

## birthdays

**Les Frazier** will turn 80 on Friday, May 21, 2004. Send cards to him at Box 58, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

**Ruth Gilbert** will turn 94 on Wednesday, May 19, 2004. Send cards to her at the Good Samaritan Center, 208 W. Second, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

## anniversary

**Bill and Eleanor Kelley**, former Goodland residents, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, May 23, 2004. Send cards to them at Box 74, Summerfield, Kan. 66541-0074.

## activities

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

**"Kansas Quilts of Old"** is 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 **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 899-7242.

**TOPS Meetings** - Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at 5:30 p.m.

## the calendar

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A **junior golf program** for children 8-17 will begin at 9 a.m. **Saturday** at the Sugar Hills Country Club. Instructions will start that day, and if enough kids are interested, the group will meet **Saturday, May 29**, to hit some more balls. The program will be from 9-11 a.m. **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays, June 1-24**. A **tournament** for all area golfers will be held **Monday, June 28**, and a junior club tournament will be held **Tuesday, June 29**. There is a registration fee for the program. Call Connie Livengood at 899-3482, Travis Jones at 899-5074 or the Sugar Hills Club at 899-2785.

The **Goodland High School cheerleaders** will have a **car wash** from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. **Saturday** in the Wal-Mart parking lot.

The **Right Combination Dance Studio**, Jessica Kannady's students, will have a **recital** at 7 p.m. **Saturday** at the high school auditorium.

**SHARE sign up** for the June distribution of food will be until **Monday, June 14**, at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be **Saturday** for the May distribution.

The **Second Annual Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter Golf Tournament**, "Puttin' for Pets,"

will be at 8 a.m. **Saturday** at the Sugar Hills Golf Club. Call 899-2785 or 899-6464.

The **Northwest Kansas Talent Show** will be at 2 p.m. **Sunday** in the Goodland High School auditorium. Admission can be paid at the door.

**Goodland Community Blood Drive** will be from noon-6 p.m. **Tuesday** at the United Methodist Church, 12th and Sherman.

**Bankwest**, 924 Main, is hosting an **exhibit on the history of U.S. currency**, featuring historic notes and coins on loan from the Federal Reserve Bank in Kansas City. The display will be available **through Friday, June 4**. Lobby hours are 9 a.m.-4 p.m. **Monday-Friday**.

The **Smoky Gardens Archery Club** will have a **shoot** at 10 a.m. **Sunday, June 6**, at the range east of Arcade on 18th by the railroad tracks. Call Chuck Engel at 899-5174 or William McKnight at 899-5358.

**Girl Scout cookies** are still available. Call Lori Amthor at 899-7267 to order.

### school activities

**Today**: Black day. Regional track at Buhler. State tennis at Topeka. Jessica Kannady dance group 10 a.m.-9 p.m. in the auditorium. Northwest Kansas Technical College graduation 1 p.m. in the Max Jones Fieldhouse.

**Saturday**: State tennis at Topeka. Jessica Kannady dance group 5:30-10 p.m. in the auditorium. Cheerleader car wash 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at Wal-Mart.

**Sunday**: Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter 1-5 p.m. in the auditorium.

**Monday**: State golf.

**Tuesday**: Black day. Seminar — AFS. Project Graduation 2004 meeting 7 p.m. in the cafeteria.

**Wednesday**: Gold day.

**Thursday**: Black day. Seminar — DECA and FCS. Last day of school.

**Friday, May 28**: Teacher workday. State softball. State track.

**Saturday, May 29**: State softball. State track.

### school menu

**Monday-Thursday**: Cooks' choice.

### senior center menu

**Monday**: Salmon patties and sauce, scalloped potatoes with cheese, peas, bread and mandarin oranges. **Tuesday**: Chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, asparagus, bread and apricots. **Wednesday**: Bierock casserole, tomato herb bake, orange pineapple salad and blueberry dessert squares. **Thursday**: Sloppy joes, potato salad, baked beans, bun and cantaloupe. **Friday**: Turkey and noodles, Mexicali corn, applesauce, bread and rhubarb dessert.

**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 899-2858.

**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 899-3023 or Linda at 399-2353. For Al-Anon, call Cheryl at 899-3023.

**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)** will NOT meet from on the **first Monday** of the month during the summer. Some

fun activities scheduled for the summer are at 10 a.m. **Tuesday, June 8**, at the Topside Territory; kids can play, moms chat; bring your own snacks. Swimming 3-5 p.m. **Wednesday, June 23**, at the swimming pool.; discount tickets can be purchased at the city building. Play time 11 a.m. **Monday, July 12**, at Phillips Park; bring your own goodies. Swimming 3-5 p.m. **Thursday, July 29**, at the swimming pool. Bubbles 9:30 a.m. **Friday, Aug. 13**, at Chambers Park; bring your own potion and bubble makers. Barbecue 6 p.m. **Saturday, Aug. 28**, at Steever Park; meat, drinks and table service provided;

## obituaries

### Evelyn Duell

Evelyn (Veith) Duell, 66, Ruleton, a retired teacher and mother of 15, died Tuesday, May 11, 2004, in Burlington.

She was born Nov. 10, 1937, in New Rochelle, N.Y., to Richard and Marion Veith. She graduated from American High School in Nuremberg, Germany; the University of Kansas with a Bachelor of Science degree; and Grand Canyon University with a master's degree. On June 1, 1956, she married Ben

Duell in Goodland. After working as a kindergarten teacher in Ruleton, Mrs. Duell invested herself as a full-time mother.

