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**Logan Ann Neitzel** was born April 8, 2004 at 4:44 p.m. Central Time in Manhattan, the daughter of Kevin and Beth Neitzel of Manhattan. She weighed 7 1/2 pounds and was 20 inches long. Grandparents are Duane and Barb Neitzel of Goodland and Richard and Margaret Koepsel of Wichita.

student news

Four students from Goodland were part of the more than 4,000 **University of Kansas** undergraduate students named to KU's honor roll for the fall 2003 semester. They are: **Senior, Adriel Rose Alstrom**, human biology, daughter of Terri Anderson, Goodland; **Senior, Jill Susanne Sowers**, pharmacy, daughter of Rue and Marilyn Sowers, Goodland; **Sophomore, Jessica Ann Vignery**, pre-education elementary, daughter of Ron and Judi Vignery, Goodland; and **Candi L. Von Lintel**, daughter of Debbie Von Lintel, Goodland.

**Nathan R. Elliott**, a 2000 graduate of Goodland High School and son of Martin and Gloria Elliott, accepted membership in the National Society of Collegiate Scholars and will be honored during a campus ceremony this fall at Fort Hays State University.

The society is a national, non-profit honors organization. Founded in 1994, the society recognizes first and second year undergraduate students who excel.

activities

**May Friendship Day is Friday, May 7.** The First Baptist Church, 5th and Center, will host a special service at 1:30 p.m. The theme is "In Faith, Women Shape the Future through Friendship."

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

**"Kansas Goes to War,"** a Kansas Humanities Council traveling display; World War I posters from Big Timbers Museum in Lamar, Colo.; and information and photos on the glider school in Goodland during World War II are on **display from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday and from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday** at the High Plains 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 calendar

calendar

The **Goodland Churches Thrift Shop** reopens **Today.**

A **film festival**, coinciding with the World War II displays at the Carnegie Arts Center and the High Plains Museum, will have final film at **6 p.m. Tonight** at the Goodland Public Library. "Casablanca" will be shown.

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

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

**NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER** ceremony will be held from **12:10 to 12:50 p.m. on Thursday, May 6**, at the Sherman County courthouse. The Goodland Ministerial Alliance is organizing the prayer event to "Let Freedom Ring." There will be special music and area pastors and leaders will lead those present over a variety of issues affecting our county and nation.

A **National Music Week recital** will be presented at **7 p.m. on Sunday** at the First Christian Church; sponsored by the Goodland Federated Music Club. The 81st National Music Week is May 2-9. The recital will feature solos performed at regional contest by juniors and seniors of Goodland High School.

**SHARE sign up** for the May distribution of food will be until **Monday, May 10**, at the Sherman County Health Department, Har-

vest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center.

**Concert in the Park**, presented by the **Goodland High School Band**, will be at **5:30 p.m. Monday, May 10**, at Gulick Park. **Dinner starts at 5 p.m.** and will include a hamburger, baked beans, chips and a drink.

**Adult men's and co-ed softball team registrations** will be taken through **Friday, May 14.** Team registration forms can be picked up at the city office, 204 W. 11th. Call 899-4525.

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:** Black day. Seminar, Girls Athletic Association and G-Club. Softball 3 p.m. at Ulysses. Golf 2 p.m. at Hoxie. Junior varsity singles tennis 2 p.m. at Russell. Tennis 12 p.m. at Larned.

**Wednesday:** DECA Employer/Employee banquet 6:30 p.m. at Elks Lodge.

**Thursday:** Black day. Seminar, Student Council. Softball 3 p.m. Holcomb here.

**Friday:** Gold day. National DECA Career Development Conference. Junior varsity golf 2 p.m. at Oakley. Tri-State Relays

2 p.m. here. High school runs on shortened schedule for Tri-State Relays and school will be dismissed at 12:15. No lunch and buses run at 3:20 p.m.

**Saturday:** Tennis at Colby 8 a.m. depart 6:15 a.m. Golf at Atwood 8 a.m. depart 5:45 a.m. National DECA Career Development Conference

**Monday:** Junior varsity golf 8 a.m. at Ulysses, depart at 4:30 a.m. Varsity golf 8 a.m. at TMP in Hays, depart 4:30 a.m.. Track, 9-10, 2 p.m. at Atwood depart 12 p.m. Fourth grade music program 7 p.m. at high school auditorium. rehearsal 1 p.m. National DECA Career Development Conference.

school menu

**Today:** Meatloaf, cheesy potatoes, green beans, hot roll, whipped Jell-o and milk. **Wednesday:** Chicken patty sandwich, tator tots, lettuce, pickle and tomato, strawberries and bananas and milk. **Thursday:** Taco, lettuce, cheese and tomato, tri-tator, cookie and milk. **Friday:** Cook's choice. **Monday:** Corn dog, potato, green beans, fruited Jell-O and milk.

senior center menu

**Today:** Hamburger on a bun, sliced tomato, onion and pickles, hash brown casserole and Ambrosia fruit salad. **Wednesday:** Baked chicken, rice pilaf, asparagus, bread, cranberry sauce and apricot nut squares. **Thursday:** Chili, citrus slices, crax and cinnamon roll. **Friday:** Roast pork, broccoli/cheese casserole, corn, bread and cherry crisp.

