

birthday

Troy T. Dillinger's family is honoring him for his 90th birthday with an open house from 1-3 p.m. Mountain Time Saturday, Aug. 21, 2004, at the Brewster Community Church. Send cards to him at Box 146, Brewster, Kan. 67732.

patient news

Jan Zwetzig, columnist for *The Goodland Star-News*, is in rehab at Center Ave. Health Rehab, 813 Center Ave., Room 730, Fort Collins, Colo. 80524, after a fall Tuesday, July 20. Call her at 970-494-2140. She has had surgery, her ribs are not healed yet, and she has seen a heart specialist. Her birthday was Monday, Aug. 9.

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**. Watercolors by Elwyn Vatcher will be on display through Tuesday, Aug. 31.

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 890-3665.

Alcoholics Anonymous S.O.S. Group holds open meetings at **7 p.m. Monday** at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Seventh and Senter, Burlington. Call Pamela at 719-346-7711 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,

the calendar

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The **Goodland Churches Thrift Store** will be **closed through Monday** and will reopen Tuesday.

The **annual book sale** will continue through Saturday at the Goodland Public Library. There will be hardback and paperback books, magazines, audio cassettes, video cassettes and computers for sale. Library hours are 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

Kanorado Pioneer Day will be **Saturday**. It begins at 7 a.m. with a pancake and sausage breakfast at King's Cafe. A farmers/crafters market and flea market begins at 9. There will be a parade at 10

a.m., followed by a sexy tractor contest, Slim-n-Trim's Cakewalk at the firehouse and a quilt show at the museum. For lunch, there will be a ham and bean feed at the senior center, brat and hot-dog feed on Main, and King's Cafe will be open. There will be pony rides, kids games, a horseshoe tournament, dunk tank, volleyball, barbecue, beer garden and a free dance.

SHARE sign up for the August distribution of food will be until **Monday, Sept. 13**, at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be **Saturday, Aug. 28**, for the August distribution.

The **Smoky Gardens Archery**

Club will have a **shoot at 10 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 12**, at the range east of Arcade by the railroad tracks. Call Chuck Engel at 890-5174 or William McKnight at 890-5358.

senior center menu

Monday: Cook's choice entree, tossed salad with carrots, peas, bread and strawberries with bananas. **Tuesday:** Turkey, sweet potatoes, cottage cheese salad, dinner roll and applesauce. **Wednesday:** Hamburger, tomatoes, onion, pickle, watermelon, bun and pasta salad with vegetables. **Thursday:** Ham and beans, coleslaw with pineapple, cornbread and peaches. **Friday:** Paprika chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, bread and Jell-o with mixed fruit.

health department

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

Monday: Family planning clinic. Scheduled appointments. WIC in Atwood. Scheduled appointments. **Tuesday:** WIC in Oberlin. Scheduled appointments. Blood pressures 10 a.m. at Kanorado Senior Center. **Wednesday:** Scheduled appointments. **Thursday:** WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. **Friday:** Walk-in kindergarten immunizations 8:30-11:30 a.m.

Blood pressures; infants', children's and adult's immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar, cholesterol and hemoglobin; 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

Monday: N. Finley, a.m. **Tuesday:** Anita Coleman, a.m., and Beulah McClung, p.m. **Wednesday:** S. Hayden, a.m. **Friday:** Carol Jolly, a.m.

high. Gasoline engines are being used with success in water works all over the country, and should the bond proposition carry, one will be put in here.

This is one of the municipal elections in Kansas which the women are not allowed to vote. Women may vote on a proposition to issue school bonds and for city and school district officers.

August 23, 1904: The "Colored Jubilee Singers" at the Opera House drew a big crowd the first night, but the second performance was pretty thinly attended. It was a second-class entertainment, and most of the people were disappointed. Goodland people don't like to be "barn stormed" when they pay for something better.

From weekly issues of The Goodland News, provided by the Sherman County Historical Society. Since the paper was published weekly, some items were arbitrarily assigned a date.

cell phone drive

Save a Life Give a Phone collects used cell phones and refurbishes them to provide 911 access for domestic violence victims locally and nationwide, including all YWCA Domestic Violence Shelters. The group has a drop-off point at American Communications, 813 Main. Call Jeannie Topliff at 899-2426 or Candice 866-448-2366.

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.

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.

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.

preschool

Sherman County Head Start is a free preschool for eligible three and four year olds. The federally funded program is targeted to families who meet certain economic guidelines and provides hearing, vision, dental and educational screenings. Nutritious meals are served, and par-

obituary

Jesse Rodriguez

Jesse Rodriguez, 79, a ranch hand, died Monday, Aug. 2, 2004, at St. Anthony Hospital in Denver.

He was born Dec. 29, 1924, at Del Rio, Texas, the son of Annie Rodriguez. He lived with his grandfather in Menard, Texas, then enlisted in the Navy in 1942.