She also was a substitute teacher in Goodland. She began teaching at Burlington Elementary School in 1988.

Duell accepted Jesus Christ as her personal Savior at age 16 in a youth camp in Germany. She was a member and served as pianist

for 25 years at the Goodland First Baptist Church. She has been a member of the Evangelical Free Church in Burlington since 1991.

Preceding her in death were her parents.

Survivors include her husband; five sons, Doug (Kim) Duell of Burlington, Fred (Sheila) Duell of Hennesey, Okla., David Duell of Ruleton, Daniel (Karen) Duell of Ruleton and Benjamin (Kristin)

Duell of Manhattan.

Ten daughters, Elise (Jeff) Pistor of Colleyville, Texas, Chris Nider of Windsor, Colo., Marilyn (Roger) Fischer of Hooker, Okla., Sharon (Sean) Brenner of Burlington, Lianne (Jeff) Nikkel of Littleton, Colo., Jane (Weston) McCary of Loveland, Colo., Janette (Craig) Weaver of Burlington, Lori (Dustin) Adams of Columbus, Ohio, Linda (Rob) Beckley of Tulsa, Okla., and Sandi (Kevin) Schrag of Ottumwa, Iowa; a brother, Doug (Diana) Veith of Kansas City; 33

grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday, May 14, 2004, at the Bethel Assembly of God in Burlington with Pastors Ron Lee, Jeff Nikkel and Mark Shaklee officiating. A memorial fund has been established at the Community First National Bank, 502 14th, Burlington, Colo. 80807.

### Raymond Schick

Raymond Schick, 65, Densmore, father of Brad Schick of Goodland,

died Monday, May 17, 2004.

He was born June 18, 1938, in Logan. He was a farmer.

Other survivors include his wife, Edith, and two sons, Brian of Logan and Brent of Joplin, Mo.

Services were Thursday, May 20, 2004, at the Logan Christian Church. Burial was in the Pleasant View Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the church or the Logan Ambulance Service in care of the Logan Funeral Home, 102 E. Church, Logan, Kan. 67646.

# Columnist has blackout; broken ribs land her in hospital, therapy

This has been a weird and very painful week. Following a blackout, I ended up on the floor on my behind.

I took an ambulance trip to the hospital emergency room, and X-rays revealed broken ribs. After almost three hours in the emergency room, X-ray room and a number of tests, they put me to bed in horrible pain.

I ended up with four ribs broken, possibly a fifth one. You can't cough, sneeze, hiccup or anything without wanting to scream bloody murder. I did my share of grunting with tears.

There's nothing medically to increase the healing of ribs, just time. I don't know what caused the blackout but was informed there are times there is no answer.

I'm in therapy to get my arm



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working and back to using a walker. As soon as nearly all functioning parts go, I'll get to go home. I'm back to the walker, but fortunately did no harm to my leg. Thank God for that.

I wasn't going to do this column, but I can now sit in a chair. So I

thought I'd try to do it.

There's not any real news, but the hospital is nearly full, at least the wing I'm on. I'm getting very tired, and my ribs are starting to squeal. So I need to get up and out of this chair.

My birthday calendar is at home, so I'll have to include them next week. Same goes for anniversaries.

Sincere sympathy to those mourning the loss of either a friend

or a relative. When you feel totally alone or are walking alone, that's when God is carrying you.

Friend Lucille will be back from her trip to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Terry and Linda Nash.

It seems the weather has been cool and not too nice. I haven't been out since last Thursday, but one of these days, I'll be able to go out again.

Wednesday morning, I was placed in skilled care and am getting therapy. I can now get out of bed and walk fairly well, a lot of pain, but I grit my teeth and go.

I will get two sessions a day until I can go it along. At that point, I will maybe be released for home.

I will close for now. I hope to be home for the next issue. Until then, take care.

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### Martin Lopez Rivera

Martin Lopez Rivera, 37, Goodland, died Monday March 29, 2004. He was hospitalized at the Goodland Regional Medical Center on the 28th where he was treated by

Dr. Davis and Dr. Austin and was being transported to Denver on March 29 to receive medical assistance, but passed away at Sky Ridge Hospital in Denver Colo. that day.

Martin Lopez was born January 23, 1967 in Chihuahua, Mexico, to Pedro Lopez and Rosa Emma Rivera. He attended school in Mexico until sixth grade. He lived in Mexico until his eighteenth birthday. He came to the USA afterwards and lived in Carlsbad NM, Amarillo TX, Lubbock TX, then moved to Goodland in 1990 and was currently residing here at the time of his death. Mr. Lopez was employed by Harlan House as a farmer for the last fourteen years. He was also a member of Our Lady Of Perpetual Help Catholic Church in Goodland.

He married Rosa Lopez in March 3, 1985, in Chihuahua Mexico. He was the father of four children. Claudia Lopez, 18, Jeeny Lopez, 17, Martin Lopez Jr, 14, and Marisa Lopez, 12.

Survivors include his wife and children; his mother and father, Pedro Lopez and Rosa Emma Lopez; a brother, Leocadio Lopez of Portales NM; a sister, Ernestina Lopez of Chihuahua, MX.

A rosary was said by family and friends at Latina Funeral House at Denver, Colo.

A mass was held at San Isidro Catholic Church in Palo Blanco, Chihuahua, MX. His body was put to rest at the Municipal Cemetery of El Salitre Cienega De Ortiz on April 4, 2004.



Wedding Registry  
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&  
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June 26, 2004  
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