holiday – Presidents Day – with George Washington. But the Obama/Lincoln bond certainly could not be because of shared political ideology. Lincoln was for the free market and decidedly against socialism – just opposite of President Obama. He saw nothing in the Communist Manifesto, published in 1848, worthy of emulation.

On the ownership of property Abraham Lincoln's feelings were especially strong, he said, "Property is the fruit of labor; property is desirable; is a positive good in the world. That some should be rich shows that others may become rich, and hence is just encouragement to industry and enterprises" (The Collected Works of Abraham Lincoln edited by Roy P. Basler, Volume VII, pp. 259-260). To him there was no need to take by force the wealth of those who produce and give it to those less productive. The "share the wealth" philosophy and "envy politics" so articulated by Obama would have been foreign to the Civil War president.

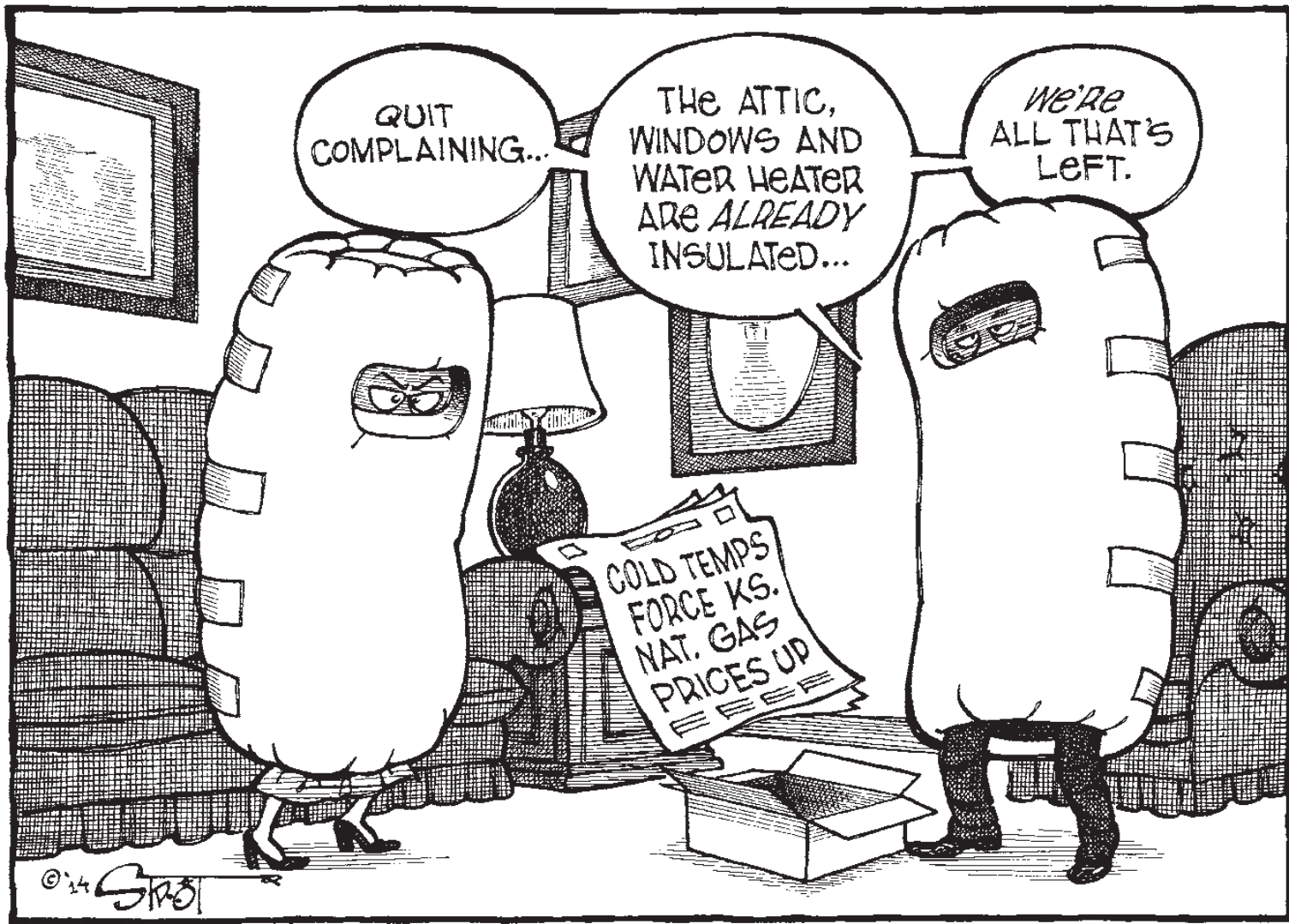
The answer to ending poverty is not class envy, first identified by Aristotle some 2,500 years ago as being the natural inclination of those with less, a philosophy implemented by Lenin in Russia when the communists identified those holding property as enemies of the state and liquidated some four to eight million farmers, the "Kulaks" ("The Russian Kulaks," InDepthInfo.com). Then they wondered why the country had such a horrific famine in 1921-1922 when millions starved.