Rodriguez had worked as a ranch

ents are encouraged to get involved in their children's education

Families interested in having their child in the program should call Julie Dautel or Carrie Starns at 899-2552 or go to Sherman County Head Start, 823 W. 11th.

crimestoppers

If you have information about any crime, call the Goodland Area Crime Stoppers "Look Line" at 899-5665. Your call will be confidential and you will not be asked your name. If the information results in the arrest and/or conviction of those involved, you could be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000. Goodland Area Crime Stoppers is a nonprofit organization formed by citizens against crime.

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.

tree donations

Many trees at the Goodland Cemetery have died and the cemetery board is trying to replace them. Contributions for the Goodland Cemetery Memorial Tree Fund can be left at Koons or Bateman funeral homes or sent to the Goodland Cemetery Board, Box 59, Goodland, Kan. 67735. Donations may be made in memory of a loved one.

animal shelter

Lost a pet? Call the Goodland Police Department at 899-4570. Interested in adopting a pet? Call the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 899-6464.

Assistant principal of schools was elected

By Evelyn Ward

Sherman County Historical Society
August 20, 1904: John Reed Elected — Chosen Assistant Principal of the Goodland Schools — John Reed, county superintendent of schools of this county, was elected Tuesday night to the assistant principalship of the Goodland schools, succeeding C.W. McCormick, who resigned to accept a position in Atwood.

A number of outside applicants were after the place, but the board of education thought the best man of all was our townsman, Mr. Reed, and he was elected without opposition.

Mr. Reed has lived in Sherman county for a long time. He is serving his second term as county superintendent and formerly taught in the city school. He is thoroughly competent to fill the position to which he has been elected.

August 21, 1904: Lives With Broken Neck — Dan Showalter, a young man of Colby who last week fell from a wagon loaded with salt, the wheels of which passed directly over the cervical vertebrae, breaking his neck, is alive in Christ's hospital, Topeka.

He was operated upon by Dr.

today in history

McClintock, and it is thought by the hospital physicians that young Showalter has a good chance to recover, although at present his lower limbs are paralyzed. But paralysis by violent shock or injury often cures itself in time.

Accompanied by his two neighbor boys, Dan started out to his father's (Alex Showalter) ranch west of Colby. They were loaded with a thousand pounds of salt and expected to get there with a balky horse.

While crossing a draw, the team, now halting between two opinions, suddenly gave a lurch to one side, throwing Showalter from the wagon, and the wheels passed over his neck.

August 22, 1904: Goodland Water Works System To Be Improved If Bonds Carry — Women Cannot Vote at This Election — Whether or not the Goodland water works plant will be adorned with a steel standpipe sixteen feet in diameter and sixty feet high and the pumps driven by a 40 horse power gasoline engine to displace the present wooden tank and steam pumps will

depend upon the vote for or against the proposition to issue bonds for the purpose of this improvement.

The amount of the bonds proposed to be voted is \$10,000, and the election will be held Tuesday. This step, though an expensive one, was thought to be necessary, as the large wooden tank has been pronounced unsafe, and the people have no desire to be caught with their water supply gone by collapsing of the tank.

The movement to make the needed improvement was started some time ago, and a petition signed by three fifths of the resident taxpayers of Goodland was presented to Mayor C.E. Swarts, asking that an election by proclamation be held to place the question before the qualified voters.

It is planned to erect a steel stand pipe 16 feet in diameter and 60 feet

**DOLBY DIGITAL**

Matt Damon

The Bourne Supremacy

PG-13: Violence; intense action; brief language.

www.goodlandnet.com/movies

Bring this AD to the theatre for \$1 OFF on a large popcorn & 2 med. drinks

EXP. 12/31/04

Fri. and Sat. 7:00 & 9:00
Sunday 1:30 & 7:00
Mon. - Thurs. 7:00

Movie Bucks Make Great Gifts!

Sherman
1203 Main - Phone 899-6103


Goodland Area Chamber of Commerce


Business After Hours for August

August 20, 2004

Chamber of Commerce office
1002 Main
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Sponsored by Baker's Dozen



**COLBY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

Brush up your basic skills with *free* classes in Adult Education offered by Colby Community College. Assistance with reading, writing, math, computer, employment skills and GED preparation is available. Call 785-460-4663 orientation and enrollment information.

Class Schedule
Tuesday & Thursday 6 p.m.- 10 p.m. (MT)

Located in the Murray Center at the Northwest Kansas Technical College

“Good Start / Comenzando Bien” Parent Program



The Hispanic Advisory Board will provide this free bilingual program for teen parents / parents to be (ages 13-19), created by the March of Dimes.

The course will be given in an 8 week period of 1 1/2 hours each week.

Door prizes and giveaways at each session with 2-\$100 gift certificate drawings to the infant/child section of any local business, for those ‘graduating’ after all 8 sessions.

To register and get dates/times contact Cris at 899-3848 or stop at 109 W. 11th. (Made possible by a grant from the American Legacy Foundation)