

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from 1-5 p.m. **Wednesday-Sunday.**

“**Prairie Past Times,**” a photographic history of entertainment in Sherman County is on display from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. **Monday-Friday** and from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. **Saturday** at the museum, 1717 Cherry Ave.

The **Carnegie Arts Center** is open from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. **Tuesday through Friday** and from 1-4 p.m. **Saturday, Sunday and Monday.** The 4-H days and talent night “Favorite Foods” show is on display through Thursday.

The **Goodland Public Library** will have story time for 4 and 5-year-olds from 10-10:45 a.m. **Wednesdays** and from 11-11:45 a.m. **Thursdays.** Story time for 3-year-olds will be from 10-10:45 a.m. **Thursdays.** **Born to Read** for children birth to age 3 will be at 10 a.m. **Fridays.**

Emotions Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. **Wednesdays** at the Goodland Regional Medical Center board room.

Century Families, for people whose family came to Sherman County more than 100 years ago, meets at 7 p.m. the second **Monday** of the month at the Senior Center. For information, call 899-2835.

Aerobics Classes - 7:30 a.m. aerobics classes are offered daily at the Goodland Activities Center. Tena Tompkins leads a step aerobics class at 5:30 a.m. **Monday, Wednesday and Friday.** On Tuesday and Thursday, a less intense class is offered. Call 890-7242.

TOPS Meetings - Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at 5:30 p.m. **Mondays** at North Elementary School. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 899-3665.

Alcoholics Anonymous S.O.S. Group meets at 7 p.m. **Monday** in the cafeteria in the basement at the Kit Carson County Hospital in Burlington. Call Pamela at 719-346-7711, Laura at 785-890-5417 or Dave at 890-2858.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. **Monday-Thursday and Saturday** at 1013 Center. Saturday is an open meeting with Al-Anon, families of alcoholics, meeting in the same room. **Al-Anon also meets at 8 p.m. on Monday** in a different room. For Alcoholics Anonymous, call Rob at 890-3023 or Linda at 399-2353. For Al-Anon, call Cheryl at 890-3023.

Fibromyalgia and Chronic Myofascial Pain Support Group meets from 6:30-8:30 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.

Goodland Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) meets from 6:30-8 p.m. on the first **Monday of the month** at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 220 W. 13th.

Prairie Piecemakers Quilt Guild will meet at 7 p.m. the second **Thursday** of each month. Call Cora House at 899-6551, Joan Reid at 899-7301 or Carol Tupper at 890-5955.

area events

The **Sappa Valley Shoot-out youth three-on-three basketball tournament** will be held **Saturday, April 17,** in the Decatur Community Junior and Senior High School gyms and is sponsored by the **Oberlin Cyclones** Mid-America Youth Basketball team. Boys and girls in grades 2-10 are eligible to participate, and entry forms will be distributed in area schools. Entry fees per team are due to Sue Glodt by Wednesday, April 7. Call Glodt at 785-475-3383 or 475-8926 or Barbara Olson at 475-3602 or 475-7015.

The **Retired and Senior Volunteer Program annual recognition night,** the “RSVP Jungle Jamboree,” will be **Wednesday, April 21,** at the American Legion in Colby. The dance is from 7-9 p.m. **Cen-**

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St. Paul’s Episcopal Church is having its regular **Good Friday service at 7 p.m. today** and **Easter services at 10 a.m. Sunday.**

The Goodland Lions Club **Easter egg hunt** will be at 10:30 a.m. **Saturday** at Gulick Park. Children eight and under welcome. Goodies for all. In case of bad weather, it will be at the Goodland Activities Center.

The **First Baptist Church** will have **Easter sunrise services at 7 a.m. Sunday.** Sunday School will be at 9:15, and the **worship service** will be at 10:30 a.m.

The **Goodland Kansas After-5 Club,** affiliated with Christian business and professional women, is having the “**Precious Moments are Special Moments**” dinner party from 7-8:30 p.m. **Monday** at the Butterfly Cafe at Renner Field. Carol Tupper of Goodland will be the special speaker, and Lori Titus will have Precious Moments as the special feature. There is a charge for dinner. Call Titus at 899-3828 or Tupper at 890-5955 for reservations.

SHARE sign up for the April distribution of food will be until **Monday** at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. **Pick up** will be **Saturday, April 24,** for the April distribution.

Goodland Pizza Hut will **donate 20 percent of purchases** to the Northwest Kansas Family Shelter Inc. on **Tuesday.**

A **film festival,** coinciding with the World War II displays at the Carnegie Arts Center and the High Plains Museum, will be at 6 p.m. **Tuesdays** at the Goodland Public Library. This week’s

movie is “Best Year of Our Lives.” “Buck Privates” will be at 6 p.m. Tuesday, April 20, and “Casablanca” will be at 6 p.m. Tuesday, April 27.