No money was set aside for, or provided to, any class or special interest group in our Constitution. The power distributed benefited all equally and at the same time. The federal role was as referee only. Our Constitution does not redistribute wealth; it leaves the individual to do that by his work ethic. It remains the fairest way. Will income inequality be the outcome? Yes! Free men are not equal and equal men are not free. But all will have more than had we instead forced income equality by taking from those who produce and giving it to those who do not. We remain anxious to share our wealth producing philosophy with our less prosperous neighbors and the world so that all can have more but individuals steeling it from us, or using the government to do it for them, known as legalized plunder, is just wrong.

Lincoln's answer to the poor, from which he sprang himself, "Let not him who is houseless pull down the house of another, but let him labor diligently to build one for himself, thus by example assuring that his own shall be safe from violence...." Unfortunately, many in our society have forgotten the "labor diligently" part of his phrase and have come to expect the government to provide, from the industry of others, their every need. On that score Lincoln also had words. "You toil and work and earn bread, and I will eat it." He viewed this principle as a form of tyranny to those who work.

Watching others acquire wealth was, in fact, a sign of a healthy economy for Lincoln. "I take it that it is best for all to leave each man free to acquire property as fast as he can. Some will get wealthy. I don't believe in a law to prevent a man from getting rich; it would do more harm than good." Nor would he have supported the hundreds of laws that we have today that disincentivise a man trying to acquire wealth.

Lincoln might have added, "When has a poor man ever created a full time job for anyone?" Hate the Wall-Marts' or the McDonalds' all you want but they provide the poor thousands of jobs. Do not bite the hand that feeds you then wonder where the jobs and prosperity went, as did the early Russian socialists. The "share the wealth" philosophy, which Lincoln opposed, and Obama endorses, has never brought long term general prosperity for any people, any place, or any time. —Dr. Harold Pease



Valentine's Day a challenge for men

Valentine's Day has finally arrived. I know in my heart of hearts that every year at this time most women remember Valentine's Day as a special romantic time with flowers, candy, soft music and the person they love.

But with men, it is different. Valentine's Day for us is generally not the pleasant time it is for the fairer sex.

For one thing, it is the day we don't have sports, so there is nothing to hang a memory on and generally speaking we need that.

I mean, it's a full two weeks after the Super Bowl, a week before the NBA All-Star Game and three weeks before March Madness kicks in. How are we supposed to remember it.

Sure, the NHL is going strong, but unless you speak Canadian, you are, pardon the pun, out in the cold, "ay?"

Granted there is the NBA regular season, but for many people the initials stand for little more than "Nothing But Angst."

I must admit Valentine's Day is kind of special for men (on the negative side). It is that day when wives expect us to "remember."

Husbands know what that means. It always happens. A man and wife will be cuddled together on the couch – Valentine's Day is one of the two days of the year when we will (under the Man Code) "cuddle," the other is on our anniversaries, but on that day, we get equal time to go fishing – and she will look into his eyes



tv time

• t.v. hagenah

and ask questions like, "Do you remember our first Valentine's Day together?"

As every married man knows, there is no right answer to that. The only person dumb enough to say "no" is a guy probably willing to enter a sirloin steak look-alike contest at a pit bull convention or... is a bachelor.

If you answer "yes," you know that just around the corner is the second question that always comes, "What do you remember about it?"