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

**Dedication ceremonies** of the Birthplace of the Legend "**Buffalo Bill**" **Cody**, a more than two-times life-size bronze sculpture by Charlie Norton, will be at **11 a.m. Central Time Saturday, May 22**, at the U.S. 83 bypass and Second St. in Oakley. The Fick Fossil History Museum will hold an exhibition and sale of bronze and paintings by Charlie and Pat Norton May 17-June 30.

Admission to the **Prairie Museum of Art and History** will be free from **1-5 p.m. Central Time Sundays** at 1905 S. Franklin in Colby. The museum is also open from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Central Time Monday-Friday and 1-5 p.m. Saturday.

health department

The Sherman County Health Department at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m.- noon and 1-5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

**Today:** WIC in Oberlin. Scheduled appointments. **Wednesday:** 9:30-11:30 a.m. blood pressures at Goodland Senior Center. 7 p.m. fire safety program at Goodland United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. **Thursday:** WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. **Friday:** Scheduled appointments.

Infants', children's and adult's immunizations, physicals, fasting blood sugar, cholesterol and hemo-

globin, family planning and toenail 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

**Friday:** Carol Jolly, a.m. **Today:** Anita Coleman, a.m. Beulah McClung, p.m. **Wednesday:** Shirley Hayden, 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 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.

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.

obituaries

Olive Marcotte

Olive M. Marcotte, 91, Hays, mother of Judy (Leo) Hayden of Goodland, died Wednesday, April 21, 2004, at the Goodland Regional Medical Center.

She was born Feb. 5, 1913, in Damar, the daughter of Joseph and Dehlia (St. Peter) Brin. She married Henry Marcotte, who died in January 1988.

She was a homemaker, teacher, beautician and real estate agent. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and an active volunteer in Hays. She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church of Hays.

She also is survived by a son, Gerard (Elizabeth) Marcotte of Hyattsville, Md.; seven grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Sundra Clark, and by nine brothers and sisters.

Services were held Monday, April 26, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Damar. Burial was in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the churches in Hays or Damar or the Senior Companion Program in Hays.

Brock's North Hill Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Theodore Sammons

Former Goodland resident Theodore H. Sammons, 77, died Friday, April 23, 2004, at the Hays

Medical Center.

He was born Aug. 4, 1926, at Westar, Kan., to Vernon and Agnes (Biery) Sammons. He married Phyllis Barger in 1955, and she died in 1977. He married Demma Jean (Ingram) Diekmann in 1984.

He was the office manager for the Hays Job Service Center and worked there for 26 years. He lived in Goodland for 10 years and in Hays for 40 years.

He graduated from Stockton High School in 1944, and attended Kansas State University. He was an Army veteran of World War II and the Korean War.

Survivors include his wife, Demma Jean, of the home; two sons, Russell Sammons, Denver, and Mike Sammons, Rosewell, Ga.; his father, Stockton; a stepson, Rodney Diekmann, Burlington; four step-daughters, Susan McFarland, Hays, Connie Bernath, Lakewood, Colo., Reta Andres, San Rafael, Calif., and Linda Mayer, Colorado Springs; a brother, Dee Sammons, Bella Vista, Ark.; a sister, Wanda Cramer, Sierra Vista, Ariz.; six grandchildren; nine step-grandchildren; and three step great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother, a brother, Ronald, and a son, Randy.

Memorial service will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 6, 2004, at Cline's Mortuary, 1919 E. 22nd, Hays.

The family will receive friends

**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

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**Alcoholics Anonymous** meets at **8 p.m. Monday-Thursday and**

from 10 to 11 a.m. before the service at the mortuary. A private family burial will be held at the Goodland Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to the Hays Senior Center.

Gilbert Peters

Gilbert Henry Peters, 77, brother of Edna McClung and O'Linda Hesse of Goodland, died Tuesday, April 20, 2004, at the Veterans Hospital in Tucson, Ariz.

He was born April 11, 1927, in Goodland, the son of Henry and Katy (Bettgar) Peter. He was preceded in death by his wife Ilene.

After serving at Davis-Monthan Air Force Base, he and Ilene settled in Tucson to raise their family. He operated Pete's Gulf Station in South Tucson for many years and contributed his time and talents to the South Tucson community and the Faith Lutheran Church and School, where he served on boards and committees for over 20 years.

He also is survived by two daughters, Diane (Greg) Baker and Cherie McCommons; a sister-in-law Esther Peter; and two grandchildren.

A graveside service was held at



Peters

11 a.m. Monday, April 26, 2004, at East Lawn Palms Cemetery, Tucson.

Donations may be made to the Faith Lutheran Church, 3925 E. Fifth St., Tucson, Ariz. 85711.

Arrangements were by Adair Funeral Home, Dodge Chapel, Tucson.

Mary Shull

Dighton resident Mary Margaret Shull, 60, sister of Don Fiegel of Goodland, died Friday, April 23, 2004, at her home.

She was born Oct. 4, 1943, at Nashville, Kan., to Elmer Louis and Esther Katherine (Renner) Fiegel. She married James T. Shull on Oct. 23, 1965, at Dighton.

She attended St. Boniface School in Sharon and moved to Dighton when she was 11. She graduated from Dighton High School and went to Sidney's Hairdressing College in Hutchinson. She returned to Dighton and was a waitress at the Tin Kitchen Cafe, a hair dresser for

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