A **tractor safety course** for youths 14-16 who work outside the family farm will be at 6 p.m. **Tuesday-Friday** in the 4-H building. The course will be covered partially with videos and will entail experience with a tractor and teaching time. Call the extension office at 899-4880. A \$6 fee will cover books and supplies.

A **knitting workshop** will be at the Carnegie Arts Center from 3:30-5 p.m. **Wednesdays April 14, 21 and 28, and May 5.**

Jodi Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs** will be in Goodland from 1-2:15 p.m. **Thursday** in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. Due to budget cuts, she will only come to Goodland on the third Thursday of each month. Call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

Kindergarten Roundup will be from 8 a.m.-noon and 1-3 p.m. **Thursday and next Friday** at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 222 W. 13th. All children in the Goodland School District who will be 5 on or before Aug. 31 will be eligible. Call Roberta Pianalto at 899-6163 to make an appointment.

Grant Junior High students and staff will offer “**Spring Clean**” in the morning next **Friday** to area senior citizens. No mowing or trimming. To get your yard on the list, call the school office at 899-7561.

The annual **Promenader Square Dance breakfast** will be

from 7 a.m.-1 p.m. **Saturday, April 17,** at Edwards Dance Hall, 2431 Walnut. Biscuits, sausage and sausage gravy will be served for a charge.

“**Dear Diary: A Mother’s Reflections,**” by Kansas Humanities Council speaker Lloyd Sponholtz, will be at 3 p.m. **Saturday, April 17,** at the Handy House. The presentation is from a mother’s diary kept during World War II.

The **annual volunteer supper** will be a safari to honor **Good Samaritan Center** volunteers. It will be at 6 p.m. **Thursday, April 22,** at the Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, 307 W. 13th. **RSVP by Tuesday, April 20,** at the center, 208 W. Second, 890-7517.

A **patriotic celebration** lunch, panel discussion, Jitterbug demonstration, apple pie bake-off and Rosie the Riveter look-a-like contest will be at 11 a.m. **Saturday, April 24,** at the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

A **musical tribute to the World War II era** will be at 3 p.m. **Sunday, May 2,** at Wheat Ridge Acres.

The Carnegie Arts Council is planning its **annual dinner theater and is seeking singers, actors, dancers, musicians or any other performers** who are interested in participating. The production will be Saturday-Monday, May 8-10. Call Tina Goodwin at 890-6442 if you are interested in helping with the production.

school activities

Today: No school, Good Friday. Track at KT Woodman in Wichita.

Sunday: Easter.

Monday: Freshman/sophomore track meet 3:45 p.m. here. Project Graduation 2004 meeting 7 p.m. in the cafeteria. Cheerleader meeting 6 p.m. in the auditorium. Student of the week-science.

Tuesday: Black day. Seminar — AFS. Softball vs. Garden City 3 p.m. here. Tennis noon at Larned. Golf 1 p.m. here. Taste of Home cooking school 6 a.m.-10 p.m. at the Max Jones Fieldhouse.

Wednesday: Gold day. Seminar — FCCLA elections. Mass choir practice.

Thursday: Black day. Seminar — DECA and FCS. Class of 2006 enrollment 6:30 p.m. in the cafeteria. Class of 2007 enrollment 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria. State music festival-large group at Colby.

Friday, April 16: Gold day. JV softball vs. Syracuse 3 p.m. here.

Saturday, April 17: Prom 6 p.m. at the Elk’s Lodge. Promenade 7:30 p.m. in the Max Jones Fieldhouse. Golf 8 a.m. at Oberlin, depart 6 a.m.

school menu

Monday: Spaghetti, lettuce salad, garlic salad, pear and milk.

Tuesday: Turkey ala king over rice, broccoli, hot roll, apple salad and milk. **Wednesday:** Chili dog, french fries, carrot sticks, peaches and milk. **Thursday:** Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot roll, shapeup and milk. **Friday:** Cooks’ choice.

senior center menu

Monday: Chili dog, corn, mandarin oranges, bun and pudding cup. **Tuesday:** Baked ham, sweet potato casserole, Italian blend vegetables, bread and applesauce. **Wednesday:** Lasagna, broccoli cauliflower salad, fruit mix, garlic bread and cook’s choice compliment. **Thursday:** Smothered steak, asparagus, five-cup salad, bread and birthday cake. **Friday:** Ground beef stew, cottage cheese salad, strawberries, crackers and bread pudding with sauce and raisins.

tiny-k

The Early Intervention Networks has a new name, Tiny-k Early Intervention Services. The program promotes development among infants and toddlers with special needs. The Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center in Oakley provides these services free of charge to children in this area.