There are a handful of different schools of thought when a man gets to this point in the Valentine's Day conversation. For heaven's sake, do not do what a good friend of mine did and rely on your memory. He recalled the candle light, soft music and prime rib at a secluded inn in Taos, N.M., and went on and on about what a wonderful time he had.

Unfortunately, his wife had never been to Taos.

Personally I prefer the put your hand to your mouth, make gurgling sounds in your stomach and throat and run for the bathroom method.

It's gross, but it has been known to distract my wife from romantic questions until baseball's spring training has begun.

Another friend of mine suggests the best response to "What do you remember most about it?" to be, "You, of course."

But he points out this can backfire when the lady in question responds, "What was so special about me that night?"

Unless you have a health and dental plan that is really excellent and you have been itching to try it out, don't even think about answering that question.

Perhaps the safest response at that point is to look her square in the eye and say, "I don't know, what do you think it was, darling?" and agree with her for the rest of the evening.

But then again, that's generally my method of dealing with my wife about everything.

Isn't it sweetheart? By the way, sweetie, my stomach is beginning to feel a little queasy, so I may have to lie down for oh... about two weeks or so...

TV Time is meant as humor. TV Hagenah is a teacher at Grant Junior High and probably will continue in that position unless his wife reads this column... in which case he may be testing the school district's medical insurance.

Environmental concerns here to stay

Some people have the mistaken idea that farmers and ranchers are harming our environment. You hear it everywhere: at the coffee shop, church, public forums, even in the grocery store where people buy the food farmers and ranchers produce for us to eat.

Children arrive home from school and tell parents about "harmful" practices farmers use. It's easy to understand why folks think the way they do about today's agriculture.

Few businesses are as open to public scrutiny as a farm or ranch in the United States but the only picture many have of agriculture is what they read in newspapers or see on television. Even fewer people have set foot on a modern farm.

The fondest wish of most farmers and ranchers is to pass their land on to their children. They work years to leave a legacy of good land stewardship. Most farmers learned about conservation and respect for the land from their parents.

Today's farmer and ranchers are doing their part to protect and improve the environment. They use such practices as early planting,



Insight this week

• john schlageck

pest control, good soil fertility conservation tillage and many other innovations that help grow more food while protecting the land, water and air.

Farmers adjust practices to meet individual cropping conditions. Such practices can vary from farm to farm – even from field to field.

As in any other business, farmers and ranchers must manage their operations on a timely basis and use all the technology available to improve quality and productivity. If they don't they will not be able to stay in business for long.

Today's farmer has drastically cut chemical use during the last couple of decades. Many no longer apply chemicals before planting. Instead, as the crop matures, farmers gauge potential weed growth and apply herbicides only if needed.

Opposing fans turned out to be nice

OK, OK, so if I had to pick a place to sit in Allen Field House, it wouldn't be right below 55 screaming West Virginia students.

But I didn't have much choice if I didn't want to pay Big Bucks, with the game just a couple of days away. I saw some high-priced tickets on Stub Hub as we motored down Interstate 70, and some "general admission" (read standing-room-only) tickets, but only a few reserved seat perched high in the rafters of the field house.

At \$115 each, the ones in the southwest corner seemed fine. The view is pretty good up there, I'd heard. Of course, I had no way of knowing that the seats right above them had been sold to the opposing team.

We had meetings in Lawrence, a dinner date with friends and some time to spend with our son, who manages a bar there. Last minute tickets to the game? Hah!

It started when a friend asked if we were going to the game, since we'd be in Lawrence. No, I said, no tickets. Then I got to wondering if, in this age of modern electronics and instant gratification, there just might be tickets.



steve haynes

• along the sappa

There were. The computer remembered my information from buying baseball tickets last fall. The cell-phone system has gotten good enough, even out in western Kansas, that you can work on the Internet just about anywhere.

We were passing WaKeeney when I got the wild hair and were pulling by Ellis before I finished the transaction.

The easy part was done. Come Saturday, we had to find a parking spot. Close-in lots on campus, and not-too-close-in lots, for that matter, are reserved for season ticket holders, university donors and other Big Bucks types. We had to hunt for one.

Found a block where all the neighbors got together and rented out every bear spot of drive or lawn at \$15 a pop. Walked half a mile to the field house. And managed to get there for the

tipoff, though Cynthia was talking to me at the time. Didn't see it.

Son Lacy met us a minute or two later, just as the yellow-clad horde behind us got to yelling. The Jayhawks scored, but Cynthia was talking to me. I missed it. He said he thought we were in the wrong seats, but it didn't matter, because no one came to claim them.

Still, they were a well behaved bunch, even when the 'Hawks started to pull ahead; not much profanity, just lots of spirit. Crazy? Sure; who would ride a bus 15 hours overnight to go to a basketball game but a bunch of crazy college kids. I got to talking to them over the half, and really, they were nice kids, real fans, awed just to be in Allen Field House.

"What a place!" one said. Even after KU pulled ahead by 13 and the crowd started up the Rock Chalk chant with two minutes to go, the West Virginia kids were having a good time. "This was a great trip," one said after the buzzer, "even if it didn't turn out like we hoped."

I had a great time, too, I think. Ask me when my hearing returns.

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School projects are 'on budget and on time'

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Another topic the board has had discussions on for the last two meetings is whether or not the Goodland School District should have a virtual school. Board member Ron Vignery said he would like to see some reports as to the effectiveness. Board member Teresa Sieck said

that virtual school seems to be a direction education is moving to.

Biermann said the students that decide for whatever reason to go to virtual school currently have 63 to choose from. He said by running their own the district could still keep some connection with that student. Also if the student wanted to come back to regular school they

would have some idea of what the student had gotten for content in their courses.

He said they have lost two high school students is the last month to virtual school.

The board is planning a trip later in February to go see some of the virtual schools.

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Sophomore

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Jesse Cooper
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Tiffani Hapke
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Gannon Ihrig
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WAY TO GO!

It's time for the influx of garden catalogs in mail

By Kay Melia
Master Gardener
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Once again, the great influx of garden catalogs has left most of us a bit bleary eyed!

When you slowly thumb your way through 15 or 20 of those wonderfully colorful publications looking for that perfect tomato, or the hardiest echinacea, your eyes become achy and watery and you wonder if those monthly eye injections are really doing the job!

But, as gardeners, we all do that, don't we? The only way to spend a cold, windy, snowy,



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the gardener

February afternoon is to curl up in the lounge and slowly digest the gorgeous color and perfect shape of thousands of examples of today's flora and fauna.

Several years ago, it was my pleasure to visit the headquarters of the Burpee Seed Company in Warminster, Pa., just outside of Philadelphia. I half jokingly

suggested to the Burpee Public Relations Director that some of those seed catalog pictures might be slightly retouched. Wrong observation! I received a good natured lecture on professional camera work and proper selection of subject matter.

I thought about that conversation last week while studying the new 2014 edition of the Burpee catalog. As was the case with last year's catalog, Burpee is featuring another new, unbelievably huge tomato on the cover. Last year, it was the

monstrous Super Sauce variety, and this year, it's one called Steakhouse Hybrid. It is billed as "the world's biggest" tomato. Could be true I suppose. The description says the fruit weight will vary from 24 to 48 ounces. Order a packet of 25 seeds for \$6.95, plus shipping. Of course I'll have to try a packet. I bought a pack of last year's Super Sauce, and it was far from my best producer.

But you've got to try some of these new things. The Burpee people are brilliant to put a big new tomato on their cover because they realize that tomatoes are number one in the eyes of nearly every vegetable gardener.

I'm sorry to report that Burpee dropped my all-time favorite tomato from their catalog offerings this year. There is no Northern Exposure listed among their tomato selections. I called them to ask why. They said they couldn't list 'em all....but they still had Northern Exposure available. I felt a lot better!

Burpee certainly has the most dramatically colored catalog of all that I have seen this year. The flowers and vegetables really jump out at you. George Gurney is doing something interesting. His prices on just about everything in his book

are almost twice the price of other Companies prices. But wait! On the front cover of the catalog there is a coupon worth 50 percent off everything in the catalogue. What?