Services include speech, developmental, vision and hearing screenings to all children and physical/occupational therapy and developmental training to children who qualify. Call 785-672-3125, ext. 115.

family shelter

The Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides services day or

night to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available for women and children. **Support groups** that will be available beginning March 2 are two **women’s** domestic violence victims/survivors support groups, one from 9-10 a.m. **Central Time on Tuesdays and one from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Central Time on Wednesdays;** a **men’s** domestic violence victims/survivors support group from **noon-1 p.m. Central Time Tuesdays;** and a **youth support group.** All groups will meet in Hays. For information or help, call (800) 794-4624. For time and location of youth support group, ask for Donna Munsch.



Axelson and Gleason

Couple to marry in May

Tiffany Lyn Gleason of Goodland and Mikel Wayne Axelson of Plainville plan to marry Saturday, May 8, 2004, at the Goodland First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).

Pastor Loren R. Strait will be officiating.

Bruce and Tina Gleason of Goodland are the bride-elect’s parents, and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Axelson of Plainville are the prospective groom’s.

Ann McKnight and Robert and Judy McKnight, all of Goodland, and the late Orley and Francis Gleason are the bride-elect’s grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Axelson of Plainville and the late Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hays are the prospective groom’s.

The bride-elect graduated from Goodland High School and attended Kansas Wesleyan and North Central Technical College. She is a certified nurse aide at Kenwood View Nursing Home in Salina.

The prospective groom graduated from Plainville High School and the Northwest Kansas Technical College. He is a biomed technician in Salina.

clipping available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free. Call 899-4888.

If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care, call the health department.

Water Testing — The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group does free well evaluations, including testing for bacteria and nitrates. To schedule an evaluation or discuss environmental concerns, call the Health Department at 899-4888.

hospital volunteers

Monday: N. Finley, a.m. **Tuesday:** Bonnie Daily, a.m., and Beulah McClung, p.m. **Wednesday:** Helen Armstrong, a.m. **Thursday:** J. Owens, a.m. **Friday:** Fern Hawks, a.m.

farm services

Farmers in Sherman, Cheyenne and Wallace counties who suffered crop or livestock losses because of natural disasters can apply for U.S. Farm Service Agency emergency loans. The farm service office at 210 W. 10th in Goodland is open from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. **Monday-Friday.** Call 899-3070. Applications for loans will be accepted until Thursday, Sept. 23.

recycling

The **Goodland High School library is recycling used cell phones, ink jet printer and LaserJet cartridges.** The school receives from nothing to \$2 for cartridges and nothing to \$5 for cell phones. Drop them by the high school library or office. If you have several and would like them picked up, call the library at 899-5656 to make arrangements. The money goes to support National Honor Society, Scholar’s Bowl, Science Olympiad, Electric Car and extra library projects.

tax help

The American Association of Retired Persons is providing free tax aide from 1-4 p.m. every Friday at the Senior Center, 205 W. 15th,

and Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway. Call 890-7245 or 899-3938.

thrift store

Anyone wanting to donate to the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop should call 899-2007 to arrange to meet by the door in the alley and take donations directly from the car to the warehouse.

alateen

A former Alateen member and an Al-Anon member have formed an Alateen support group that will meet from 6-7 p.m. on Mondays at 1275 W. Sixth in Colby. The group is for relatives and friends of alcoholics and is open to anyone 19 years old or under. Call 785-462-8152 or 462-6101.



W.J. and Bonnie Trachsel 50 years ago



The Trachsels today

Couple together for 50 years

W.J. and Bonnie Trachsel will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, April 18, 2004. They were married on Easter Sunday, April 18, 1954, by the Rev. Walter Dellinger.

The couple have been life-long

residents of Goodland, dedicating their lives to farming and ranching but most of all to their family.

They have three children, Karlene Trachsel, Charlene and David Avila and Cleve and Sandy Trachsel. Their grandchildren are

Travis and Taylor Barrett, Luke Avila, Colleen and Justeen Koehler and Forrest, Dillon and Kolt Trachsel.

We, your family, have always admired the two of you and love you more than you'll ever know and we wrote a little poem to try and express how we feel, but in reality, with parents like you, it is nearly impossible to put it into words.

Bonnie and W. J.

You made our family strong,
You taught us right from wrong.
You loved us all with your wonderful grace,
And through it all, you kept love in your face.
The years have passed by,
And time will continue to fly,
But, out love for you will never die!

Thank you! From your kids

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