I still like the J. W. Jung catalogue the best. Their stuff is easier to find due to excellent job of arranging categorically. The Park Seed Company has an "easy to find" system as well. None of the ones I studied is bad! I love 'em all! I've never sent one back yet!

Oberlin to have program on Kansas

Jeff Davidson and the Trail Riders band will perform at 6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) at the Oberlin Gateway Center on Saturday, Feb. 22.

Using songs, historical facts and pictures, Davidson leads audiences through the history of Kansas, from the time of Coronado to the end of the 1800's. The making of the state of Kansas had a tremendous influence on Western U.S. settlement, helping to shape the economy, ideology and heroism of a young

nation.

He has presented his unique program to a variety of audiences, mostly in Kansas, but has also performed in Missouri and Washington D.C. For 25 years, he was the entertainer for the Flint Hills Overland Wagon Train, which gave him a keen interest in Kansas history and an appreciation for the early travelers on the Santa Fe and Oregon trails.

Davidson is the 2013 winner of the serious division of the Kansas

Cowboy Poetry Contest and is currently serving his third year as president of the Kansas Chapter of the Western Music Association.

He and his wife Kelley make their home in Eureka, where he works as a watershed specialist for Kansas State Research and

Extension.

This is an Oberlin Arts and Humanities season ticket event or \$12 for adults, \$7 for students grades one through 12.

For information, call Ella Betts (785)-475-3557 or Mary Henzel (785)-470-0218.

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Jan. 7: Floyd Coates, 36, Goodland, arrested by sheriff's deputy for possession of stimulants, no drug tax stamp, reckless driving, fleeing and eluding and transporting an open container.

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Dennis Musil, Petitioner
 VIGNERY & MASON L.L.C. 214 E. 10th P.O. Box 767 Goodland, Kansas 67735

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Cowboys beat No. 1 team in the state

By Kevin Bottrell
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The Goodland High School varsity boys basketball team knocked off the No. 1 team in Class 4A Division II on Tuesday at the Max Jones Fieldhouse.

The 6-10 Cowboys fought hard for every point against the 13-2 Scott City Beavers. They trailed by four points at the half, but came back in the fourth quarter, taking the lead on a three pointer by Adam Simmerman and keeping it for a 46-42 win.

Scott City is ranked No. 1 in Class 4A Division II by the Kansas Basketball Coaches Association, a ranking which is updated weekly. They still lead the standings in the Great West Activities Conference with a 6-1 record.

The Cowboys lost to the team in second place in the league – Holcomb – at home last Friday. Goodland has moved up to third place with a 3-3 league record. Hugoton is fourth at 3-4; Ulysses, fifth at 2-4; and Colby, sixth at 0-6.

The Cowboys will travel to Ulysses tonight and will begin playing after the girls game.

Cowboys vs. Scott City

The Cowboys won the jump. Taylen Smith tried a shot and missed. The Cowboys got the rebound and Gage Ihrig attempted a shot and was fouled. He put in a free throw. Both teams came out aggressive on defense, preventing any more points for more than a minute. Scott City got a two pointer, taking a 2-1 lead.

Back on offense, Smith pulled down a rebound and put it in for two points. The Beavers came back with a six-point run. With 2:28 left in the quarter, Smith put in a two pointer to make it 8-5. Gannon Ihrig put in a basket, followed by a basket from Gage Ihrig, regaining the lead for the Cowboys. Smith got another rebound and basket to end the quarter with the Cowboys in the lead 11-8.

Scott City put together a nine-point run to start the second quarter, taking a 17-11 lead. Smith put in a free throw, but a foul by Trey Teeter resulted in two free throws for

Scott City. The Beavers put in another three pointer, followed by baskets from Smith and Gannon Ihrig to make it 22-16.

In the final minutes of the half, the Beavers got a steal and a layup. Smith and Gannon Ihrig each put in baskets to end the half with the Cowboys trailing 24-20.

Scott City got the first basket of the second half after nearly a minute and a half of play. With four minutes on the clock, Kolt Trachsel put in a two pointer, answered with a basket from Scott City to make it 28-22.

Smith put in a basket, followed by a free throw from Trachsel. Teeter added a basket to make it 28-27. Scott City pulled away again with a pair of free throws and a two pointer. With 10 seconds left on the clock, Trachsel hit a two pointer to make it 32-29.

Scott City put in the first basket of the fourth quarter, followed by two free throws from Smith. Gage Ihrig put in a three pointer that tied the game 34-34. The Beavers answered with a three to retake the lead 37-34.

Gannon Ihrig made a basket that cut the lead to one point, then with 4:27 left Simmerman made his only shot of the game, a three pointer that put the Cowboys in the lead 39-37.



Gannon Ihrig (above) drove inside against Holcomb last Friday, while his brother Gage Ihrig (right) attempted a two pointer against Scott City on Tuesday.

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hit a three pointer to make it 54-30. The Cowboys added another two pointer, ending the quarter down 54-32.

Teeter made a three pointer to open the fourth quarter. The Cowboys scored a further five unanswered points. It would not be enough to close the gap though as the Cowboys would still be down by 20 points with two minutes to play. The game ended with a 64-46 loss for Goodland.

Gage Ihrig extended the lead with a three pointer. Trachsel scored, but was called for an offensive foul, so the basket was waved off. Scott City put in a three pointer to make it 42-40. With 2:39 left, Simmerman was fouled and missed both free throws. Trachsel got the rebound, but the ball was knocked out of bounds. The Cowboys retained possession, but turned the ball over after a timeout.

With one minute remaining, Gage Ihrig made a two pointer. Trachsel was called for a foul, resulting in a free throw for Scott City. Gannon Ihrig, Gage Ihrig and Luke Avila were fouled, putting the Cowboys into the free throw bonus.

At 22 seconds on the clock, Scott City missed a three-point attempt. Smith got the rebound and was fouled. He missed his free throw, but the teams got tied up on the rebound. A jump ball was called and the possession arrow gave the ball to the Beavers.

At 5.9 seconds Trachsel fouled out, but in doing so prevented the Beavers from attempting a three pointer that could have tied the game. Scott City got one free throw, making the score 44-42.

Goodland called a timeout with 4.4 seconds on the clock. Scott City's inbound pass went out of bounds, giving the Cowboys the ball back. After a final timeout, Smith made the inbound pass to Gannon Ihrig, who was fouled. Gannon made both free throws, putting the final nail in the coffin for Scott City.

The game ended with a 46-42 win for the Cowboys.

Goodland vs. Holcomb

The Cowboys had a much worse time against the Holcomb Longhorns last Friday. Holcomb scored the first 13 points of the game. It would not be until the four-minute mark that the Cowboys got on the board on a three pointer from Simmerman. The Longhorns added eight more points before

the next Goodland score – a three pointer from Gage Ihrig.

With only seconds left in the first quarter, Trachsel and Gage Ihrig made three free throws between them. The Longhorns put in a three at the buzzer, ending the quarter in the lead 24-9.

Holcomb went on another eight-point run to start the second quarter. Todd Sneath put in two free throw to make the score 32-11. Holcomb added another five points. In the final minutes of the half, Simmerman put in a two-point shot and Gage Ihrig made a free throw. The half ended with the Cowboys trailing 37-14.

Holcomb added to their lead in the first few minutes of the third quarter with nine points. Goodland closed the gap some with three two-point baskets for Smith. Both teams added four more points to make it 50-26. Trachsel put in a free throw, followed by four points from Holcomb. Gage Ihrig

Cowgirls beat Scott City by 33 points, lose to Holcomb by seven

By Pat Schiefen
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The Goodland High School varsity girls basketball team was at the top of its game at home Tuesday night against Scott City winning, 66-33.

The Cowgirls did not fare as well against Holcomb last Friday, losing a close game 59-52. The girls had been in fourth place in the Great West Activities Conference before their win over Scott City. They are now tied with Ulysses with a 3-3 record.

Goodland will travel to Ulysses tonight to play the Lady Tigers. Tipoff is at 5:30 p.m. (Mountain Time).

Cowgirls vs. Scott City

Hope Cochran put the first score on the board with three points at the start of the first quarter. She followed with another basket. Scott City made a three-point shot, then Kate-Lynn King made her first basket and Maddie Mayer made one of two free throws.

With 4:15 left in the quarter, Kate-Lynn King made another basket. Cheyenne Ortnier made her first three-pointer of the night, then Faith Biermann made a basket on a pass from Kate-Lynn King. Both girls made another basket before the end of the first quarter. Goodland led 21-12.



Brianna White went up for a shot during Goodland's game against Scott City on Tuesday.

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Cochran again made the first basket of the quarter on a pass from Berkley White. The next basket was also by Cochran, then Mayer made a basket with an assist from Kate-Lynn King. Ellie House put the next basket on the board, followed by a three pointer from Brianna White. Kyndell King was substituted in for her sister and made put in three two-point shots. With less than a minute left in the first half Cochran made a basket. Goodland led 40-25.

Goodland had possession of the ball at the start of the third quarter and Brianna White made a basket. House was next to make a basket. Kate-Lynn King made a basket.

throws giving Goodland a 30 point lead, 60-30. Under the rules the clock started to run continuously from then. Mayer made a basket, after which Goodland's coach Andy Scheopner put the younger girls in to gain some experience. Breanna Garrett made a basket on a pass from Grace Cole. Garrett made the last basket of the game. The Cowgirls won, 66-33.

Cowgirls vs. Holcomb

The Cowgirls put forth a valiant effort against the Lady Longhorns of Holcomb on Friday night. The Cowgirls led at the end of the first quarter, 17-15, but were not able to hold onto it. The Cowgirls lost at the end, 59-52. The Cowgirls were off to an early lead, leading 9-8, with 4:23 left in the first quarter. At 3:55 Holcomb made a three-point shot to give them the lead, 11-9. Biermann answered with a basket tying up the score, 11-11. For about a minute neither team scored. Then Holcomb added two free throws to make the score, 13-11. Kate-Lynn King rebounded a missed shot and made a basket to tie it up, 13-13. In the final minute House hit a basket from Kate-Lynn King to make it, 15-13. Mayer added a basket of her own. When Ortnier fouled Holcomb made both free throws. The quarter ended with Goodland leading, 17-15.

Neither team scored in the first two minutes of the second quarter. Then Mayer stole the ball took it across the court and made a basket. Then Holcomb made a basket. House answered with a basket. When Berkley White fouled, Holcomb made one of two free throws. Then Berkley White made a basket. Goodland led, 23-18.

Holcomb made a free throw and then Mayer made a basket. Holcomb followed that with a three-point shot and took the lead, 26-25. Holcomb added another basket and two free throws. Goodland had a hard time holding onto the ball. Goodland took a time out. Holcomb added two baskets in a row and two

free throws. With six seconds left Kate-Lynn King rebounded a ball and made a basket. At the end of the first half Holcomb led 36-27.

It was again almost two minutes before either team scored. When Holcomb fouled Cochran made one of two free throw. Then Kate-Lynn King made a basket, followed by two more baskets. She made another basket from Cochran to tie the score 36-36. When Goodland fouled Holcomb made both free throws to

regain the lead 38-36.

With 1:30 left Holcomb made a basket and two free throws. Holcomb stole the ball and made another basket. The score was 45-36 at the end of the third quarter.

Mayer started off the fourth quarter with a two-pointer. Holcomb hit a three-point shot making the score, 48-38. When Kate-Lynn King made two free throws. At 2:43 Holcomb made one of two free throws. Mayer made a three-point shot on the next

Goodland possession.

Holcomb added a free throw. When Berkley White was fouled she made both free throws. Then Holcomb made two free throws. Kate-Lynn King made a basket, then Holcomb made three free throws. With a minute left Holcomb added two free throws and then Mayer made a three-point shot for the last Goodland points. Holcomb made two more free throws before the end of the game. Holcomb won 59-52.

Crossword Puzzle

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- Breaks into a computer system
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 - Show and ___
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 - Brunch beverage
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- Down**
- "Very funny!"
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 - Whirls
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- 1987 Shelley Long comedy
- Make changes to
- Air freshener brand
- Lock openers
- Since
- Actor Lugosi
- "Pardon me..."
- Prefix with marketing or commuting
- "Greetings!"
- Flour ___
- Societal problems
- April follower
- Survey before an election
- "That ___ funny!"
- The Beatles' "___ Leaving Home"
- Late singer Reed

- Common street name
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